Tuesday 26 DL

THE MOURNING BRIDE. As 14 Jan. Also THE CITIZEN. Young Philpot -Dodd; Wilding - Staunton; Sir Jasper - Wright; Beaumont - Phillimore; Quildrive - Wilson; Dapper - Fawcett; Old Philpot - Baddeley // Corinna - Miss Simson; Maria – Miss Collins (1st appearance).

COMMENT. Receipts: £182 6s. (165/8/0; 16/0/6; 0/17/6).

CG FASHIONABLE LEVITIES. As 2 Apr. Also THE NUNNERY. As 12 Apr.

HAY THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND. Ranger – Mrs Greville (1st appearance in that character); Frankly – Walton; Bellamy – Cross; Jack Meggot – Benson; Tester – Follett; Buckle – Bell; Simon – Brown; Mr Strickland – L'Estrange // Mrs Strickland - Mrs Walcot (from the Theatre Royal, Edinburgh); Jacintha - Mrs Bolton; Lucetta - Mrs Waldron; Milliner - Mrs Benson; Clarinda - Mrs Hunter. Also THE IRISH WIDOW. Sir Patrick - L'Estrange // Widow Brady (with the

Epilogue Song) - Mrs Greville. No other parts assigned.

SINGING. End of mainpiece The Soldier tired of War's Alarms by Mrs Pinto. MONOLOGUE. End of Act 11 of mainpiece Collins's Ode on the Passions by Mrs Walcot. IMITATIONS. End of Act I of afterpiece, as 17 Sept. 1784, but An entire new dialogue in the Shades between Foote and Weston; added: Prospero (in the manner of Mossop); omitted: Prologue to BARBAROSSA.

COMMENT. By Permission of the Lord Chamberlain. Benefit for Mrs Greville. Tickets and places to be had of Mrs Greville, No. 1, Queen's-court, King-street, Covent-garden. [This was Mrs Pinto's last appearance on the stage (but see 12 May 1786).]

King's

LA FINTA PRINCIPESSA. As 2 Apr. DANCING. End of Act I New Divertissement, as 3 Mar.; End of Opera The Deserter, as 11 Jan.

DL.

Wednesday 27 THE EARL OF ESSEX; or, The Unhappy Favourite. Essex - Smith; Burleigh -Packer; Raleigh - R. Palmer; Lieutenant - Phillimore; Southampton - Brereton // Rutland - Miss E. Kemble; Nottingham - Mrs Ward; Queen - Mrs Hopkins. Also THE HUMOURIST; or, Who's Who? Characters by Parsons, Bannister Jun., Williames, Alfred, Baddeley // Mrs Ward, Mrs Wilson, Miss Tidswell, Mrs Hopkins. [Cast from London Chronicle, 29 Apr., and Town and Country Magazine, May 1785, p. 231: Sir Anthony Halfwit - Parsons; Dabble - Bannister Jun.; Beaumont - Williames; Blunt - Alfred; Frolick - Baddeley // Miss Halfwit - Mrs Ward; Mrs Meddle - Mrs Wilson; Diana - Miss Tidswell; Jenny - Miss Hale; Mrs Matadore - Mrs Hopkins.] Prologue spoken by Bannister Jun. [This was spoken, as here assigned, at all subsequent performances.] DANCING. As 7 Mar.

> COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 4 years. Afterpiece [1st time; F 2, by James Cobb. MS: Larpent 698; not published; synopsis of plot in *Public Advertiser*, 28 Apr. Prologue by the author (Public Advertiser, 9 June)]. Account-Book, 30 May: Paid Cobb in full for Humourist £100. Receipts: £58 16s. (28/15; 29/1; 1/0).

FONTAINBLEAU. As 19 Feb. Also BARATARIA. As 20 Apr., but omitted: CG Alonzo, Smuggler, Custom House Officer. DANCING. As I Dec. 1784.

Thursday 28 DI.

THE TEMPEST. As 9 Nov. 1784, but Stephano–Suett. Also THE HUMOURIST. As 27 Apr.

COMMENT. Receipts: £88 os. 6d. (50/4/0; 34/11/0; 1/13/0; tickets not come in: 1/12/6).

THE CARELESS HUSBAND. As 8 Feb. Also BARATARIA. As 27 Apr. CG DANCING. As 25 Apr.

