Friday 27 CG would accept of Wewitzer in the character" (*Morning Chronicle*, 28 Dec.). The playbill also adds Wewitzer as the Gardener; this part was perhaps omitted.] Paid Enderby, Oil Merchant, £258 175. Receipts: £245 185. (244/15; 1/3).

Saturday 28 DL OLD CITY MANNERS. Quicksilver - Dodd; Golding - Brereton; Sir Petronal Flash (1st time) - Farren; Security - Parsons; Captain Seagull (with a song) - Bannister; Fig - Norris; Bramble - Hurst; Scapethrift - Fawcett; Spendall - Follett; Wolf - Wrighten; Waterman - Wright; Holdfast - Griffiths; Constable - Carpenter; Drawer - R. Palmer; Coachman - Chaplin; Touchstone - Baddeley // Mildred - Miss Hopkins; Winifred - Miss Boyd; Mrs Touchstone - Mrs Johnston; Syndefy - Miss Platt; Gertrude (with songs) - Mrs Wrighten. Also Selima And Azor. As 5 Dec.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Altered [by Charlotte Lennox] from [EASTWARD HOE, by] Ben Johnson, and others [George Chapman and John Marston]. Receipts: £,128 75. 6d. (100/11/0; 23/8/0; 4/8/6).

CG

THE DUENNA. As 13 Nov. Also THE COUNTRY WIFE. As 21 Dec. DANCING. As 20 Nov. COMMENT. Receipts: £262 18s. 6d. (262/7/6; 0/11/0).

Monday 30 DL MACBETH. As 25 Nov. Also SELIMA AND AZOR. As 5 Dec. singing. As 26 Dec.

COMMENT. SEMIRAMIS [announced on playbill of 28 Dec.] is obliged to be deferred on Account of Mrs Yates' illness. Receipts: £130 51. (107/7/0; 21/7/6; 1/10/6).

CG

THE TEMPEST. As 27 Dec., but Stephano – Woodward. Also HARLEQUIN'S FROLICKS. As 26 Dec., but Host (with a song) – Booth; Pierrot – Wewitzer; omitted: Maid.

DANCING. As 26 Dec.

COMMENT. Receipts: £224 13s. (223/10/6; 1/2/6).

Tuesday 31 DL THE WAY OF THE WORLD. Mirabell – Smith; Fainall – Reddish; Sir Wilful Witwou'd – Yates; Petulant – Baddeley; Waitwell – Parsons; Coachman – Griffiths; Messenger – Nash; Servants – Carpenter, Everard; Witwou'd – King // Lady Wishfor't – Mrs Hopkins; Marwood – Miss Sherry; Foible – Miss Pope; Mrs Fainall – Mrs Greville; Mincing – Miss Platt; Betty – Mrs Smith; Peg – Mrs W. Palmer; Millamant – Mrs Abington. Also Selima and Azor. As 5 Dec. COMMENT. Receipts: £167 131. (144/4; 22/15; 0/14).

CG THE TEMPEST. As 27 Dec. Also HARLEQUIN'S FROLICKS. As 30 Dec. DANCING. As 26 Dec.

COMMENT. Reinhold being seized with a severe Hoarseness, CARACTACUS [announced on playbill of 30 Dec.] is obliged to be deferred. Receipts: £159 9s. 6d. (158/7/6; 1/2/0).

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DL

HAMLET. As 23 Oct. 1776. Also HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. Harlequin –
Wright; Mercury – Davies; Snip – Parsons; Simon – Moody; Gasconade – Baddeley;
Corporal Bounce – Bransby; Abram – Waldron; Forge – Griffiths; Bogg – Messink;
Taffy – Burton; Crib – Everard; Jailor – Carpenter; Turnkey – R. Palmer; Justices –
Wrighten, Follett, Norris, Nash, Marr; Falstaff – Gaudry; Slender – Baker // Old

