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
any stage [Barr]); Siffredi Bensley; Osmond Barrymore; Rhodolpho Benson;
Officers Phillimore, Wilson, Chaplin, &c. // Laura Mrs Kemble; Sigismunda -
Mrs Farmer (1st appearance in that character). Also THE PANNEL. As 28 Nov.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 3 years [acted 5 Oct. 1786]. [Barr is
identified by MS annotation on Kemble playbill.] Receipts: £178 125. 6d. (127/13/0;
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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