THE FAIR AMERICAN. Admiral Dreadnought - King (1st appearance in that character); Bale - Parsons; Carbine - Suett; Summers - Barrymore; Boreas - Chapman; Col. Mountfort - Palmer // Rachael - Mrs Wrighten; Miss Bale - Miss Wheeler; Miss Kitty Dreadnought - Mrs Hopkins; Mrs Bentley [in subsequent bills called Mrs Wilmot] - Mrs Hedges; Miss Melcomb - Miss Simson; Angelica - Miss Phillips. Also THE TRIUMPH OF MIRTH. As 30 Dec. 1782.

COMMENT. Receipts: £112 145. (109/19; 2/15).

CG THE CAPRICIOUS LADY. As 17 Jan. Also LORD MAYOR'S DAY. As 18 Jan. COMMENT. Receipts: £212 175. 6d. (202/15/6; 10/2/0).

Saturday 8

THE FAIR AMERICAN. As 7 Feb., but added: Groom – Wright; Fribourg – Kenny; Servants – Phillimore, Chaplin. Also ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE.

As 4 Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece: Frederick Pilon]. The 9th Night [i.e., the 1st 7 nights had occurred in the preceding season]. Receipts: £147 35. 6d. (121/4/0; 25/19/6; 0/0/0; tickets: none listed) (charge: £105).

CG THE WALLOONS. Probably as 4 Oct. 1782. Also ROSINA. As 29 Jan. COMMENT. [As mainpiece the playbill announces THE MYSTERIOUS HUSBAND, but its "being, on account of Miss Younge's sudden Illness, set aside, it was very proper to substitute another Piece of Cumberland's, The Walloom" (Public Advertiser, 10 Feb.).] Receipts: £150 61. (142/7/6; 7/18/6).

King's IL TRIONFO DELLA COSTANZA. As 19 Dec. 1782.

DANCING. As 28 Jan. throughout.

Monday 10 THE FAIR PENITENT. As 29 Nov. 1782. Also Who's THE DUPE? As 22 Oct. 1782.

DANCING. End of Act 1 of afterpiece The Devonshire Minuet, as 3 Oct. 1782.

COMMENT. Receipts: £282 14s. 6d. (274/8/0; 8/4/0; 0/2/6).

CG THE GRECIAN DAUGHTER. As 21 Oct. 1782. Also ROSINA. As 29 Jan. comment. Receipts: £207 16s. 6d. (195/1/0; 12/15/6).

Tuesday 11 THE FAIR AMERICAN. As 8 Feb. Also THE TRIUMPH OF MIRTH.

As 30 Dec. 1782.

COMMENT. Receipts: £149 2s. (146/6; 2/16).

CG THE CASTLE OF ANDALUSIA. As 7 Dec. 1782, but Mrs Bannister [i.e. formerly Miss Harper (see 29 Jan.)]. Also BARNABY BRITTLE. As 31 Oct. 1782. COMMENT. Receipts: £222 17s. 6d. (219/13/0; 3/4/6).

King's MEDONTE. As 14 Nov. 1782.

DANCING. As 16 Jan. throughout.

Wednesday 12

THE COMMITTEE; or, The Faithful Irishman. Teague (with songs) - Moody;
Colonel Blunt - Aickin; Mr Day - Baddeley; Obadiah - Parsons; Abel - Burton;
Lieut. Story - Phillimore; Committee-Men - Waldron, &c.; Col. Careless Brereton // Mrs Day - Mrs Hopkins; Arabella - Mrs Brereton; Ruth - Miss Pope.
Also THE TRIUMPH OF MIRTH. As 30 Dec. 1782.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of KING RICHARD THE THIRD, announced on playbill of 11 Feb.] Receipts: £112 5s. (103/9; 8/16).



THE CAPRICIOUS LADY. As 17 Jan. Also THE SULTAN. As 20 Dec. 1782. COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece, who is named in the Account-Book, but not on the playbill]. Receipts: £246 151. (234/5/6; 12/9/6) (tickets and charge not listed).

Wednesday 12 CG

JANE SHORE. As 6 Jan. Also TOO CIVIL BY HALF. As 9 Nov. 1782. Thu COMMENT. Receipts: £279 45. 6d. (270/10/0; 8/10/0; 0/4/6).

Thursday 13 DL

THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. As 3 Dec. 1782, but Portia – Mrs Bulkley CG (of DL). Also LOVE A-LA-MODE. As 29 Oct. 1782.

DANCING. End of Act III of mainpiece, as 9 Oct. 1782; End of Act IV, as 31 Dec. 1782.

COMMENT. To prevent Disappointment . . . Mrs Bulkley has obligingly undertaken the part of Portia, on account of Mrs Yates's sudden Indisposition [Mrs Yates having been announced as Portia on playbill of 12 Feb.]. Receipts: £264 151. 6d. (261/9/0; 3/6/6).

IL TRIONFO DELLA COSTANZA. As 25 Jan., but Sga Salpietro's name listed in playbill.

King's

DANCING. End of Act I Le Tuteur Trompé, as II Jan., with two Pas de Deux, in a stile entirely new, called Pas de Lapons; or, Laplanders' Dance, by Slingsby and Mlle Theodore; End of Act II a new Pastoral Ballet by the principal Dancers, with a variety of Pas Seuls and a Pas de Deux by Slingsby and Mlle Theodore, and to conclude with a Grand Allemande by Lepicq, Mme Rossi, Slingsby, Mlle Theodore.

COMMENT. Benefit for Slingsby (The last Scason of his appearing on the Stage [but he did not retire until the end of season 1784-85]). Tickets, half a guinea each, to be had of Slingsby at his house, No. 34, Upper Seymour-street, Portman-square.

THE FAIR AMERICAN. As 8 Feb. Also THE TRIUMPH OF MIRTH. As 30 Dec. 1782.

Friday 14 DL

CG

COMMENT. Mainpiece: The Music and Overture by Carter. Receipts: £95 181. (94/8; 1/10).

THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR. As 17 Oct. 1782, but Justice Shallow – Wilson. Also THE MAID'S THE MISTRESS. Principal Characters by Reinhold, Edwin // Mr Bannister, Sga Sestini. [Cast from European Magazine, Feb. 1783, p. 148: Uberto – Reinhold; Vespone – Edwin // Old Woman – Mr Bannister; Serpilla – Sga Sestini.]

COMMENT. Benefit for Sga Sestini. Public Advertiser, 13 Feb.: Tickets to be had of Sga Sestini, No. 52, Margaret-street, Cavendish Square. Afterpiece [1st time; BURL 2, by John O'Keeffe. MS: Larpent 616; not published]: Taken from the Italian of La Serva Padrona [by Gennaro Antonio Federico]. The Music chiefly the Original of Parosasi [i.e. Pergolesi, and so spelled on playbill of 17 Feb.]. The new Music composed by Dr Arnold. Books of the Songs to be had at the Theatre. Receipts: £256 55. 6d. (198/12/0; 7/3/6; tickets: 50/10/0) (charge: none listed).

ISABELLA. As 10 Oct. 1782. Also THE LYAR. As 26 Oct. 1782. COMMENT. Receipts: £293 31. 6d. (285/12/0; 7/4/0; 0/7/6).

Saturday 15 DL

THE CASTLE OF ANDALUSIA. As 11 Feb. Also THE DEVIL UPON CG TWO STICKS. As 21 Nov. 1782.

COMMENT. Receipts: £236 6s. 6d. (233/14/0; 2/12/6).

