- Friday 17ACIS AND GALETEA AND DRYDEN'S ODE.Cast not listed. Parts were: Acis,
Polyphemus, Damon, Galatea, Chorus of Shepherds and Shepherdesses.
MUSIC. Solo on the Violin by Sg Paganini.
COMMENT. By Command of their Majesties. Charges: £ 35 (Account Book).
- HAY THE MESSIAH. Cast not listed. MUSIC. As 15 Feb.
- Saturday 18 THE SCHOOL FOR RAKES. As 4 Feb. Also THE PADLOCK. As 3 Nov. 1768, but Leonora – Miss Radley. DANCING. I: New Comic Dance, as 10 Dec. 1768.
- CG THE SISTER. Parts by: Powell, Smith, Clarke, Cushing, Mrs Ward, Mrs Gardner, Miss Pearce, Mrs Bulkley, Miss Morris. With a *Prologue* and *Epilogue*. [Courtney – Powell; Lord Clairville – Smith; Earl Belmont – Clarke; Will – Cushing; Lady Autumn – Mrs Ward; Betty – Mrs Gardner; Simple – Miss Pearce; Miss Autumn – Mrs Bulkley; Miss Courtney – Miss Morris. With *Prologue* – Mattocks; *Epilogue* – Mrs Bulkley (Edn. of 1769).] Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. As 26 Nov. 1768. DANCING. 1: The Reel, as 12 Dec. 1768.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: A New Comedy [by Charlotte Lennox]. Never Performed. Prologue by Colman. Epilogue by Goldsmith. Treated so badly by the audience this first night that Mrs Lennox withdrew it. Burgoyne's The Heiress [DL, 14 Jan. 1784] draws upon it (Genest, v, 242). Receipts: £234 55. (Account Book).

- King's IL MERCATO DE MALMANTILE. Cast not listed.
- Monday 20 DL DL THE SCHOOL FOR RAKES. As 4 Feb. Also THE PADLOCK. As 18 Feb. DANCING. 1: New Comic Dance, as 10 Dec. 1768. COMMENT. Benefit for the Author. Neville MS Diary: went with Mr and Mrs Willoughby to the 2 shilling gallery at Drury Lane to see the new comedy. the School for Rakes, which I do not like. Many of our new pieces are full of absurd compliments to—.
- CG LOVE IN A VILLAGE. As 12 Dec. 1768, but Margery Miss Valois; Lucinda Mrs Baker; Rosetta – Mrs Mattocks. Also HARLEQUIN SKELETON. As 14 Feb., but Pierrot – Miles; Harlequin – Lewes. COMMENT. Paid Powell the clear receipt of his Night the 15th Inst.: £178 85.

(Account Book). Receipts: £224 113. 16d. (Account Book). y 21 THE SCHOOL FOR RAKES. As 4 Feb., but Prologue and Epilogue omitted. Also

- Tuesday 21THE SCHOOL FOR RAKES. As 4 Feb., but Prologue and Epilogue omitted. AlsoDLFORTUNATUS. As 2 Feb., but "New Characters" advertisement omitted.DANCING. 1: New Comic Dance, as 10 Dec. 1768.
- CG ZARA. As 19 Nov. 1768, but Nerestan Perry. Also HARLEQUIN SKELETON. As 14 Feb., but add Chasseur Royale – Mahon; Doctor – Banks. COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Particular Desire. Receipts: £198 75. (Account Book).
- King's I VIAGGIATORE TORNATI. Cast not listed.
- Wednesday 22JUDAS MACCABAEUS. Cast not listed. Parts were: Judas, Israelite Man, IsraeliteCGWoman, Simon (Brother to Judas), Chorus, Messenger, Eupolemus (Jewish
Ambassador to Rome).
MUSIC. Concerto on Hautboy by Fischer.