Saturday 21 CG COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Yates. Mainpiece: Altered from Corneille [by Colley Cibber?]. Never Performed There. Pit and Boxes laid together (playbill). Charges £66 7s. 6d. Profit to Mrs Yates £39 7s. 6d., plus £179 from tickets (Box and Pit 716). Paid Younger a Bill for writing parts £5 19s. 9d. Paid John Smith for a Blue cloth suit lac'd with gold £9 9s. (Account Book). Receipts: £105 15s. (Account Book).

King's

LA SCHIAVA. Cast not listed.

DANCING. 1: A New Pastorale; End of Last Act: Admete and Alceste, as 17 March.

*Monday 23* DL THE WONDER. As 31 Dec. 1771, but Don Pedro Parsons. Also THE LYAR. As 3 Jan., but Papillion – Parsons.

DANCING. V: The Sailors Revels, as 8 Oct.

COMMENT. G[arrick] This Night was advertis'd for Mr Barry's Benefit but he being ill his Benefit was deferr'd (Hopkins Diary). Garrick is removed from Southampton St. to Adelphi Terrace (Winston MS 10). This day is publish'd Theatrical Biography; or, Memoirs of the principal performers of the three Theatres Royal. Drury Lane: Garrick, Barry, Reddish, Aikin, King, Moody, Dodd, Love, Vernon, Parsons, Baddeley, Mrs Barry, Mrs Abington, Miss Younger, Miss Hayward, Mrs Baddeley, Miss Pope, Mrs Egerton, Mrs W. Barry and Mrs Jefferson. Covent Garden: Ross, Smith, Savigny, Woodward, Yates, Shuter, Bensley, Dyer, Mattocks, Clark, Mrs Yates, Mrs Mattocks, Miss Macklin, Mrs Bulkley, Mrs Green, and Mrs Thompson. Haymarket: Foote, Weston, Aikin, Didier, Davies, Mrs Gardner, Mrs Jewell, and Mrs Didier. Together with critical and impartial remarks on their respective professional merits. Printed for S. Bladon. Receipts: £265 18s. (Treasurer's Book).

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THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND. Ranger - Woodward, 1st time; Strickland - Ross; Frankly - Bensley; Bellamy - Wroughton; Meggot - Lewes; Tester - Quick; Buckle - Cushing; Simon - R. Smith; Mrs Strickland - Mrs Mattocks; Jacintha - Mrs Lessingham; Lucetta - Mrs Green; Milliner - Miss Helme; Clarinda - Mrs Bulkley. Also Harlequin Dr Faustus. Harlequin (that night only) - Woodward; Infernal Spirit - Reinhold; Miller - Morris; Miller's Wife - Miss Twist; Ballad Singer - Dunstall; Shade of Helen - Mrs Baker; Lady Relish - Mrs Dyer. To Conclude with The Whim, as 12 March.

DANCING. II: The Reel, as 30 Oct. 1771, but add Miss Valois.

COMMENT. Benefit for Woodward. With alterations and two additional scenes from Harlequin Skeleton and Mother Shipton. Mainpiece: Reviv'd. [See 1 May 1767.] Charges £66 8s. 6d. Profit to Woodward £137 12s. 6d., plus £56 5s. from tickets (Box 225). Paid ½ year's water rent due Xmas last £2 (Account Book). Receipts: £204 1s. (Account Book).

HAY

A CONCERT. Vocal part by Sga Grassi.

MUSIC. Concerto on Oboe by Fischer; Concerto on Violincello by Cirri; Concerto on French Horn by Ponta; Concerto on German Flute by Tacet. Solo by Sga Sirmen. COMMENT. Benefit for Signora Sirmen.

Tuesday 24 DL THE WEST INDIAN. As 7 Feb., but Lady Rusport - Mrs Hopkins. Also A PEEP BEHIND THE CURTAIN. As 19 Oct. 1771, but Sir Toby - Bransby. ENTERTAINMENT. I: King (for the last time) will repeat A Comic Paraphrase, or Shakespeare's Seven Ages; End of Play: By Particular Desire, Linco's Travels, with his particular remarks on London (a favourite Interlude not performed these 2 years), Linco - King; Old Woman - Mrs Bradshaw.

COMMENT. Benefit for King. Part of Pit laid into Boxes. Paid Tallow Chandler's 6th bill £30 17s. 4d.; Mrs Bowness for women's cloaths £10 10s. (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: £260 19s. 6d. Charges: £65 13s. Profits to King: £195 6s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

