Monday 30

THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL. As 18 Oct. 1784, but Lady Sneerwell - Miss E. Kemble; omitted: Careless. Also THE CRITIC. As 21 Feb.

COMMENT. The Last Time of the Company's performing this Season. Paid various Renters £19 16s. [apiece] (Account-Book, 1 Sept.). Receipts: £222 12s. 6d. (181/11/0; 40/8/0; 0/13/6).

HAY

PEEPING TOM. Principal Characters by Bannister, Wilson, Wewitzer, Gardner, Riley, Edwin // Mrs Wells, Mrs Webb, Miss Brangin, Mrs Bannister. [Cast from text (T. Cadell, 1784): Harold – Bannister; Mayor of Coventry – Wilson; Crazy – Wewitzer; Earl of Mercia – Gardner; Count Louis – Riley; Tom – Edwin // Maud – Mrs Wells; Mayoress – Mrs Webb; Lady Godiva – Miss Brangin; Emma – Mrs Bannister.] Also The Agreeable Surprise! Principal Characters by Bannister, Wilson, Davies, Gardner, Swords, Stevens, Painter, Ledger, Edwin // Mrs Wells, Mrs Webb, Mrs Poussin, Mrs Bannister. [Cast adjusted from Songs (T. Cadell, 1782): Compton – Bannister; Sir Felix Friendly – Wilson; Eugene – Davies; Chicane – Gardner; John – Swords; Thomas – Stevens; Stump – Painter; Cudden – Ledger; Lingo – Edwin // Cowslip – Mrs Wells; Mrs Cheshire – Mrs Webb; Fringe – Mrs Poussin; Laura – Mrs Bannister.]

DANCING. End of 1st piece, by the two Miss Simonets.

COMMENT. 1st piece: Written by the Author of THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE, SON-IN-LAW, &c. [John O'Keeffe]. The Overture and New Airs composed

by Dr Arnold. 2nd piece: Books of the Songs to be had at the Theatre.

Tuesday 31 HAY SUMMER AMUSEMENT; or, An Adventure at Margate. Characters by Bannister, Wilson, Edwin, Davies, R. Palmer, Baddeley, Palmer // Mrs Webb, Miss Hale, Mrs Bannister. [Cast adjusted from text (T. Cadell, 1781): Surat – Bannister; Sir James Juniper – Wilson, Etiquette – Edwin; Melville – Davies; Spruce – R. Palmer; Cathartic – Baddeley; Shuffle – Palmer // Lady Juniper – Mrs Webb; Fidget – Miss Hale; Amelia – Mrs Bannister.] Also A MOGUL TALE. As 28 May.

DANCING. End of Act 1 of mainpiece, by Giorgi's Scholars; End of Act 1 of afterpiece New Dance by the two Miss Simonets, Master Giorgi, Miss Byrne, and others.

King's

I VIAGGIATORI FELICI. As 28 May. DANCING. As 28 May throughout.

June 1785

Wednesday 1 HAY PEEPING TOM. As 30 May. Also THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE! As 30 May.

DANCING. End of 1st piece Divertissement by Byrne, Master Giorgi, Miss Byrne, the two Miss Simonets.

COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties. [1st and 2nd pieces in place of LORD RUSSEL, THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS and THE SON-IN-LAW, all three announced on playbill of 31 May.]

Thursday 2 HAY THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS. Bustleton - Palmer; Manager - Aickin; Gentleman in the Balcony - Bannister Jun.; Easy - R. Palmer; Irishman in the Pit - Booth; Prompter - Gardner // Actresses - Miss Hale; Mrs Poussin, Miss Francis, Mrs Lefevre; Caller - Mrs Love; Lady in the Balcony - Mrs Webb. Also LORD RUSSEL. Russel - Palmer; Cavendish - Bannister Jun.; Charles the



Second – Aickin; Duke of York – Williamson; Spencer – Davies; Lieutenant – Usher; Bedford – Bensley // Lady Margaret Russel – Mrs Inchbald; Lady Russel – Miss Woollery. Also The Son-in-law. Principal Characters by Parsons, Edwin, Davies, Baddeley, R. Palmer, Barrett, Bannister // Mrs Bannister. [Cast adjusted from playbill of 29 June 1786: Cranky – Parsons; Bowkitt – Edwin; Bouquet – Davies; Vinegar – Baddeley; Idle – R. Palmer; Mum – Barrett; Arionelli – Bannister // Cecilia – Mrs Bannister.]

Thursday 2 HAY

Friday 3

THE SPANISH BARBER; or, The Fruitless Precaution. Count Almaviva – Palmer; Don Bartholo – Parsons; Basil (with songs) – Bannister; Argus – Brett; Tall Boy – R. Palmer; Alguazile – Gardner; Notary – Stevens; Lazarillo – Edwin // Rosina – Mrs Bannister. Also Hunt the Slipper. Principal Characters by Wilson, Bannister Jun., R. Palmer, Edwin // Miss Langrish, Mrs Lloyd, Mrs Webb. [Cast adjusted from London Chronicle, 24 Aug. 1784: Mr Winterbottom – Wilson; Captain Clement – Bannister Jun.; Glib – R. Palmer; Billy Bristle – Edwin // Miss Winterbottom – Miss Langrish; Chambermaid – Mrs Lloyd; Miss Winterbottom Sen. – Mrs Webb.]

DANCING. As I June.

ORFEO. As 24 May. DANCING. As 24 May.

King's

THE TWO CONNOISSEURS. Beril – Palmer; Careless – Bannister Jun.; Bijou – Saturday 4
Wilson; Cycle – Williamson; Lord Seewell – Aickin; Harry – Riley; Varnish –
Parsons // Mrs Bijou – Mrs Webb; Lady Frances – Mrs Inchbald; Joan – Mrs Love;
Lady Harriet – Miss Farren. Also THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE! As
30 May.

DANCING. As I June.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: A Comedy, in Rhyme.

THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. Woodville - Palmer; Lord Glenmore - Monday 6
Bensley; Governor Harcourt - Wilson; Captain Harcourt - Williamson; Vane R. Palmer; Grey - Aickin; Jacob - Edwin // Bridget - Mrs Wells; Miss Mortimer Mrs Cuyler; Warner - Mrs Love; Cecilia - Miss Farren. Also A MOGUL TALE.
As 28 May.

DANCING. End of Act 1 of afterpiece, as 1 June.

THE SEPARATE MAINTENANCE. Principal Characters by Palmer, Williamson, Aickin, Gardner, Stevens, Edwin, Parsons // Mrs Webb, Mrs Inchbald, Mrs Cuyler, Mrs Lloyd, Mrs Lefevre, Mrs Poussin, Miss Farren. [Cast adjusted from Gazetteer, I Sept. 1779: Leveret – Palmer; Lord Newbery – Williamson; Touchwood – Aickin; Fraction – Gardner; Minim – Edwin; Lord Oldcastle – Parsons // Lady Oldcastle – Mrs Webb; Miss English – Mrs Inchbald; Mrs Revel – Mrs Cuyler; Mrs Frankly – Mrs Lloyd; Mrs Fustian – Mrs Lefevre; Lady Didapper – Mrs Poussin; Lady Newbery – Miss Farren. Stevens is unassigned.] Also Peep-Ing Tom. As 30 May.

DANCING. As I June.

SINGING. In Act I of mainpiece a song by Miss Hooke.

ORFEO. As 12 May.

King's

DANCING. As 12 May.

COMMENT. The Doors to be opened at 6:30. To begin exactly at 7:30 [same for rest of season].

TWO TO ONE. As 28 May. Also THE SON-IN-LAW. As 2 June. DANCING. As 1 June.

Wednesday 8 HAY

