Thursday 14 DL ENTERTAINMENT. End of Play: King will (for the last time) deliver his Comic Paraphrase on Shakespeare's Seven Ages.

DANCING. End of Entertainment: The Irish Fair, as 3 Oct. 1775.

COMMENT. Benefit for Smith. Mr Lacy play'd Cyrus. Spoke too Low and wanted Spirit. Was receiv'd with Applause (Hopkins Diary). [MacMillan's note from Kemble differs slightly.] Tickets delivered for Siege of Damascus, for that night, will be taken. The Bill for establishing a Fund for Decayed Actors of DL Theatre has passed the House of Lords (Winston MS 11). Receipts: £134 191. Charges: £67 71. 6d. Profits to Smith: £67 111. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

CG THE DUENNA. As 16 Dec. 1775. Also CATHERINE AND PETRUCHIO. As 17 Feb.

DANCING. End of Opera: The Merry Sailors by Aldridge &c. [See 20 Oct. 1774.]

King's

LE ALI D'AMORE. As 29 Feb.

DANCING. As 29 Feb., Le Deux Soeurs, Ballet Pastoral, and Pigmalion as 7 March.

COMMENT. Benefit for Trebbi. By Particular Desire.

Friday 15

DL

ALEXANDER'S FEAST AND CORONATION ANTHEMS. As I March.

MUSIC. End Part 1: Concerto on Organ by Stanley.

COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties. Rec'd Stoppages £1 1s. (Treasurer's Book).

CG CONCERTO SPIRITUALE. As 6 March.

COMMENT. [Identical program except a Solo on the Pedal Harp in place of Concerto on German Flute. Mr Jones was the harpist.] This program By Particular Desire.

THE RUNAWAY. As 9 March, but Morely – Aickin; Sir Charles – Davies. Also DL

THE SPLEEN. As 7 March, but Merton – Farren.

COMMENT. The Runaway published. Paid salary list £416 4s. 4d.; Thomson (smith) £4 14s. 6d.; Buzaglio (smith) £11 7s. 6d.; Jennings (glover) £10 4s. 6d.; Racket (taylor) £37 17s. 6d.; Mist (ironmonger) £18 19s.; Carter (scowerer) £12 16s. (Treasurer's Book). House (Hopkins Diary). Receipts: £248 1s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book).

DOUGLAS. As 15 Jan. Also COMUS. Comus – Webster (with Songs in character and One New Composed by Dr Arne); Spirit – L'Estrange; Brothers – Thompson and Young; Bacchanals and Bacchants – Reinhold, Miss Dayes, DuBellamy, Baker, Miss Ambrose, &c.; The Song of Sweet Echo – Mrs Mattocks; Bacchant and Euphrosyne – Mrs Farrell, first appearance in that character; Pastoral Nymph and Sabrina – Miss Weller; Lady – Mrs Barry, first time.

COMMENT. Benefit for Barry. Part of Pit laid into Boxes. [Send servants by 4 o'clock and come early to avoid confusion and trouble in getting to seats.]

King's L'ISOLA D'AMORE. As 12 March.

DANCING. 1: as 3 Feb., Les Deux Soeurs; II: Le Fete du Village, as 24 Feb.; End of Opera: Astolphe, as 12 March.

Monday 18

ALL FOR LOVE. Anthony – Smith; Dolabella – Brereton; Ventidius – Palmer; Alexas – Whitfield; Serapion – Bransby; Myris – Wrighten; Romans – Griffith, Norris, &c.; Cleopatra – Miss Younge; Octavia – Mrs Yates, first time; Iras – Miss Platt; Charmion – Mrs Johnston. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS. Lovel – Lamash; Sir Harry's Servt – Dodd; Philip – Baddeley; Freeman – Fawcett; Robert – Griffiths; Tom – Kear; Lord Duke – Palmer; Lady Charlotte – Mrs

