and Combats; their Division into Flints and Dungs, with the Defection of the Dungs at the Pass of the Butcher-Row, and total Overthrow of the Flints at the Famous Battle of Temple-Bar; together with the Captivity and Fatal End of their Valiant Leader.

Wednesday 28

THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL. As 20 May. Also ST HELENA. As 28 May. COMMENT. Receipts: £235 15s. 6d. (228/9/0; 7/2/6; 0/4/0).

Thursday 29

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A WORD TO THE WISE. As 13 May, but Capt. Dormer - Powell (from the Theatre Royal, Edinburgh; 1st appearance in London) // Miss Dormer - Mrs Mattocks (1st appearance in that character). Also THE DEUCE IS IN HIM. Colonel Tamper - Wroughton; Major Belford - Whitefield; Prattle - Lee Lewes // Bell - Mrs Bulkley; Mademoiselle Florival - Mrs Lessingham; Emily - Mrs Mattocks. A New occasional Prologue (written by Dr Johnson) spoken by Hull. A New occasional Epilogue [author unknown] spoken by Mrs Bulkley. SINGING and MUSIC. End of Act 1 of mainpiece a new cantata, Diana, sung by

COMMENT. [Extra night] Benefit for the Widow and Children of the late [Hugh] Kelly. Tickets delivered for a Comedy, May 28th, will be admitted. Morning Chronicle, 10 May: Tickets to be had of Mrs Kelly, No. 3, Racquet Court, Fleet-street. Receipts: £108 16s. (52/1; tickets: 56/15) (charge: £52 1s.).

Mrs Farrell; End of Epilogue concerto on the violin by Fisher.

THE TEMPEST. As 25 Apr., but Gonzalez - Grist. Also THE IRISH WIDOW. As 14 Dec. 1776.

Friday 30

DANCING. In Act IV of mainpiece The Triumph of Love, as 7 Nov. 1776; End of Act I of afterpiece The Irish Fair, as 31 Oct. 1776.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mortimer, Tomlinson, Carleton Sen. & Walton. Tickets delivered by Page, Barthrope and Whittey will be admitted. Receipts: £235 45. (20/1; 3/18; 0/0; tickets: 211/5) (charge: £84).

THE NABOB. Principal Parts by Foote, Parsons, Fearon, Massey, R. Palmer, Griffiths, Jackson, Bransby, Egan, T. Davis, Stevens, Peirce, Palmer // Mrs Hunter, Miss Hale, Mrs W. Palmer, Mrs Gardner. [Morning Chronicle, 3 June: Sir Matthew Mite - Foote; Mr Mayor - Palmer. Edition of 1778 (T. Cadell), which assigns the cast for season of 1772, lists the other parts: Sir John Oldham, Mr Thomas Oldham, Young Oldham, Touchit, Antiquarians, Secretary, Rapine, Nathan, Moses, James and Putty, Conserve, Waiter // Lady Oldham, Sophy, Mrs Match'em, Crocus.] Prologue as 15 May. Also LILLIPUT. As 15 May.

THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL. As 20 May. Also THE PADLOCK. As Saturday 31 8 Jan., but Mungo - Holcroft. DL COMMENT. Receipts: £183 13s. (175/13/0; 6/19/6; 1/0/6).

ORIONE. As 24 May.

DANCING. End of Act 1 New Serious Ballet, as 12 Apr.; End of Act 11 La Clochette, as 15 Mar., but omitted: Vallouy; End of Opera Serious Ballet, as 24 May. COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties.

King's

June 1777

A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. As 29 Apr., but Col. Feignwell - Barrett Monday 2 (1st appearance in that character); Simon Pure - Holcroft; Perriwinkle - Waldron. Also THE WATERMAN. As 14 May. DANCING. As 28 Nov. 1776.

COMMENT. Benefit for Watson, Silvester, Kaygill & Wilson. Receipts: £200 9s. 6d. (12/11/0; 3/13/6; 0/0/0; tickets: 184/5/0) (charge: £84).

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Monday 2 THE TAILORS. As 28 May, but Mrs W. Palmer in place of Mrs Poussin. Prologue
HAY as 15 May. Also LILLIPUT. As 15 May.

Tuesday 3 THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL. As 20 May. Also THE DESERTER. As DL 15 May.

COMMENT. Receipts: £188 125. 6d. (181/2/0; 6/18/0; 0/12/6).

King's I CAPRICCI DEL SESSO. As 20 May.

DANCING. End of Act 1 La Force de l'Amour, as 14 Dec. 1776; End of Act 11 New Serious Ballet, as 12 Apr.; End of Opera La Clochette, as 31 May.

Wednesday 4

THE FAIR QUAKER. As 9 Nov. 1776, but Sir Charles Pleasant – R. Palmer.

Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As 19 May.

DANCING and SINGING. Grand Naval Review as 9 Nov. 1776, but Gaudry in place of Fawcett; End of Act 11 of mainpiece Comic Dance, as 17 Dec. 1776.

COMMENT. Benefit for Wood, Percey, Robinson & Cameron. Tickets delivered by Hodges and Dale will be taken. Receipts: £224 9s. (11/5; 2/10; 0/0; tickets: 210/14) (charge: £84).

The School for Scandal. As 20 May. Also Miss in her Teens. DL As 13 May.

COMMENT. Receipts: £164 185. 6d. (157/8/0; 7/10/6; 0/0/0).

GEORGE BARNWELL. George Barnwell - Vincent (1st appearance in that character); Thorowgood - Hurst; Trueman - Davies; Uncle - Wrighten; Blunt - Burton // Maria - Miss Hopkins; Lucy - Mrs Davies; Millwood - Mrs Greville (1st appearance in that character). Also THE MAYOR OF GARRATT. As 28 Sept. 1776, but Baker's name listed in playbill; Heeltap - Griffiths.

DANCING. As 14 Dec. 1776.

SINGING. In Act 1 of mainpiece a song by Miss Abrams.

COMMENT. Benefit for Berrisford, Carleton Jun., Shade & Edleston. Receipts:
£227 5s. 6d. (25/17/0; 3/10/6; 0/0/0; tickets: 197/18/0) (charge: £84).

THE DEVIL UPON TWO STICKS. Principal Parts by Foote, Jackson, R. Palmer, Fearon, Griffiths, Egan, Massey, T. Davis, Kenny, Hitchcock, Walker, Parsons // Mrs Jewell, Mrs Gardner. [Cast adjusted from text (T. Cadell, 1778), and playbill of 13 Aug. 1779: Devil – Foote (1st two acts; 3rd act read by Palmer); Apozem – Jackson; Invoice – R. Palmer; Camphire – Fearon; Julep – Griffiths; Sligo – Egan; Sir Thomas Maxwell – Massey; Osasafras – T. Davis; Fingerfee – Kenny; Broadbrim – Hitchcock; Macpherson – Walker; Dr. Last – Parsons // Harriet – Mrs Jewell; Margaret – Mrs Gardner.] Prologue as 15 May. Also LILLIPUT. As 15 May.

COMMENT. Morning Chronicle, 7 June: Foote caught cold on Wednesday last . . . Unwilling to disappoint the public [last night] he determined to play his part in The Devil upon Two Sticks, but, after he had ended the second act, was so much worse that he was obliged to retire . . . An apology was made to the audience, and Palmer undertook to read the remainder of Foote's part.

THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL. As 20 May. Also THE PADLOCK. As 31 May.

COMMENT. The last time of the Company's performing this Season. Receipts:
£185 Is. (175/12; 9/9; 0/0).

King's ORIONE. As 24 May.

DANCING. End of Act I New Serious Ballet, as 12 Apr.; End of Act II Les Amans
Heureux, as 4 Jan.; End of Opera Serious Ballet, as 24 May.

