Waldron; Surveyor - Benson; Cardinal Wolsey - Bensley // Anne Bullen - Mrs Tuesday 25 Farmer; Lady - Mrs Love; Queen Katharine - Mrs Siddons. Also THE HU-DL. MOURIST. As 4 Nov., but Mrs Matadore - Mrs Booth.

SINGING. In Act IV of mainpiece a song (composed by Linley [Sen.]) by Mrs Crouch.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 20 years [not acted since 2 Nov. 1761]. With new Scenes, Dresses, and Decorations. In Act I a Grand Banquet. In Act II the Trial of Queen Katharine. In Act v a Procession to the Christening of Princess Elizabeth. [These were included in all subsequent performances.]

Mrs Siddons's Queen Katharine was "too laboured-particularly the Trial Scene, where the words came so slow and measured that they seemed to be distilled" (Public Advertiser, 29 Nov.). Receipts: £260 115. (248/12; 11/6; 0/13).

THE HIGHLAND REEL. As 6 Nov., but Miss Fontenelle's name listed in playbill. CG Also THE MIDNIGHT HOUR. As 7 Oct.

DANCING. As 7 Nov.

COMMENT. Receipts: £233 175. 6d. (224/2/6; 9/15/0).

THE CONSTANT COUPLE. As 27 Oct. Also THE FIRST FLOOR. As 30 Sept., but Mrs Pattypan – Mrs Booth.

- THE MAN OF THE WORLD. Sir Pertinax Macsycophant Macklin; Lord CG Lumbercourt - Thompson; Sydney - Aickin; Melville - Hull; Counsellor Plausible - Cubitt; Serjeant Eitherside - Booth; Tomlins - Stevens; Sam - Ledger; John – Helme; Egerton – Lewis // Constantia – Miss Tweedale; Betty Hint – Mrs Rock; Lady Macsycophant - Mrs Platt; Nanny - Mrs Davenett; Lady Rodolpha Lumbercourt - Mrs Pope. Also THE FARMER. As 24 Sept. COMMENT. Receipts: £235 10s. (229/2/6; 6/7/6).
- THE WEST INDIAN. As 25 Oct., but Lady Rusport Mrs Booth; added: Lucy Miss Barnes; omitted: Stukely, Sailor. Also THE DOCTOR AND THE APO-THECARY. As 25 Oct., but Hollingsworth in place of Dodd.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE; afterpiece of ARTHUR AND EMMELINE, both advertised on playbill of 26 Nov.] Receipts: $f_{.63}$ 12s. 6d. (42/6/0; 20/8/0; 0/18/6).

- ROBIN HOOD. As 21 Oct., but omitted: Outlaws. Also ANIMAL MAGNETISM. Marquis D'Lancy - Pope; La Fleur - Edwin; Jeff'ry - Blanchard; Picard - Rock; Doctor - Quick // Constance - Mrs Wells; Lisette - Mrs Mattocks. COMMENT. Receipts: £150 75. (142/6; 8/1).
- JANE SHORE. Hastings Kemble; Gloster Aickin; Belmour Packer; Ratcliff -Benson; Catesby - Phillimore; Derby - Chaplin; Shore - Bensley // Alicia - Mrs Ward; Jane Shore - Mrs Siddons. Also THE PANNEL. Principal Characters by Bannister Jun., Barrymore, R. Palmer, Whitfield, Williames, Phillimore, Fawcett, Wilson, Chaplin, Jones, Alfred, Lyons, Baddeley // Mrs Goodall, Mrs Kemble, Mrs Love, Mrs Jordan. [Cast from text (T. and J. Egerton [1789]): Muskato -Bannister Jun.; Don Ferdinand – Barrymore; Lazarillo – R. Palmer; Don Carlos – Whitfield; Don Pedro - Williames; Octavio - Phillimore; Notary - Fawcett; Alguaziles - Wilson, Jones, Alfred, Cox; Lawyer - Chaplin; Servant - Lyons; Don Guzman - Baddeley // Marcella - Mrs Goodall; Aurora - Mrs Kemble; Leonarda - Mrs Love; Beatrice - Mrs Jordan.]

COMMENT. Afterpiece [1st time; C 3, by John Philip Kemble, based on 'TIS WELL IT'S NO WORSE, by Isaac Bickerstaffe]. Morning Chronicle, 13 Mar. 1789: This Day is published THE PANNEL (1s.). Receipts: £204 8s. (165/3/0; 38/1/6; 1/3/6).

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COMMENT. TWELFTH NIGHT and THE DOCTOR AND THE APOTHE-CARY [both advertised on playbill of 25 Nov.] are obliged to be deferred on Account of the Indisposition of Dodd. Receipts:  $f_{130}$  3s. (110/1; 18/12; 1/10).

Friday 28 CG
THE CHILD OF NATURE. Principal Characters by Lewis, Ryder, Aickin, Farren, Fearon, Macready, Thompson // Mrs Mattocks, Miss Brunton. [Cast from text (G. G. J. and J. Robinson, 1788), and European Magazine, Dec. 1788, p. 469: Count Valentia – Lewis; Duke of Murcia – Ryder; Peasant (Alberto) – Aickin; Marquis Almanza – Farren; Seville – Fearon; Granada – Macready; 2nd Peasant – Thomspon; Servant – Evatt // Marchioness Merida – Mrs Mattocks; Amanthis – Miss Brunton.] Epilogue spoken by Mrs Mattocks. [This was spoken as, here assigned, at all subsequent performances.] Also A BOLD STROKE FOR A W1FE. Colonel Feignwell – Ryder; Obadiah Prim – Booth; Sir Philip Modelove – Bernard; Tradelove – Thompson; Freeman – Davies; Sackbut – Fearon; Simon Pure – Blanchard; Periwinkle – Quick // Mrs Prim – Mrs Pitt; Ann Lovely – Mrs Wells. [Edition of 1799 (For the Proprietors) adds: Betty – Mrs Davenett.] DANCING. As 24 Sept.

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; D 4, by Elizabeth Inchbald, adapted from ZÉLIE; ou, L'Ingénue, by Stéphanie Félicité Ducrest de Saint Aubin, Comtesse de Genlis. Beginning with 6 Dec. this was reduced to an afterpiece of 3 acts. Epilogue by Miles Peter Andrews (see text)]. *Public Advertiser*, 12 Dec. 1788: This Day is published THE CHILD OF NATURE (price not listed). Afterpiece: Reduced [from 5] into 3 acts. Receipts: £150 155. 6d. (139/10/0; 11/5/6).

Saturday 29 DL KING HENRY THE EIGHTH. As 25 Nov. Also THE MILLER OF MANS-FIELD. The King – Whitfield; Richard – R. Palmer; Joe (with a song) – Williames; Lord Lurewell – Benson; Courtiers – Phillimore, Lyons; Keepers – Fawcett, Jones, Alfred; The Miller – Moody // Kate – Mrs Wilson; Peggy – Miss Collins; Margery – Mrs Booth. SINGING. As 25 Nov.

COMMENT. Receipts: £,219 1s. (199/1/0; 19/0/6; 0/19/6).

THE CHILD OF NATURE. As 28 Nov. Also MARIAN. As I Nov. DANCING. As 21 Oct. COMMENT. Receipts: £195 15. (170/0; 25/1).

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- Monday 1TANCRED AND SIGISMUNDA. Tancred A Gentleman (1st appearance on<br/>any stage [Barr]); Siffredi Bensley; Osmond Barrymore; Rhodolpho Benson;<br/>Officers Phillimore, Wilson, Chaplin, &c. // Laura Mrs Kemble; Sigismunda -<br/>Mrs Farmer (1st appearance in that character). Also THE PANNEL. As 28 Nov.<br/>COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 3 years [acted 5 Oct. 1786]. [Barr is<br/>identified by MS annotation on Kemble playbill.] Receipts: £178 125. 6d. (127/13/0;<br/>45/14/6; 5/5/0).
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THE HIGHLAND REEL. As 25 Nov. Also DUKE AND NO DUKE. Trapolin – Edwin; Lavinio – Macready; Barbarino – Gardner; Alberto – Thompson; Mago – Fearon; Brunetto – Evatt; Ambassador – Cubitt; Officer – Helme; Puritan – Wewitzer // Duchess – Mrs Platt; Prudentia – Miss Brangin; Flametta – Miss Stuart.

DANCING. As 7 Nov.

COMMENT. Afterpiece: Not acted these 2 years. Receipts: £186 75. 6d. (178/5/6; 8/2/0).

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