SINGING. End of Act I of mainpiece The Early Horn; End of Act I of afterpiece The Tuesday 9 Lamentation of Mary Queen of Scots; End of Act II Auld Robin Grey, all three sung CG by Mrs Kennedy.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Kennedy. Tickets delivered for ARTAXERXES will be taken. Public Advertiser, 6 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Mrs Kennedy at her house in Great Queen-street, Lincoln's Inn Fields. Receipts: £278 75. 6d. (166/9/6; tickets: 111/18/0) (charge: £105).

THE GENTLE SHEPHERD. As 18 Mar., but Jenny – Mrs Watson. Prologue as HAY 18 Mar. Also THE IRISH WIDOW. As 14 Jan., but Sir Patrick O'Neale -Aberdein; Nephew - Johnson; Thomas - Alfred.

DANCING. As 18 Mar.

SINGING. The Cries of Edinburgh added to Glaud; End of Act 1 of mainpiece The Merry Roundelay by Miss Hemet.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: The characters to be entirely new dressed. The Doors to be opened at 5:00. To begin at 6:00.

IL BACIO. Principal characters by Viganoni, Morigi, Nonini, Micheli // Sga King's Lorenzini, Sga Salpietro, Sga Sestini. [Cast from libretto (H. Reynell, 1782): Fidamante - Viganoni; Don Giovanni - Morigi; Pocatesta - Nonini; Trappolino -Leopoldo Micheli // Clarice - Sga Lorenzini; Scaltrina - Sga Salpietro; Zuccherina -Sga Sestini.]

DANCING. As 2 Apr. throughout.

COMMENT. A new Comic Opera in 2 acts [1st time, by Carlo Francesco Badini]; the music composed by [Tommaso] Giordani.

EVERY MAN IN HIS HUMOUR. As 29 Sept. 1781. Also THE ALCHYMIST. As 5 Apr.

Wednesday 10 DL

CG

DANCING. As 2 Mar.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE OLD BATCHELOR, announced on playbill of 9 Apr.] Receipts: £140 3s. (91/18/0; 48/2/6; 0/2/6).

THE WIFE'S RELIEF; or, The Husband's Cure. Riot - Wroughton; Young Cash - Lee Lewes; Sir Tristram Cash - Edwin; Hazard - Whitfield; Horatio -Davies; Spitfire - Quick; Volatil - Lewis // Cynthia - Miss Satchell; Arabella -Mrs Mattocks. Also THE LONDON CUCKOLDS. Ald. Doodle - Quick; Ald. Wiseacres - Booth; Mr Dashwell - Fearon; Ramble - Whitfield; Townley -Robson; Loveday - Thompson; Watchmen - Jones, Stevens, Bates // Arabella -Miss Ambrose; Peggy Wiseacres - Miss Morris; Eugenia - Mrs Morton; Engine -Mrs Davenett; Jane - Mrs Wilson. A new Prologue by the Ghost of Sir Richard Whittington, Lord Mayor.

DANCING. As 9 Apr.

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COMMENT. Benefit for Quick. Mainpiece: Altered from [Charles] Johnson. Not acted these 20 years. Afterpiece: In 2 Acts; Carefully revised, and every exceptionable Passage expunged. [Author and speaker of Prologue unknown.] Receipts: £289 2s. (195/1; tickets: 94/1) (charge: £105).

As YOU LIKE IT. Touchstone - King; Orlando - Brereton; Amiens (with songs) -Thursday 11 Du-Bellamy; Duke Senior - Aickin; Adam - Moody; Oliver - Packer; Duke DL Frederick - Chaplin; Jaques - Palmer // Caelia (1st time, with the Cuckow song) -Miss Wheeler; Audrey - Mrs Wrighten; Rosalind - A Young Lady (1st appearance on the [London] stage [Miss Glassington]). Also ROBINSON CRUSOE. As 4 Oct. 1781.

DANCING. End of Act 1 of mainpiece, as 23 Feb.

SINGING. In Act v of mainpiece song by Miss Field.

COMMENT. [Miss Glassington's 1st appearance on the stage was at the Crow Street Theatre, Dublin, 15 Mar. 1781, also as Rosalind (Hibernian Magazine, Mar. 1781, p. 146).] Receipts: £103 12s. (73/6/0; 30/1/6; 0/4/6).

Thursday 11THE MAN OF THE WORLD. As 12 Dec. 1781. Also THE CHOICE OFCGHARLEQUIN. As 16 Jan.
COMMENT. Receipts: £201 55. 6d. (199/16/0; 1/9/6).

King's I VIAGGIATORI FELICI. As 11 Dec. 1781. DANCING. End of Act 1 an entirely new Ballet, composed by Noverre, Adela of Pontbieu (the subject taken from the History of ancient Chivalry), by Gardel, Mme Simonet, Nivelon, Mlle Theodore, Simonet, Sga Crespi, Mlle Baccelli; End of Opera Medea and Jason, as originally composed by Noverre, by Gardel, Mme Simonet, Nivelon, Simonet, Mlle Theodore, Mlle Baccelli.

COMMENT. Benefit for Noverre. Tickets, half-a-guinea each, to be had of Noverre, No. 40, Great Marlborough-street. 1st ballet: The Music entirely new, composed by Le Brun. [Scenario (Milan, 1774) lists the parts: Guillaume, Raymond, Alphonse, Renaud, Adele, Alise, Beatrix, Isabelle, Eleonore. In 2nd ballet Jason to be danced by Gardel (*Morning Herald*, 11 Apr.); the overture by Gluck, and rest of the music by Noferi (*Public Advertiser*, 12 Apr.).]

Friday 12
VARIETY. As 28 Feb. Also THE LYING VALET. Sharp - Dodd; Gayless
DL (1st time) - R. Palmer; Dick - Suett; Justice Guttle - Griffiths; Beau Trippit - Helme // Melissa (1st time) - Miss Collett; Mrs Gadabout - Mrs Booth; Mrs Trippit - Mrs Granger; Miss Trippit - Miss Barnes; Kitty Pry - Mrs Wells (1st appearance in that character).

DANCING. End of Act 1 of afterpiece the Minuet de la Cour, as 4 Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece]. The 9th Night (see 11 Mar.). Afterpiece: Not acted these 6 years. Receipts: £95 9s. (73/10/0; 20/8/6; 1/10/6; tickets: none listed) (charge: none listed).

CG ALEXANDER THE GREAT. Alexander – Wroughton; Lysimachus – Whitfield; Polyperchon – Booth; Cassander – Fearon; Hephestion – Robson; Clytus – Aickin // Roxana (for this night only) – Miss Younge; Sysigambis – Mrs Poussin; Parisatis – Mrs Morton; Statira – Mrs Yates. Also THE LONDON CUCKOLDS. As 10 Apr. Prologue as 10 Apr.

DANCING. As 9 Apr.

SINGING. End of Act II of mainpiece Auld Robin Grey, as 9 Apr.

COMMENT. Benefit for Aickin. Mainpiece: With a Triumphal Entry of Alexander into Babylon. *Public Advertiser*, 10 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Aickin, No. 6, York Street, Covent Garden. Receipts: £187 10s. (144/5; tickets: 43/5) (charge: £74 10s.).

Saturday 13 DL THE FAIR CIRCASSIAN. AS 27 Nov. 1781. Also THE LYAR. As 14 Dec. 1781, but Kitty – Miss Hale. DANCING. As 2 Mar. COMMENT. Receipts: £70 171. 6d. (45/2/0; 25/7/0; 0/8/6).

- CG WHICH IS THE MAN? AS II Mar. Also THE POSITIVE MAN. AS 16 Mar. DANCING. AS 19 Dec. 1781. COMMENT. Benefit for the Author of the Farce [who is named in the Account-Book, but not on the playbill]. Receipts: none listed (charge: £105).
- King's L'EROE CINESE. As 16 Mar. DANCING. End of Act I Divertisement Dance, as 7 Mar.; End of Act II La Rosière de Salency, as 19 Mar.; End of Opera Rinaldo and Armida, as 23 Feb. COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties.

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