ABOLD STROKE FOR A HUSBAND. As 31 Oct. Also THE POOR SOLDIER. Friday 7
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COMMENT. Receipts: £157 9s. (145/15; 11/14).

THE BUSY BODY. As 16 Sept. Also FORTUNATUS. Harlequin – Wright; Clown – Grimaldi // Colombine – Miss M. Stageldoir. The other Characters by Chaplin, Burton, Spencer, Wrighten, Phillimore, Wilson, Williamson, Kenny, Newbold // Miss Tidswell, Miss Stageldoir.

Saturday 8 DL

DANCING. Afterpiece to conclude with a Dance by Second, Ferrere and the Miss Stageldoirs. [This was included, as here assigned, in all subsequent performances.] COMMENT. THE LORD OF THE MANOR [announced on playbill of 7 Nov.] is obliged to be deferred on account of the Indisposition of a principal Performer. Afterpiece: In which will be introduced an Air Balloon. [This was included in all subsequent performances.] Receipts: £154 45. (108/3/0; 45/8/6; 0/12/6).

THE MAGIC PICTURE. Principal Characters by Wroughton, Quick, Edwin, Wilson, Clarke, Hull, Whitfield, Davies, Jones // Mrs Bates, Mrs Wilson, Miss Platt, Miss Younge. [Cast from text (T. and J. Egerton [et al], 1783: Eugenius – Wroughton; Hillario – Quick; Ubaldo – Edwin; Ricardo – Wilson; Eubulus – Clarke; Baptista – Hull; Ladislaus – Whitfield; Ferdinand – Davies // Honoria – Mrs Bates; Corisca – Mrs Wilson; Acanthe – Miss Platt; Sophia – Miss Younge. Jones is urrassigned.] Prologue, not listed on playbill, spoken by Aickin (see 14 Nov.). Also The Poor Soldier. As 4 Nov.

SINGING. In Act II of mainpiece a Grand Chorus [Crown'd with conquest] by Bannister, Reinhold, Johnstone, Mattocks, Brett, Mahon, Doyle, Darley // Mrs Bannister, Mrs Johnstone, Mrs Martyr, Mrs Morton, Miss Stuart, Mrs Davenett, Mrs

Kennedy. [For songs, see below.]

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; TC 5]: Altered from [THE PICTURE, by Philip] Massinger [by Henry Bate; incidental music by William Shield. Prologue by William Pearce (see text)]. With New Dresses, Scenery, &c. Afterpiece: Written by O'Keeffe. London Chronicle, 10 Nov., prints the words of the Chorus, and also of a song sung by Quick, Poor Hillario, once so jolly, and of one sung by Mrs Martyr, Would you view the loveliest rose. Receipts: £209 16s. (205/3; 4/13).

KING RICHARD THE THIRD. As 6 Nov. Also FORTUNATUS. As 8 Nov. COMMENT. Receipts: £210 7s. 6d. (177/14/0; 31/11/0; 0/5/0; tickets not come in: 0/17/6).

*Monday 10* DL

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KING HENRY THE EIGHTH. King Henry - Clarke; Buckingham - Wroughton; Cranmer - Hull; Surrey - Whitfield; Lord Chamberlain - Bonnor; Gardner - Wilson; Cromwell - Davies; Sir T. Lovell - Chalmers; Lord Sands - Jones; Norfolk - Fearon; Suffolk - Booth; Cardinal Wolsey - Henderson // Anne Bullen - Mrs Inchbald; Lady - Mrs Pitt; Queen Katherine - Miss Younge. Also LORD MAYOR'S DAY; or, A Flight from Lapland in an Air Balloon. Cast not listed, but for parts see 25 Nov. 1782.

SINGING. In Act III of mainpiece a song by Mrs Kennedy.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: With the Procession from the Abbey at the Coronation of Anne Bullen. Afterpiece: To end with a Representation of the Lord Mayor's Show on the Water. After which will be an Historical Procession of the Several Companies, with their respective Pageants, and the Chief Magistrates belonging to the City of London, from its Foundation. Books of the Songs, with an Explanation of the Procession, to be had at the Theatre. Receipts: £198 8s. 6d. (195/9/0; 2/19/6).

