

KING LEAR. King Lear – Digges; Gloster – Hull; Bastard – Aickin; Kent – Clarke; Albany – L'Estrange; Cornwall – Thompson; Gentleman Usher – Brunson; Burgundy – Robson; Edgar – Lewis // Goneril (1st time) – Miss Platt; Regan – Miss Ambrose; Arante – Miss Green; Cordelia – Miss Younge (of DL). Also **POOR VULCAN!** Characters by Quick, Mattocks, Reinhold, Robson, Leoni // Mrs Morton, Miss Brown. [Cast from text (G. Kearsly, 1778): Vulcan *and* Crump – Quick; Jupiter *and* Stud – Mattocks; Mars *and* Pike – Reinhold; Apollo *and* Wiseman – Robson; Adonis *and* Joe – Leoni // Grace – Miss Dayes [i.e. later Mrs Morton]; Venus *and* Maudlin – Miss Brown [all the characters, except Grace, are alternately Gods and mortals].]

COMMENT. Books of the Burletta to be had at the Theatre.

THE SECOND PART OF KING HENRY THE FOURTH. Falstaff – Henderson; King Henry – Bensley; Prince of Wales – Palmer; Chief Justice – Aickin; Archbishop of York – Packer; Prince John – Lamash; Gloster – Mrs Colles; Clarence – Miss Collett; Westmoreland – Farren; Mowbray – Hurst; Hastings – Wrihten; Justice Silence – Parsons; Pistol – Baddeley; Pains – R. Palmer; Bardolph – Wright; Davy – Waldron; Page – Master Pulley; Justice Shallow – Yates // Hostess – Mrs Bradshaw; Doll Tearsheet – Mrs Davies. Also **THE PADLOCK.** Leander – Vernon; Don Diego – Bannister; Mungo – Quick (of CG) // Ursula – Mrs Love; Leonora – Miss Brown (of CG).

DANCING. End of Act IV of mainpiece *The Irish Fair* by the Miss Stageldoirs, &c.

COMMENT. Receipts: £157 4s. 6d. (122/18/0; 34/6/6; 0/0/0).

THE WIVES REVENGED. As 18 Sept. Also **THE PROVOK'D HUSBAND.** Lord Townly – Digges; Manly – Clarke; Squire Richard – Wewitzer; J. Moody – Dunstall; Count Basset – Lee Lewes; Sir F. Wronghead (1st time) – Wilson // Lady Grace – Mrs Lessingham; Lady Wronghead – Mrs Pitt; Miss Jenny (with a *song*) – Mrs Wilson; Lady Townly – Miss Farren. Also **ROSE AND COLIN.** As 18 Sept.

DANCING. As 25 Sept.

October 1778

THE BATTLE OF HASTINGS. Edgar Atheling – Henderson; Earl Edwin – Palmer; Earl Waltheof – Brereton; Earl of Northumberland – Aickin; Earl of Mercia – Norris; Siffric – R. Palmer; Raymond – Wrihten; Reginald – Chaplin; Duncan – Chambers; Harold – Bensley // Matilda – Miss Younge; Sabina – Mrs Colles; Edwina – Mrs Yates. Also **HARLEQUIN'S INVASION.** Harlequin – Wright; Mercury – Davies; Snip – Parsons; Simon – Moody; Gasconade – Baddeley; Corporal Bounce – Carpenter; Abram – Waldron; Justice – Wrihten; Forge – Griffiths; Bogg – Holcroft; Taffy – Burton // Old Woman – Mr Davies [i.e. doubled Mercury]; Mrs Snip – Mrs Bradshaw; Sukey Chitterlin – Mrs Davies; Dolly Snip – Miss Pope.

COMMENT. Account-Book, 22 Sept.: Paid Renters' Interest £8 [this paid daily]. Receipts: £158 2s. (129/17; 26/16; 1/9).

ANNETTE AND LUBIN. Characters by Mrs Farrell, Wilson, Fearon // Miss Brown. [Cast from text (G. Kearsly, 1778): Lubin – Mrs Farrell; Bailiff – Wilson; Lord of the Manor – Fearon // Annette – Miss Brown.] Also **THE BUSY BODY.** Marplot – Lewis; Sir George Airy – Wroughton; Charles – Whitfield; Sir Jealous