Tuesday 23 DL

King. Also THE DEUCE IS IN HIM. Mlle Florival - Miss Ambrose; Bell -Mrs Egerton; Emily - Miss Pope; Prattle - King; Col. Tamper - Palmer; Belford -

DANCING. V: Comic Dance, as 22 Sept. 1772.

COMMENT. Benefit for King. Part of Pit laid into the Boxes. Mainpiece: Not performed for 10 years. [See 14 Oct. 1761. The Wishing Cap is Larpent MS 350. It discusses Fortunatus' Cap as King conceived several people would use it—the miser, the cit, the adolescent maid, the gossip, Hodge, &c.: "Thus in several spheres of life we find / Wishing appears the madness of Mankind." He closes with the Cap on his head wishing for applause.] Receipts: £207 6s. Charges: £64 9s. Profits to King: £142 15s. (Treasurer's Book).

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KING HENRY VIII. As 10 Feb. Also Cross Purposes. As 5 Dec. 1772, but Miss Pearce replaces Mrs Kniveton.

DANCING. End of Play: New Dance, as 6 Feb.

ENTERTAINMENT. End of Farce: (By particular Desire) The Cries of London by Shuter. COMMENT. Benefit for Shuter. Charges £75 6s. Profit to Shuter £48 6s. plus £97 3s. from tickets (Boxes 307; Pit 136) (Account Book). Receipts: £123 12s.

King's

ARTASERSE. Cast not listed.

SINGING. As 18 March.

DANCING. 1: A Pastoral Dance by Asselin, &c. By particular desire a New Allemand by Slingsby and Mlle Lafond; 11: A Serious Ballet with a New Pasical by Fierville, &c.; End of Opera: A Grand Ballet with a Pas de Cinq by Slingsby, Mlle Grenier, Sga Crispi, Leppy, Mlle Lafond.

Wednesday 24 ACIS AND GALATEA, with Dryden's Ode. As 5 March.

MUSIC. 1: Concerto on Organ by Stanley.

COMMENT. By Command of their Majesties.

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A PASTICIO with Concertos, &c. As 19 March.

MUSIC. As 19 March.

COMMENT. Charges: £35.

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THE RESURRECTION. Singers As 26 Feb.

MUSIC. Concerto on Clarinet by Mahoon.

COMMENT. A Sacred Oratorio composed by Arnold.

Thursday 25 DL

VENICE PRESERV'D. As 21 Jan., but Jaffier - Reddish, first time. Also A PEEP BEHIND THE CURTAIN. As 9 March.

DANCING. V: Comic Dance by Daigville, and Mas. Holland, and Miss Armstrong,

ENTERTAINMENT. End of Dance: King, for second time, and by way of Epilogue will

deliver The Wishing Cap. [See 23 March.]

COMMENT. Benefit for Mr Reddish. Receipts: £162 19s. 6d. Charges: £67 18s.

Profits to Reddish: £95 1s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

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SHE STOOPS TO CONQUOR. As 15 March, but first mention of Prologue -Woodward; Epilogue - Mrs Bulkley. Also DAPHNE AND AMINTOR. As

16 March, but dance not listed.

COMMENT. Afterpiece: By Particular Desire. The fifth Night of the New Comedy is oblig'd, on account of the Benefits to be deferr's till Thursday the 1st of April. Receipts: £221 12s.

Friday 26 DL

SAMSON. Cast not listed. Parts were: Samson, Manoa, Micah, Israelite Officer; Chorus of Israelites, Dalila, Harapha, Chorus of Philistine Women and Priests of Dagon. Principal singers as 26 Feb.

