THE JEALOUS WIFE. Oakly – Bensley, first time; Major Oakly – Shuter; Charles – Wroughton; Lord Trinket – Lewis, first time; Russet – Dunstall; Sir Harry – Quick; O'Cutter – Fox; Tom – Hollingsworth; Paris – Wewitzer; John – Bates; Harriet – Mrs Mattocks; Lady Freelove – Mrs Pitt; Toilet – Miss Pearce; Mrs Oakly – A Lady, first appearance on English Stage [Mrs Hunter]. Also COMUS. As 19 Oct., but Sabrina – Miss Wilde; and 1st and 2nd Bacchanals specified as Reinhold and DuBellamy; Bacchants – Mrs Baker and others. DANCING. II: The Propencale, as 28 Sept.

Friday 21 CG

COMMENT. [Lady who played Mrs Oakly identified as Mrs Hunter by Hopkins MS Notes.]

ELECTRA. As 15 Oct. Also THE ELECTION. As 19 Oct. Also THE NOTE OF HAND. As 20 Sept.

Saturday 22 DL

COMMENT. With a New Overture for the Musical Interlude. Paid 6 days salary list at £94 10s. 2d. per diem, £557 1s.; J. French on acct £5 5s.; Rec'd Stopages £18 5s. Receipts: £145 17s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

KING RICHARD III. Richard - Lee; King Henry - Hull; Richmond - Clinch; Buckingham - Booth; Stanley - Fearon; Catesby - Davis; Ratcliff - Chaplin; Oxford - Baker; Prince Edward - Miss Besford; Duke of York - Mas. Jones; Tressel - Young; Duchess of York - Mrs Hull; Lady Ann - Miss Macklin; Queen - Mrs Melmoth, being their first appearance in those characters. Also DAPHNE AND AMINTOR. As 20 Oct.

COMMENT. [The 1st appearance note seems to apply only to Miss Macklin and Mrs Melmoth.] The Characters dressed in the Habits of the Times.

THE ALCHYMIST. Subtle – J. Aickin; Face – Palmer; Ananias – Parsons; Sir Epicure – Bransby; Surly – Baddeley; Tribulation – Waldron; Dapper – Lamash; Abel Drugger – Garrick; Kastrill – Burton; Lovewit – Packer; Dol Common – Mrs Hopkins; Dame Pliant – Mrs Johnston; The Mob by Griffiths, Wright, Carpenter, Keen, &c. Also THE DESERTER. As 17 Oct.

DANCING. II: The Irish Fair, as 17 Sept.

COMMENT. Afterpiece: By Desire. Paid 2 extra Flutes 2 nights (21st incl.) £1; Mr King (glassman) £9 15s. Receipts: £247 7s. (Treasurer's Book).

KING HENRY II; or, The Fall of Rosamond. King Henry – Bensley, first time; Clifford – Hull; Prince Henry – Wroughton; Salisbury - Booth; Leicester – Fearon; Verulam – Thompson; Abbot – Clarke; Queen Eleanor – Mrs Melmoth, first time; Ethelinda – Miss Pearce; Rosamond – the Lady who performed Mrs Oakly [Mrs Hunter]. Also The Sylphs. As 26 Sept.

COMMENT. Afterpiece: For the last time this season.

THE DRUMMER. As 17 Sept. Also THE MEETING OF THE COMPANY. As 4 Oct., By Particular Desire. Also THE ELECTION. As 19 Oct., For the Fourth Time. Also THE GENII. As 14 Oct.

Tuesday 25 DL

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COMMENT. Jane Shore deferr'd. Mrs Yates Ill. Receipts: £124 19s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS. As 19 Oct., but Sealand - Clarke. Also COMUS. CG
As 21 Oct.

DANCING. III: The Vintage Festival, as 7 Oct.

THE GAMESTERS. Wilding – King; Hazard – Reddish; Barnacle – Parsons; Nephew – Dodd; Dwindle – Waldron; Acreless – Wheeler; Littlestock – Fawcett; Sellaway – Keen; Box-Keeper – Wright; Drawer – Griffiths; Page – Master Blanchard; Mrs Wilding – Miss Younge; Penelope – Mrs Abington. Also THE ELECTION. As 19 Oct. Also THE ELOPEMENT. As 4 Oct. COMMENT. Receipts: £106 125. (Treasurer's Book).

Wednesday 26

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Wednesday 26 PHILASTER. As 20 Oct. Also NO ONE'S ENEMY BUT HIS OWN. The Characters by: Woodward, Shuter, Hull, Wroughton, Booth, Lee Lewes, Quick, Cushing, Mrs Lesingham, Miss Barsanti.

DANCING. II: The Provencale, as 28 Sept.; III: The Merry Sailors by Aldridge, &c. [see 7 Oct. 1773]; End of Play: The Vintage Festival, as 7 Oct.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Desire. Afterpiece: A reviv'd Farce of two acts. [See 9 Jan. 1764.] [Hereafter Lewes' name appears as Lee Lewes in the bills, apparently so he would not be confused with Lewis. Earlier (1769) his name appears in the Account Books as Le-Lewes seemingly to avoid confusion with another Lewis in the company at the time.]

Thursday 27 DL OROONOKO. Aboan - Palmer; Governor - Usher; Stanmore - Davies; Hotman - Hurst; Blandford - Jefferson; Capt. Driver - Bransby; Imoinda - Miss Younge; Oroonoko - by the Young Gentleman who Performed Alexander; Planters - Wright, Griffiths, Carpenter, Blanchard, Mrs Bradshaw, &c. Slaves by Keen, Wheeler, Wrighten, Norris, &c. In Act 1, a Dance of Slaves, by Atkins, Como, Giorgi, &c. Also The Election. As 19 Oct. Also The Elopement. As 4 Oct., but Harlequin - Wright; Clown - Carpenter.

COMMENT. Mr Lacy appear'd for the 1st time in Oromoko very tolerable he met with applause (Hopkins Diary). Rec'd of Mr Reddish on Acct £100. Receipts:

£164 13s. (Treasurer's Book).

THE BUSY BODY. Marplot - Woodward; Sir George - Lewis; Charles - Wroughton; Sir Jealous - Dunstall; Sir Francis - Shuter; Whisper - Cushing; Scentwell - Miss Pearce; Isabinda - Mrs Lessingham; Patch - Mrs Pitt; Miranda - Miss Macklin. To Conclude with Marplot's Address to the Town. Also THE GOLDEN PIPPIN. As 15 Oct., but Venus - Miss Brown (playbill); Venus - Mrs Mattocks (Public Advertiser).

DANCING. After the Address: The Vintage Festival, as 7 Oct. (playbill). The Merry Sailors, by Aldridge, &c. (Public Advertiser).

Friday 28 DL MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING. Benedick – Garrick; Leonato – Jefferson, first time; Borachio – Usher; Verges – Carpenter; Conrade – Griffiths; Don Pedro – Packer; Claudio – Cautherly; Balthazar (with song) – Vernon; Don John – J. Aickin; Antonio – Hurst; Dogberry – Parsons; Friar – Wright; Town Clerk – Baddeley; Hero – Mrs Baddeley; Beatrice – Miss Pope; Margaret – Mrs Bradshaw; Ursula – Mrs Millidge. In Act II a Masquerade Dance, proper to the play. To conclude with a Country Dance. Also The Note of Hand. As 20 Sept.

COMMENT. Paid Mrs Chitty (coal merchant) £90. Receipts: £242 111. 6d.

(Treasurer's Book).

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. As 5 Oct. [but Macheath now specified as Young in his third appearance in that character]. Also No One's ENEMY BUT HIS OWN. As 26 Oct.

DANCING. II: The Reel by Aldridge, Miss Valois and Miss Besford. [See 30 Oct. 1771.]

Saturday 29 DL KING RICHARD III. As 22 Sept., but King Henry – Reddish; Lord Mayor – Griffiths; Lady Anne – Mrs Greville. Also THE ELECTION. As 19 Oct. Also THE ELOPEMENT. As 27 Oct.

COMMENT. Rec'd Stopages £18 31.; Paid salary list £567 61.; Mr Vascour and Wife, 3 days not on list £1 51.; Mrs Hartle, 12 days not on list £2; J. French on account £5 51. Receipts: £104 11. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

CG KING RICHARD III. As 22 Oct., but King Henry - Clarke; Buckingham - Hull; add Norfolk - Whitefield. Oxford omitted. Also THE GOLDEN PIPPIN. As 27 Oct., with Venus - Miss Brown.

