HE WOU'D BE A SOLDIER. As 26 Sept. 1787, but Caleb – Blanchard. Also LINCO'S TRAVELS. Linco – Blanchard. Also TOM THUMB. As 29 Mar. COMMENT. Benefit for Blanchard. Receipts: £262 9s. 6d. (107/7/6; 11/9/0; tickets: 143/13/0).

Monday 5

Tuesday 6

RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE. Leon - Smith; Duke - Aickin; Cacafogo -Moody; Don Juan - Packer; Sanchio - Phillimore; Alonzo - R. Palmer; Copper Captain - King // Margaretta - Mrs Ward; Old Woman - Mr Baddeley; Maid --Mr Waldron; Clara - Miss Barnes; Altea - Miss Tidswell; Estifania - Miss Farren. Also LE MATIN, MIDI, ET LE SOIR. MORNING. A Camp. O say bonny Lass by Dignum and Miss Romanzini. NOON. A Village. New Dance, The Shepherd's Wedding, by Hamoir, Miss J. Stageldoir, &c. NIGHT. A Hermit's Cell, Moonlight. The Tale of Edwin and Angelina, from [The Hermit, by] Goldsmith, composed by Hook. Edwin - Kelly // Angelina - Mrs Crouch. Also Too CIVIL BY HALF. Captain Freeman - Palmer; Butler - Baddeley; Bustle - Burton; Lieut. Bumper (with songs) - Williames; Sir Toby Treacle - Suett // Lady Treacle - Mrs Hopkins; Bridget - Mrs Wilson; Nancy (with songs) - Mrs Crouch. DANCING. End of 2nd piece The Conjugal Frolick, as 21 Feb.

COMMENT. Benefit for Wrighten, prompter. 2nd piece [1st time; M.INT 1]. Public Advertiser, 1 May: Tickets to be had of Wrighten, New Buildings, Hemming's Row, St. Martin's Lane. Receipts: £250 6s. (38/14; 19/15; 1/7; tickets: 190/10) (charge: £,109 8s. 2d.).

ROSINA. As 21 Dec. 1787. Also Animal Magnetism. As 29 Apr. Also CG THE FARMER. As 25 Jan. COMMENT. Receipts: £186 14s. (175/12/6; 11/1/6).

IL RE TEODORO IN VENEZIA. As 8 Dec. 1787. DANCING. As 26 Apr. throughout. COMMENT. Receipts: £161 14s. [non-subscription]. King's

SEEING IS BELIEVING. Sir Credule – Parsons; Sceptic – Baddeley; Captain Nightshade - R. Palmer; Simon - Bannister Jun. // Kitty - Mrs Cuyler; Diana -Miss Collins. Also TIT FOR TAT. Villamour - Palmer; Old Meanwell -Packer; Young Meanwell - Whitfield; Servant - Lyons; Skipwell - R. Palmer // Letty - Miss Pope; Florinda - Miss Farren. Also NATURE WILL PREVAIL. Current - Palmer; Padlock - Suett // Almandine - Mrs Cuyler; Finette - Mrs Wilson. Also THE LYAR. As 25 Apr.

Wednesday 7

COMMENT. Benefit for R. Palmer. 1st, 2nd and 3rd pieces: Never performed there. By Permission of G. Colman, Esq. [owner of the copyrights]. Public Advertiser, 30 Apr.: Tickets to be had of R. Palmer, No. 14, East Place, Lambeth. Receipts: £144 175. (43/5; 18/13; 0/14; tickets: 82/5) (charge: £105 95. 8d.).

SUCH THINGS ARE. As 3 Jan., but Arabella-Mrs Pope. Also POOR VULCAN! As 12 Apr.

DANCING. End of mainpiece The Wapping Landlady [performers not listed, but see

COMMENT. Benefit for Fearon. Public Advertiser, 1 May: Tickets to be had of Fearon, No. 1, Broad-court. Receipts: £181 19s. 6d. (80/5/0; 13/8/6; tickets: 88/6/o).

THE HEIRESS. As 24 Apr. Also LE MATIN, MIDI, ET LE SOIR. As 6 May, but NIGHT. Moon-light. Duett (for that night only, composed by Kelly) by Kelly and Mrs Crouch. Also THE WATERMAN. Tugg - Dignum (1st appearance in that character); Bundle - Hollingsworth; Robin - Suett // Mrs Bundle - Mrs Shaw; Wilhelmina - Miss Romanzini.

Thursday 8

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