ISABELLA; or, The Fatal Marriage. Biron - Smith; Count Baldwin - Packer; Tuesday 12 Carlos - Barrymore; Belford - R. Palmer; Sampson - Wrighten; Villeroy - Palmer // Nurse - Mrs Love; Isabella - Mrs Siddons. Also THE APPRENTICE. Dick -Bannister Jun.; Gargle - Wrighten; Simon - Suett; Watchman - Alfred; Spouters -R. Palmer, Phillimore, Fawcett, Wilson, Spencer, Williames, &c.; Wingate -Baddeley // Charlotte - Miss Simson.

SINGING. In Act III of mainpiece an Epithalamium by Miss Stageldoir and Miss Field. [This was sung, as here assigned, in all subsequent performances.]

COMMENT. Receipts: £265 2s. 6d. (250/11/0; 14/4/0; 0/0/0; tickets not come in: 0/7/6).

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ROBIN HOOD. Principal Characters by Johnstone, Davies, Quick, Edwin, Wilson, Brett, Cubitt, Darley, Mrs Kennedy [1st Act only] // Miss Wheeler, Mrs Martyr, Mrs Wilson, Mrs Bannister. [Cast from text (J. Almon, 1784): Edwin - Johnstone; Robin Hood – Davies; Little John – Quick; Ruttekin – Edwin; Baron Fitzherbert – Wilson; Scarlet – Brett; Bowman – Cubitt; Outlaws – Darley, Doyle, Baker, &c.; Allen a Dale – Mrs Kennedy // Stella – Miss Wheeler; Clorinda – Mrs Martyr; Annette – Mrs Wilson; Angelina – Mrs Bannister; Lasses – Mrs Davenett, Miss Brangin, &c.] Also ST. PATRICK'S DAY. Justice Credulous – Quick; Doctor Rosy – Wewitzer; Serjeant Trounce – Booth; Lieutenant O'Connor – Egan // Bridget - Mrs Pitt; Lauretta - Mrs Morton.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: 14th Night [i.e. in continuation of the reckoning for the previous season]. With new Music [consisting of 6 new songs (Gazetteer, 2 Oct.)], Scenes and Dresses. The new Music and Accompaniments to the adapted Airs by Shield. The Overture by Baumgarten. The Words of the Songs to be had at the Theatre. [It was "represented in an altered state . . . The second act is almost newly written, and the language of the whole opera amended and pointed with great neatness" (London Magazine, Oct. 1784, p. 315).]

"At the end of the first act [of mainpiece], Davies came forward and informed the audience that Mrs Kennedy was of a sudden taken dangerously ill, and hoped that Cubitt might be permitted to read the remainder of her part; a request that was immediately complied with" (London Chronicle, 13 Oct.). [Afterpiece in place of THE POSITIVE MAN, announced on playbill of 11 Oct.]

THE HYPOCRITE. AS 6 Oct. Also THE POSITIVE MAN. As 22 Sept. Wednesday 13

> DANCING. End of Act II of mainpiece, as 6 Oct.; End of mainpiece, as 8 Oct. COMMENT. [Afterpiece in place of THE POOR SOLDIER, announced on playbill of 12 Oct.]

LOVE IN A VILLAGE. Young Meadows – A Young Gentleman (1st appearance Thursday 14 DL on any stage [Dignum]); Justice Woodcock – Parsons; Sir William Meadows – Aickin; Eustace – Williames; Hodge – Moody; Hawthorn – Bannister // Margery – Mrs Wrighten; Deborah Woodcock – Mrs Love; Lucinda – Miss M. Stageldoir; Rosetta - Miss George. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS. Lovel - Bannister Jun.; Duke's Servant - Palmer; Sir Harry's Servant - Dodd; Philip - Baddeley; Freeman – Fawcett // Kitty – Miss Pope.

DANCING. In Act I of mainpiece Country Dance incident to the Piece [This was danced in all subsequent performances]; End of Act II of mainpiece, as 16 Sept.; In afterpiece a Mock Minuet by Palmer and Miss Pope [This was danced, as here assigned, in all subsequent performances].

COMMENT. [Dignum is identified on playbill of 18 Dec.] Receipts: £196 9s. (165/7; 30/12; 0/10).

ROBIN HOOD. As 12 Oct., but omitted: Mrs Kennedy. Also TRISTRAM Friday 15 CG SHANDY. As 8 Oct. DANCING. As 8 Oct.