Albumazar. Parts by King, Parsons, Palmer, Bannister (with song), Packer, Hurst, Wheeler, Miss Pope, Baddeley, Davies, Keen, Mrs Jefferson, Miss Platt, Mrs Abington. New Prologue by King; New Epilogue by Mrs Abington. [Albumazar - Palmer; Trincalo - King; Pandolfo - Parsons; Cricca - Baddeley; Lelio Davies; Eugenio - Wheeler; Antonio - Packer; Furbo - Bannister; Ronca - Hurst; Harpax - Keen; Sulpitia - Mrs Abington; Armelina - Miss Pope; Flavia - Mrs Jefferson; Bevilona - Miss Platt (Edition of i773).] Also The Wedding Ring. As 30 Sept.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 26 years. [See 13 April 1748.] Dressed in The Habits of the Times (playbill). This play is alterd by Mr G was well perform'd a New Prologue \& Epilogue all receiv'd with Applause (Hopkins Diary). [MacMillan's note from Kemble differs slightly in wording.] Paid Properties $£_{\mathrm{I}} \mathrm{I}$ is. ind.; Housekeeper's bill $£ 4$ i 3 s . Receipts: $£ \mathrm{i} 53$ izs. (Treasurer's Book).

The West Indian. As is Oct. Also Comus. As i6 Oct. comment. Paid Noble for an India Japan Screen £6 ros. Receipts: £.i46 16s. 6d. (Account Book).

The Suspicious Husband. Ranger - Garrick; Strictland - Jefferson, first time; Mrs Strictland - Mrs Jefferson, first time; Frankly - Aickin; Bellamy Packer; Jack Meggot - Dodd; Landlady - Mrs Bradshaw; Jacintha - Miss Younge; Clarinda - Miss Pope; Tester - Burton; Lucetta - Mrs Love; Milliner - Mrs Davies; Ranger's Servant - Ackman. To conclude with a Country Dance. Also The Elopement. As 14 Oct., but Pantaloon - Grimaldi.
comment. Very great Applause (Hopkins Diary). Pantomime for the last time this season. Receipts: $£ 252$ 19s. $6 d$. (Treasurer's Book).

The West Indian. As is Oct., but Louisa Dudley - Miss Brown, first time. Also Comus. As 16 Oct.
comment. Both pieces By Command of their Majesties. Present their Majesties. Gave Yeomen of Guards $£ 22$ s. Paid Mr Burton for playing in the Pippin and Sorcerer last season $£ 20$. Paid half year's Land Tax for theatre due Mich.
 for theatre half year $£ 6$ ios. $6 d$., and ditto for House in Bow Passage 1 ss. Receipts: $£ 224$ 18s. 6d. (Account Book).

Albumazar. As 19 Oct. Also The Pigmy Revels. As 25 Sept., but Daigville and Sga Vidini omitted from Dances.
comment. Paid Mr Cooke's 8 Boys in Alfred, 7 nights (i8th incl.) £i9 ios. Receipts: £103 14s. (Treasurer's Book).

Elfrida. Athelwold - Smith; Edgar - Bensley; Orgar - Clarke; Edwin - Hull; Albina - Miss Miller, first time; Elfrida - Mrs Hartley; Chorus of British Virgins: Mrs Thompson, Mrs Baker, Miss Twist, Miss Brown, Miss Valois, Miss Catley, \&c. Also Man and Wife. Marcourt - Woodward; Kitchen - Dunstall; Cross - Shuter; Mrs Cross - Mrs Green; Charlotte - Miss Valois; Landlady Mrs Gardner; Lettice - Mrs Kniveton; Sally - Miss Brown. dancing. End of Play : Nem Dance by Aldridge and Miss Capon. [See 14 Oct. and 6. Feb.]

COMMENT. Receipts: £io9 i6s. 6 d. (Account Book).
Rule a Wife and Have a Wife. Leon - Garrick; Duke - J. Aickin; Cacafoggo - Love; Juan - Packer; Sanchio - Hurst; Alonzo - Ackman; Copper Capt. - King; Margaretta - Miss Robinson, first time; Clara - Mrs Jefferson; Altea - Mrs Love; Old Woman - Mr Baddeley; Maid - Mr Waldron; Estifania Mrs Abington. Also The Padlock. As 16 Oct.

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 DLCG She Stoops to Conquor; or, The Mistakes of a Night. Hardcastle-Shuter; Tony - Quick; Marlow - Lewes; Hastings - DuBellamy; Sir Charles Marlow Gardner; Mrs Hardcastle - Mrs Green; Miss Neville - Mrs Kniveton; Miss Hardcastle - Miss Wilde, first time. Also The Commissary. Commissary Quick; Young Loveit - Davis; Simon - Fox; Isaac Fungus - Gardner; Mrs Loveil Mrs Pitt; Dolly - Miss Helme; Jenny - Miss Pearce; Mrs Mechlin - Mrs Gardner. dancing. End of Play: A New Dance. [See 21 Oct.]
comment. Tomorrow, not acted this season, Macbetb, with New Dresses and Decorations. Macbeth - Macklin, ist appearance in that character. Receipts: $£_{\mathrm{E} 23} \mathrm{I} 3 \mathrm{~s}$. 6d. (Account Book).

Saturday 23 DL
comment. Margaretta ist time by Mrs Robinson not perfect. very B. \& Disconcerted Mr G. very much (Hopkins Diary). [MacMillan's note from Kemble differs slightly in wording.] Receipts: $£ 239$ 17s. (Treasurer's Book).

Venice Preserv'd. Jaffier - Barry; Priuli - J. Aickin; Renault - Jefferson; Duke - Bransby; Bedamour - Packer; Spinoza - Wright; Elliot - Keen; Officer Ackman; Pierre - Aickin; Belvidera - Mrs Barry. Also The Pigmy Revels. As 21 Oct., but Wrighten omitted.
comment. Rec'd Stopages $£ 27$ 2s.; Paid Salary List $£ 522$ 18s. Receipts: $£ 152$ is. $6 d$. (Treasurer's Book).

Macbeth. Macbeth - Macklin, first time; Macduff - Clarke; Lenox - Hull; Malcolm - Wroughton; Banquo - Bensley; Duncan - Gardner; Seyton - Thompson; Hecate - Reinhold; Witches - Dunstall, Mrs Pitt, Quick; Vocal Parts: Mattocks, Reinhold, Mrs Thompson, DuBellamy, Baker, Fox, Mrs Baker, Mrs Lampe, Mrs Jones; Lady Macbeth - Mrs Hartley. Also Thomas and Sally. Squire - Mattocks; Sailor - DuBellamy; Dorcas - Mrs Thompson; Sally - Miss Brown, first time. With Hornpipe by Miss Twist.

COMmENT. Receipts: £200 75. 6d. (Account Book). Mainpieces: With New Dresses and Decorations. [The first of a series of five performances (the last, Merchant of Venice, 18 Nov.) which got Macklin dismissed from the theatre until 1775, when his lawsuit against six persons whom he claimed formed a conspiracy to hiss him from the stage and ruin his livlihood was concluded favorably for him. His performance of Macbeth was favorably treated but with certain misgivings in the Morning Cbronicle ( 25 Oct.), but he was mercilessly criticized in the London Eipening Post and St James Cbronicle: "In Act II, Sc. i, Shakespeare has made Macbeth murder Duncan; Now Mr Macklin, being determined to copy from no man, reversed this incident, and in the very first act, scene the second, murdered Macbetb." The favorable review (Morning Cbronicle) thought he did well in first and last acts, but gave way to stage rant and "vehemence of energetic expression" wanting any variation in tone in between. It also pointed out a certain faulty memory of his lines. His novel stage effects came in for a paragraph of comment: "The alterations in the jeux de theatre respecting the representation of this tragedy do Mr Macklin great credit. His change of the scenery is peculiarly characteristical. The Quadrangle of Macbeth's castle, and the door which is supposed to lead to Duncan's apartment (both of which are entirely new) are additions of consequence to the exhibition of the play. The door also through which Macbeth comes to the Weird Sisters, in the 4th act, is a better and more probable entrance than through the common stage portal. The dresses are new, elegant, and of a sort hitherto unknown to a London audience, but exceedingly proper. The Banquet was superbly set out, and it must be confessed that the managers seem to have spared neither cost nor assiduity to ornament and add to the effect of the representation." A favorable letter from a correspondent to the London Evening Post adds: "I must observe, Mr Printer, that from the graceful and characteristic manner in which Macbeth was introduced by the martial music and military procession, from the

