COMMENT. Benefit for Bannister Jun. 1st piece [1st time; M. INT 1, compiler unknown]. 2nd piece: In 3 acts. 3rd piece [1st time; ENT 1, author unknown. MS: Larpent 695, not published]. Public Advertiser, 2 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Bannister Jun., No. 29, Bow-street, Covent-garden. Receipts: £276 16s. (162/11; 12/18; 0/11; tickets: 100/16) (charge: £110 14s. 10d.).

Monday 18

ROMEO AND JULIET. Romeo – Holman; Mercutio – Lewis // Juliet – Miss Younge. No other parts listed, but see 5 Nov. 1784. Also THE LAND OF ENCHANT-MENT. A Select Scene, consisting of Music and Dancing, in which: a Hunting Song [Tantivy, the welkin resounds] by Mrs Martyr; the celebrated Vauxhall Echo Catch [They say there is an echo here (performers not listed)]; a Pastoral Dialogue [Alas! Poor Sue] by Johnstone and Mrs Martyr; Auld Robin Gray by Mrs Kennedy; Poor Thomas Day by Edwin, Brett, Davies. Abdiel, the Genius - Master Farley. Also BARATARIA. As 29 Mar.

DANCING. In 2nd piece, by Harris, Miss Besford, Mrs Goodwin, Mrs Ratchford, Miss Matthews.

SINGING. As 25 Oct. 1784, but omitted: names of singers.

COMMENT. Benefit for Booth. Mr Booth respectfully hopes his close Attention to the several Departments he occupies in the Theatre will be a sufficient Excuse for his not personally waiting on his Friends. [Public Advertiser, 22 Mar., notes that since Wild's accident [see 11 May] Booth had been acting as prompter.] Public Advertiser, 14 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Booth at his house in Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 2nd piece [1st time; M. INT 1, compiler unknown]: The Music compiled from the most eminent Masters.

A NEW PANTOMIME. As 15 Apr. Also THE DESERTER. As 14 Feb. HAY IMITATIONS. As 15 Apr.

COMMENT. By Permission of the Lord Chamberlain. Under the Direction of Delpini.

MACBETH. As 7 Feb. Also THE DOUBLE DISGUISE. As 1 Nov. 1784. COMMENT. Receipts: £158 10s. (141/8/0; 15/7/6; 0/19/6; tickets not come

Tuesday 19 DL

THE FOLLIES OF A DAY. As 18 Jan. Also THE NUNNERY. As 12 Apr. DANCING. As 16 Nov. 1784.

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ARTASERSE. As 16 Apr.

DANCING. As 5 Apr. throughout.

COMMENT. [Opera in place of LA FINTA PRINCIPESSA, announced in Public Advertiser, 18 Apr.]

THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS. Bustleton - Palmer; Manager - Aickin; Easy -R. Palmer; Gentleman - Bannister Jun. Also THE WAY OF THE WORLD. Mirable - Smith; Fainall - Bensley; Sir Wilful Witwou'd - Suett; Petulant -Baddeley; Waitwell - Parsons; Witwou'd - King // Lady Wishfor't - Mrs Hopkins; Marwood - Miss E. Kemble; Mrs Fainall - Mrs Wilson; Foible - Miss Pope; Millamant - Miss Farren. Also THE TAYLORS. Master Taylors: Francisco -Parsons; Campbello - Wrighten; Pearcey - Waldron. Flints: Abrahamides (the Chief) - Palmer; Isaacos - R. Palmer; Bartholomeus - Staunton; Humphryminos -Wright; Jackides - Phillimore; Barnardo - Williames. Dungs: Zachariades -Fawcett; Timotheus - Chapman; Hogglestonon - Wilson; Christophorides -Spencer // Taylors' Ladies - Mrs Wilson, Miss Tidswell, Miss Barnes, Mrs Wrighten.

COMMENT. Benefit for Suett and R. Palmer. Public Advertiser, 19 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Suett, No. 14, Broad-street, Bloomsbury; of R. Palmer, No. 23, Cecilstreet, Strand. 1st piece: Never performed there. 3rd piece: Never acted there. Receipts: £247 13s. 6d. (40/15/0; 19/1/0; 0/13/6; tickets: 187/4/0) (charge: £106

Wednesday 20

