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Bradshaw; Fanny - Miss Pope. Also The Elopement. As 23 Sept., but Scaramouch - Keen.
Dancing. I: The Sailors Repels by Atkins, \&c.
comment. Venice Preserp'd deferr'd on account of Barry's illness. Paid half year's Cleansing \&c. to Lady Day last (St Martin's) £II; a Tow Bill ros. [This tow bill came to this amount monthly for nine months, amounting to $£ 4$ 1os. for the season. No further note will be taken of it this season.] Paid for Properties $£ 1$ 75. Iod. Receipts: £174 is. (Treasurer's Book).

Love in a Village. Woodcock - Shuter; Hawthorn - Reinhold; Young Meadows - Mattocks; Sir W. Meadows - Baker; Eustace - Dyer; Hodge - Dunstall; Deborah - Mrs Pitt; Margery - Mrs Baker; Lucinda - Mrs Mattocks; Rosetta a Young Lady (Pupil of Dr Arne) first appearance any stage [Miss Jameson]. With a Dance incidental to the opera. Also The Intriguing Chambermaid. Drunken Colonel - Woodward, first time in 4 years; Goodall - Dunstall; Oldcastle Quick; Lettice - Mrs Green. dancing. The Fingalian Dance and Double Hornpipe by Mas. Blurton and Miss Besford. [See 21 Sept. 1772.]

COMmENT. Doors open at so'clock. Play begins at 6 o'clock. [Young Lady identified by Kemble note on playbill and by Winston MS 10. Her identity appears from playbill of 13 Oct. where her name occurs in character of Rosetta along with the statement that it is her fourth appearance on any stage. She appears on the weekly payroll from the first week at 16 s . 6 d . per day (Account Book). The Westminster Magazine believed her to be no actress (October issue): "Her musical powers were not extraordinary; her acting powers still worse."] Receipts: $£ 206$ 145. (Account Book).

Tancred and Sigismunda. Tancred - Reddish; Siffredi - Jefferson; Osmond - Aickin; Rhodolpho - Ackman; Officers - Keen, Wrighten, Wright; Laura - Miss Sherry; Sigismunda - Mrs Barry. Also The Wedding Ring. Pandolfo - Bannister; Zerbino - Vernon; Henrico - Davies; Felicia - Mrs Smith; Lissetta - Mrs Wrighten.
DANCING. I: A New Comic Dance call'd the Mountaineers, Como and Sga Crespi, first appearance.
comment. Music of Afterpiece composed by Dibdin. Sigr Como and Sgna Crespi danc'd for first time very Indiff (Hopkins Diary). Paid Printer's Bill £ir; Copper plate Printing Bill $£ 32 \mathrm{~s}$. (Treasurer's Book). [The printing bill averaged $£ 96$ s. per week and came to $£ 34425$. No further itemization will be made of it this season.] Receipts: £195 is. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

## October 1773

Friday 1 [No Performance.]
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comment. [Tbe Westminster Magazine this month continues to develop its familiar theme that the English stage is in a state of decline, proven this time by reference to the influx of new dancers, pretty maids (who cannot act), dull plays which will admit of some pageantry. Yet the author praises Garrick for acting at DL so often himself this early in the season.]

CG Love in a Village. As 29 Sept. Also The Upholsterer. Razor Woodward; Pamphlet - Shuter; Quidnunc - Dunstall; Feeble - Bates; Harriet Mrs Baker; Termagant - Mrs Green.
dancing. II: Fingalian Dance and Double Hornpipe, as 29 Sept.
comment. Receipts: £isi ios. (Account Book).
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Every Man in His Humour. Kitely - Garrick; Young Knowell - J. Aickin; Wellbred - Jefferson; Cash - Brereton, first time; Bridget - Mrs Davies; Bobadil King; Justice Clement - Hartry; Cob - Moody; Mrs Kitely - Miss Younge; Brainworm - Baddeley; Downright - Bransby; Tib - Mrs Bradshaw; Mr Stephen Weston; Mr Matthew - W. Palmer; Old Knowell - Hurst. Also Polly Honeycomb. Mr Honeycomb - Parsons; Scribble - Dodd; Ledger - Bransby; Mrs Honeycomb - Mrs Johnston; Polly - Miss Pope; Nurse - Mrs Bradshaw.
dancing. End of Play: Tbe Mountaineers, as 30 Sept. Como and Sga Crespi, 2nd appearance.
comment. Paid 3 days Salary List at $£ 86$ iss. $6 d$. per diem $£ 260$ 6s. $6 d . ;$ Mr Bransby on note $£ 20 ; \mathrm{Sg}$ Como, Sga Crespi, and Sg Demaria 3 days each not on list, $£ 43 \mathrm{JJ}$. 3 d .; Mr J. French on Acct $£^{20} \mathbf{2 0} 2$ pair dancer's shoes 14 s . 6 d. (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: $£ 267$ 18s. (Treasurer's Book).

King Richard ill. Richard - Smith; King Henry - Kniveton; Richmond -
Clarke; Buckingham - Hull; Catesby - Davis; Ratcliff - Thompson; Prince Edward - Miss Besford; Duke of York - Mas. Jones; Lieut. - Fox; Ld Mayor Wignell; Stanley - Gardner; Tressel - Wroughton; Duchess of York - Mrs Ferguson; Lady Anne - Mrs Baker; Queen - Miss Miller. Also Midas. As 27 Sept.
comment. Receipts: £207 is. (Account Book).
The Grecian Daughter. Evander-Aickin; Philotas-Reddish; MelanthonPacker; Phocian - J. Aickin; Calippus - J. Bannister; Greek Officer - Davies; Dionysius - Palmer; Arcas - Hurst; Herald - Wright; Erixene - Miss Platt; Euphrasia - Mrs Barry. Also The Mayor of Garratt. Major SturgeonBannister; Jerry Sneak - Weston; Bruin - Wright; Lint - Castle; Heel-Tap Bransby; Sir Jacob Jollup - Waldron; Mrs Bruin - Miss Platt; Mrs Sneak - Miss Pope.
comment. Paid Mr Weston, short-paid first week, ios.; Housekeeper's 3 bills, $£ 30$ I6s. $6 d$.; Black Lyon 2 Bills $£ 3$ 19s. 3 d. (Treasurer's Book). [The Black Lyon was paid an average of $£_{2}^{2}$ ios. per week during the season, amounting to $£ 92$ 10s. No further mention will be made of this item.] Receipts: £177 175. $6 d$. (Treasurer's Book).

The Merchant of Venice. Shylock - Macklin; Antonio - Clarke; Bassanio - Wroughton; Gratiano - Dyer; Lorenzo (with Songs) - Mattocks; Duke - Thompson; Launcelot - Shuter; Jessica (with a song) - Miss Valois; Nerissa - Mrs Baker; Portia - Miss Macklin. Also Love a-La-Mode. Sir Callaghan - Shuter; Groom - Woodward; Goodchild - Dunstall; Mordecai Quick; Charlotte - Miss Macklin; Sir Archy - Macklin.
dancinc. II: Fingalian Dance and Double Hornpipe, as 29 Sept.; iv: The Irish Lilt, Aldridge and Miss Twist. [See 28 Oct. 1772.]
comment. Receipts: £206 1 ss. $6 d$. . (Account Book).
Every Man in His Humour. As 2 Oct. Also The Lyar. Old WildingBannister; Papilion - Parsons; Sir James Eliot - J. Aickin; Young Wilding - Palmer; Miss Godfrey - Miss Platt; Kitty - Mrs Millidge; Miss Grantham - Mrs Jefferson, first appearance on this stage.
DANCING. End of Play: The Mountaineers, as 30 Sept.
comment. Mainpiece by Command. Mrs Jefferson made her first appearance upon this Stage in Miss Grantham a Small figure not Handsome no Spirit \& not at all like the Character. Some applause (Hopkins Diary). [MacMillan's note from

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