

- Tuesday 8*
DL NEW BROOMS! As 21 Sept. Also VENICE PRESERV'D. Jaffier - Reddish; Priuli - Aickin; Renault - Jefferson; Duke - Bransby; Bedamor - Packer; Spinosa - Wright; Elliot - Wrihten; Officer - Griffiths; Pierre - Bensley // Belvidera - Miss Younge. Also THE ELOPEMENT. As 1 Oct.
COMMENT. Receipts: £118 16s.
- CG VENICE PRESERV'D. Jaffier - Barry; Priuli - Hull; Renault - Clarke; Duke - Mahon; Bedamar - Whitefield; Spinosa - L'Estrange; Elliot - Fearon; Officer - Booth; Pierre - Aickin // Belvidera - Mrs Barry. Also COMUS. As 7 Oct.
COMMENT. Account-Book, 31 Oct.: Paid Miss Catley for 5 nights performance £136 10s. Receipts: £242 15s. 6d. (241/2/6; 1/13/0).
- Wednesday 9*
DL NEW BROOMS! As 21 Sept. Also AS YOU LIKE IT. Touchstone - King; Orlando - Reddish; Jaques - Jefferson; Duke Senior - Hurst; Duke Frederick - Bransby; Oliver - Packer; Amiens (with songs) - Vernon; Corin - Waldron; LeBeau - Everard; Silvius - R. Palmer; William - Messink; Adam - Moody // Caelia (with the *Cuckoo Song*) - Mrs Baddeley; Phoebe - Mrs Davies; Audrey - Mrs Bradshaw; Rosalind - Miss Younge. Also BON TON; or, High Life above Stairs. Sir John Trotley - King; Colonel Tivy - Brereton; Davy - Parsons; Jessamy - Lamash; Mignon - Burton; Lord Minikin - Dodd // Miss Tittup - Mrs Davies; Lady Minikin - Miss Pope.
DANCING. End of Act I of mainpiece *The Grand Garland Dance* by Giorgi, Sga Crespi, Slingsby.
SINGING. In Act V of mainpiece a *song* by Mrs Scott.
COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties.
Mrs Davies Miss Tittup—La! La! King sent a letter to Sheridan desiring to be off his Engagement—all made up at night. Mattocks came and told me that Lacy had sold Half his Share of the Patent to Mr Langford (The Auctioneer) and Captain Thomson (*Autbour of the Syrens &c.*). I acquainted Sheridan of it—he had not heard it before (Hopkins Diary). Receipts: £267 6s.
- CG LOVE IN A VILLAGE. Justice Woodcock - Wilson; Hawthorn - Reinhold; Young Meadows - Mattocks; Sir William Meadows - Fearon; Eustace - Mahon; Hodge - Dunstall // Deborah - Mrs Pitt; Margery - Miss Dayes; Lucinda - Mrs Mattocks; Rosetta - Miss Catley (1st appearance in that character these 2 years). Also MISS IN HER TEENS. As 30 Sept., but Captain Loveit - Booth.
DANCING. End of Act II of mainpiece *The Pilgrim* by Harris and Miss Matthews.
COMMENT. Receipts: £184 18s. (184/9; 0/9).
- CHR THE MINOR. The Minor - Raymond; Sir William Wealthy - Lloyd; Mr Richard Wealthy - Lewis; Loader - Comerford; Dick - Master Russell; Transfer - Marson; Smirk, Shift and Mrs Cole - Russell // Lucy - Miss Taylor. Also THE LIFE AND DEATH OF TOM THUMB THE GREAT. Tom Thumb - Master Russell; King Arthur - Comerford; Lord Grizzle - Massey; Noodle - Russell; Doodle - Johnson; Bailiff - Dancer; Follower - Thomas // Glumdalca (Queen of the Giants) - Mr Smith; Queen Dollalolla - Mrs Ross; Princess Huncamunca - Mrs Wilks; Mustacha (a Maid of Honour) - Miss Taylor; Cleora - Mrs West.
MONOLOGUES. Preceding the mainpiece *Prologue* [to BARBAROSSA] in the character of a Country Boy, containing an account of his Journey to London, his different Services there, first in the City, next with a Lord, then with a Lady, and last of all with a starved Poet, by Master Russell; End of Act I a Scene from LETHE. Fine Gentleman - Master Russell; End of Act II an *Harangue in a Tub*, after the manner of the celebrated George Alexander Stevens, by Master Russell; End of mainpiece *The Drunken Buck* by Raymond.

COMMENT. Benefit for Master Russell. Tickets to be had of Master Russell at the Swan, Elephant stairs. Afterpiece: Written by Henry Fielding, Esq. In Act I the Triumphal Entry of Tom Thumb, attended with Giants, Giantess's, Dwarfs, Pigmies, Drums, Trumpets, &c. Wednesday 9
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NEW BROOMS! As 21 Sept. Also BRAGANZA. Duke of Braganza – Reddish; Almada – Aickin; Ribiro – Palmer; Mendoza – Brereton; Lemos – Farren; Corea – Hurst; Roderic – Wright; Mello – R. Palmer; Pizarro – Davies; Ramirez – Packer; Antonio – Wrihten; Ferdinand – Griffiths; Velasquez – Smith // Ines – Mrs Johnston; Dutchess of Braganza – Mrs Yates. Also THE RIVAL CANDIDATES. Byron – Davies; Sir Harry Muff – Dodd; General Worry – Parsons; Spy – Baddeley; 1st Gardener – Bannister; Gardeners – Fawcett, Kear // Jenny – Mrs Wrihten; Narcissa – Mrs Baddeley. Thursday 10
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COMMENT. Paid Lampmen £3 18s.; Tailors £11 2s. 10d.; Mantua Makers £3 14s. 6d.; Carpenters £16 15s. 6d.; Printer [of playbills] £19 5s. 6d.

The Hypocrite and Christmas Tale in three Acts was advertised for to-morrow. This Morning at Rehearsal Lacy came and told Sheridan that he could not be off from his Agreement with Mr Langford and Captain Thomson. Sheridan told him, if he did agree, that he would withdraw himself from the Management of the Theatre—accordingly at eight this Evening he sent me with a Letter to Lacy confirming what he told him, and ordered me to receive my orders from Mr L—and that he withdrew the Christmas Tale, as he had altered, for a Farce, it was his Property. This put us all into confusion—Sent to Mrs Abington to know if she would play in the Hypocrite, as it was advertised—Her answer was, that she had made her Agreement with Sheridan only, and would play under no other Manager. About twelve at night we got Richard the third settled, and sent Bills accordingly (Hopkins Diary). [For further remarks concerning this situation see 15 Oct.] Receipts: £173 6s.

LOVE IN A VILLAGE. As 9 Oct. Also CATHERINE AND PETRUCHIO. Petruchio – Woodward; Baptista – Thompson; Hortensio – Davis; Taylor – Jones; Music Master – Fox; Biondello – Cushing; Pedro – Wewitzer; Grumio – Quick // Bianca – Mrs Poussin; Curtis – Mrs White; Catherine – Mrs Green. Friday 11
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DANCING. As 9 Oct.

COMMENT. Receipts: £212 12s. (211/18/6; 0/13/6).

THE LONDON MERCHANT; or, The History of George Barnwell. George Barnwell – Russell; Thoroughgood – Lewis; Trueman – Johnson; Blunt – Smith; Constable – Dancer; Uncle – Comerford // Millwood – Mrs Russell; Lucy – Miss Taylor; Maria – Mrs Wilks. Also THE LIFE AND DEATH OF TOM THUMB THE GREAT. As 9 Oct., but Lord Grizzle – Saul; omitted: Cleora. CHR

KING RICHARD III. King Richard – Smith; Richmond – Palmer; Buckingham – Jefferson; Tressel – Davies; Lord Stanley – Bransby; Norfolk – Hurst; Catesby – Packer; Prince Edward – Miss P. Hopkins; Duke of York – Master Pulley; Lord Mayor – Griffiths; Ratcliffe – Wright; Lieutenant – Fawcett; King Henry – Reddish // Lady Anne – Mrs Greville; Dutchess of York – Mrs Johnston; Queen – Mrs Hopkins. Also THE ELOPEMENT. As 1 Oct. Saturday 12
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COMMENT. The Provoked Husband and Rival Candidates was given out for Tuesday. On Sunday Morning Mrs Yates sent word she was ill and could not play—sent to Miss Younge, and she sent word that she was ill in bed—King sent word he had a sore Throat, and could not play—so that we could do no Play but the Committee and Rival Candidates. On Monday the Managers met, but nothing was settled. At twelve o'clock Mrs Baddeley sent word she had a sore Throat, and could not play in the Riv[al] Can[didates] (Hopkins Diary).

THE HYPOCRITE and THE CHRISTMAS TALE are obliged to be deferred.