THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. As 28 June, but Woodville – Bannister Jun. //
Bridget – Mrs Barresford [i.e. formerly Mrs Bulkley]. Also THE PADLOCK.
As 10 July, but Ursula – Mrs Webb; Leonora (with Auld Robin Gray) – Miss Webb (1st appearance on any stage).

Wednesday 30

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Webb.

I'LL TELL YOU WHAT! As 17 June, but Lady Euston – Mrs Barresford [i.e. formerly Mrs Bulkley]. Also THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE. As 10 June, but Compton – Bannister // Laura – Mrs Plomer.

Thursday 31 HAY

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INKLE AND YARICO. As 16 July. Also A MOGUL TALE. As 3 July. Friday 1

COMMENT. [Afterpiece in place of THE VILLAGE LAWYER, advertised HAY on playbill of 31 July.]

WAYS AND MEANS. As 26 July. Also A QUARTER OF AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER; or, Quality Binding. Principal Characters by Aickin, R. Palmer, Kemble, Davies, Phillimore, Abbot, Williamson // Mrs Brooks. [Cast from text (W. Lowndes, 1788): Mr Plainwell – Aickin; Lord Simper – R. Palmer; Sir William Wealthy - Kemble; Col. Modish – Davies; John – Phillimore; William – Abbot; Mr Level – Williamson // Mrs Level – Mrs Brooks.] Also PEEPING TOM. As 14 July.

Saturday 2 HAY

COMMENT. 2nd piece [1st time; F 1, by John Rose; in Town and Country Magazine, Aug. 1788, p. 374, said to be translated from a French farce]. "Edwin was too ill to sing, but went through the part [in Peeping Tom; see 16 Aug.]" (Public Advertiser, 4 Aug.).

THE ENGLISH MERCHANT. As 14 July, save Molly – Mrs Barresford [i.e. formerly Mrs Bulkley]; Mrs Goodman – Mrs Poussin. Also THE QUAKER. Steady – Bannister; Lubin – Davies; Easy – Burton; Solomon – Parsons // Floretta – Mrs Edwards; Gillian – Miss Collett. DANCING. As 8 July.

Monday 4 HAY

TIT FOR TAT. As 23 July, save Young Meanwell (1st time) - Iliff [misprinted "Ilett"]. Also A Quarter of an Hour before Dinner. As 2 Aug. Also THE GNOME; or, Harlequin Underground. Harlequin – Milbourn; Clown - Burton; Miser - Johnson; Squeezum - Barrett; Stone Eater (with a song) - Moss; Beadle - Usher; Blacksmith - Phillimore; 1st Sailor (with a song) - Bannister // Gnome - Miss De Camp; Colombine - Mrs Goodwin. The other Characters by Mathews, Chapman, Painter, Lyons, Abbot, Farley, Ledger, Rowson, Stannard, Clarke, Sands, Hobler, Aylmer, &c. // Mrs Love, Miss Francis, Mrs Lefevre, Miss Palmer, Mrs Invill, Miss Rowson, Mrs Gaudry, &c. [A MS list of cast in Enthoven assigns the Clown to Degville; Blacksmith and Covent Garden Doctor to Swords. It specifies: Recruiting Serjeant - Mathews; Cobler - Chapman; Peace Officers -Painter, Lyons; Gnome - Abbot; Cook - Farley; Barber - Ledger; Covent Garden Doctor's Man and Porter - Rowson Sen.; Slaves, Recruits - Stannard, Clarke, Sands, Hobler, Aylmer // Nuns - Miss Francis, Mrs Invill; Cobler's Wife - Mrs Gaudry; Taylor's Wife - Miss Rowson. It adds: 2nd Harlequin - Byrne; Miser's Servant - Besford Sen.; Mule Driver - Besford Jun.; Taylor - Appleby; Jew Boy -Master Sestini // Nuns - the 2 Miss Simonets. It does not assign Mrs Love, Mrs Lefevre, Miss Palmer.]

Tuesday 5 HAY



Tuesday 5 HAY DANCING. End of 1st piece January and May [performers not listed, but see 27 June].

COMMENT. 3rd piece [1st time; P 2(?), by Ralph Wewitzer and ——Invill]:

With new Scenes, Dresses, and Decorations. The Scenery designed and painted by Rooker. The Music by Dr Arnold. Books of the Songs (T. Cadell [1788]) to be had at the Theatre.

Wednesday 6 HAY SEEING IS BELIEVING. AS 18 June. Also THE VIRGIN UNMASK'D. AS 24 July. Also A QUARTER OF AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER. AS 2 Aug. Also THE GNOME. AS 5 Aug.

COMMENT. "The Gnome was represented for a second time, or rather a first, as on Tuesday evening it could only be termed a rehearsal, and a bad one at best" (Public Advertiser, 7 Aug.).

Thursday 7 HAY WAYS AND MEANS. As 26 July. Also A QUARTER OF AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER. As 2 Aug. Also THE GNOME. As 5 Aug.

Friday 8 HAY TIT FOR TAT. As 5 Aug., but omitted: Servant. Also A QUARTER OF AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER. As 2 Aug. Also THE GNOME. As 5 Aug., but omitted: Hobler, Aylmer.

DANCING. As 7 July, but added: Ratchford.

Saturday 9 HAY THE SWORD OF PEACE; or, A Voyage of Love. Principal Characters by Palmer, Baddeley, Williamson, R. Palmer, Kemble, Wewitzer, Burton, Johnson, Phillimore, Lyons, Painter, Farley, Abbot, Bannister Jun. // Mrs Kemble, Mrs Lesevre, Mrs Poussin, Mrs Edwin, Miss Brangin, Miss Francis, Miss Farren. [Cast from text (J. Debrett, 1789), and European Magazine, Aug. 1788, p. 100: Lieutenant Dormer – Palmer; Resident – Baddeley; Mr Edwards – Williamson; Supple – R. Palmer; Mr David Northcote – Kemble; Mazinghi Dowza – Wewitzer; Caesar – Burton; Gentlemen – Johnson, Lyons, Painter, Abbot; Jesseys – Bannister Jun. // Miss Louisa Moreton – Mrs Kemble; Mrs Tartar – Mrs Lesevre; Mrs Garnish – Mrs Poussin; Mrs Gobble – Mrs Edwin; Miss Bronze – Miss Brangin; Ladies – Miss Francis, Miss Palmer, Mrs Gaudry; Miss Eliza Moreton – Miss Farren. Phillimore, Farley are unassigned.] Prologue spoken by Palmer. Epilogue spoken by Miss Farren. [These were spoken, as here assigned, at all subsequent performances.] Also The Mayor of Garratt. As 11 June, but Jerry Sneak – Moss.

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; C 5, by Mariana Starke. Prologue by George Colman, the elder. Epilogue by George Colman, the younger (see text)]: With new Dresses, Decorations, &c.

Monday 11 HAY THE YOUNG QUAKER. As 4 July, but Clod – Moss. Also THE GNOME. As 8 Aug., but omitted: Mrs Invill, Miss Rowson, Mrs Gaudry. SINGING. Afterpiece: In the Covent-Garden Scene (1st time) a Catch by Mathews, Chapman, &c.

Tuesday 12 THE SWORD OF PEACE. As 9 Aug. Also A QUARTER OF AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER. As 2 Aug. Also THE VIRGIN UNMASK'D. As 24 July.

Wednesday 13

THE SPANISH BARBER. As 26 June, but Lazarillo – Bannister Jun. // Rosina (for that night only) – Miss Farren. Also Love and War. Love: Goldsmith's Poem of Edwin and Angelina. Scene, A Hermit's Cell. Edwin – A Young Gentleman (1st appearance on any stage [unidentified]) // Angelina – Mrs Plomer. WAR: Scene I. A Sea-port. Officers carousing. O say, Bonny Lass. Scene II. A Village. Serjeant – Davies // Country Lasses – Mrs Gaudry, &c.; Milkmaid – Miss Collett. Admiral Benbow by Bannister. A new dance, The British Soldier Triumphant, by Byrn, Ratchford, Miss De Camp, Mrs Goodwin, &c. Also Green Green.

