The Toy. As 3 Feb. Prologue as 3 Feb. Also The Prophet. As 10 Feb. CG COMMENT. Receipts: £215 175. (206/13/6; 9/3/6).

THE CONSTANT COUPLE. As 14 Jan. Also THE PANNEL. As 28 Nov. 1788.

COMMENT. Receipts: £206 145. 6d. (164/1/0; 40/1/6; 2/12/0).

THE HIGHLAND REEL. As 8 Dec. 1788. Also THE MISER. As 31 Jan. DANCING. As 7 Nov. 1788.

COMMENT. THE CARELESS HUSBAND [advertised on playbill of 12 Feb.] is obliged to be deferred, on Account of the Indisposition of Mrs Abington. [Afterpiece in place of TOM THUMB, advertised on same.] Receipts: £119 6s. 6d. (107/1/0; 12/5/6).

Saturday 14 CORIOLANUS. As 7 Feb., but 1st Tribune – Benson; omitted: 2nd Officer.

Also Selima and Azor. As 3 Jan.

COMMENT. Books of Coriolanus, according to the Alterations [see 7 Feb.], to be had at the Theatre. Receipts: £214 195. (192/15; 21/5; 0/19).

CG THE TOY. As 3 Feb. Prologue as 3 Feb. Also MARIAN. Edward – Johnstone; Sir Henry Freeman – Bannister; Robin – Blanchard; Thomas – Darley; Jamie – Fearon; Oliver – Thompson // Peggy – Mrs Kennedy; Patty – Mrs Martyr; Marian – Mrs Billington.

COMMENT. Receipts: £204 45. 6d. (193/16/0; 10/8/6).

King's IFIGENIA IN AULIDE. As 24 Jan.

DANCING. End of Act I New Divertissement, as 10 Feb., but omitted: Mlle Normand;
End of Opera Les Fêtes Provençales, as 10 Feb.

Monday 16

THE LAW OF LOMBARDY. Paladore – Kemble; The King – Aickin; Rinaldo –
Packer; Lucio – Whitfield; Arcanio – Williames; Shepherd – Chaplin; Senator –
Phillimore; Knight – Banks; Officer – Lyons; Foresters – Fawcett, Benson; Bireno –
Wroughton // Alinda – Mrs Farmer; The Princess (with the original Epilogue) –
Mrs Siddons. Also Lethe; or, Æsop in the Shades. Lord Chalkstone –
Bannister Jun.; Mercury (with songs) – Kelly; Æsop – Aickin; Fine Gentleman –
R. Palmer; Frenchman – Baddeley; Drunken Man – Moody; Charon – Williames;
Bowman – Lamash; Old Man – Parsons // The Fine Lady (with a song in character,
and for this night only) – Mrs Siddons.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Siddons. Part of the Pit will be laid into the Boxes. To prevent Confusion, Ladies are desired to send their Servants by Half past Four o'Clock. Mainpiece: Not acted these 10 years. [Epilogue by Robert Jephson.] Afterpiece: Written by D. Garrick, Esq. Public Advertiser, 31 Jan.: Tickets to be had of Mrs Siddons, Gower-street, Bedford-square. Receipts: £340 55. 6d. (166/10/0; 11/0/0; 1/4/6; tickets: 161/11/0) (charge: free).

CG THE TOY. As 3 Feb. *Prologue* as 3 Feb. Also MIDAS. As 17 Sept. 1788, but Pan – Cubitt.

DANCING. As 24 Sept. 1788.

COMMENT. Receipts: £224 16s. 6d. (218/15/0; 6/1/6).

Tuesday 17 ALL IN THE WRONG. As 27 Jan., but Sir John Restless – Wroughton. Also ARTHUR AND EMMELINE. As 27 Jan.

COMMENT. Kemble Mem.: Palmer in Prison [see 20 Jan.]. Receipts: £170 15.

(134/4; 35/8; 0/9).



INKLE AND YARICO. As 31 Jan., but omitted: 2nd, 3rd Planters. Also A Tuesday 17 BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. As 28 Nov. 1788, but Ann Lovely – Miss CG Chapman.

DANCING. As I Jan.

COMMENT. Receipts: £264 18s. (255/8; 9/10).

LA COSA RARA. As 10 Jan.

DANCING. As 14 Feb. throughout.

SINGING. As 7 Feb.

King's

THE MAID OF THE MILL. Lord Aimworth – Kelly; Sir Harry Sycamore – Waldron; Fairfield – Aickin; Mervin – Williames; Ralph – Suett; Giles – Dignum // Fanny – Miss Romanzini; Lady Sycamore – Mrs Hopkins; Theodosia – Mrs Forster; Patty – Mrs Crouch. Also ROBINSON CRUSOE. As 22 Dec. 1788. DANCING. End of Act 1 of mainpiece, as 7 Jan.

Wednesday 18 DL

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE STRANGERS AT HOME; afterpiece of THE SULTAN, both advertised on playbill of 17 Feb.] Receipts: £134 55. 6d. (105/3/0; 28/0/6; 1/2/0).

THE NUNNERY. Probably as 6 Feb. Also THE CHILD OF NATURE. Probably as 6 Dec. 1788. Also THE FARMER. As 24 Sept. 1788.

COMMENT. [As mainpiece the playbill announces THE MERCHANT OF VENICE, but "On Account of Macklin's sudden Indisposition, THE MERCHANT OF VENICE cannot be performed; and this Evening will be presented... THE NUNNERY, with... THE CHILD OF NATURE, [and] THE FARMER" (printed slip on BM playbill, CG, Vol. VI).] Receipts: £214 61. 6d. (206/4/0; 8/2/6).

THE JEALOUS WIFE. As 14 Nov. 1788, but Oakly – Wroughton; John – Lyons. Also THE FIRST FLOOR. As 30 Sept. 1788.

Thursday 19 DL

Friday 20

COMMENT. Receipts: £88 141. (61/1/0; 25/17/0; 1/13/6; ticket not come in: 0/2/6).

THE TOY. As 3 Feb. Prologue as 3 Feb. Also THE SULTAN. Solyman - CG Davies; Osman - Fearon; Selim - Darley // Ismene - Mrs Martyr; Elmira - Mrs Inchbald; Roxalana - Miss Wallis (1st appearance in that character).

DANCING. End of mainpiece, as 10 Oct. 1788; Afterpiece to conclude with a Grand Dance. Chief of the Bostanges - Byrne; Principal Female Dancers - Mrs Ratchford, Mrs Goodwin.

COMMENT. Afterpiece: Taken from Solyman the Magnificent of Marmontel. Receipts: £,187 135. 6d. (178/3/6; 9/10/0).

As YOU LIKE IT. As 2 Oct. 1788, but Touchstone – Bannister Jun. (1st appearance in that character); Orlando – Barrymore // Rosalind (with the Cuckoo Song); omitted: Silvius, Jaques de Bois, Corin, Charles. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS. As 4 Oct. 1788, but Sir Harry's Servant – Whitfield; Coachman – Chaplin; omitted: Kingston, Tom.

DANCING. End of Act I of mainpiece a Dance [probably Jamie's Return], as 7 Jan. SINGING. In Act v of mainpiece a song by Miss Romanzini.

COMMENT. Receipts: £103 4s. 6d. (68/15/0; 31/15/6; 1/19/0; tickets not come in: <math>0/15/0).

THE CARELESS HUSBAND. As 19 Dec. 1788, but Lady Betty Modish – Mrs CG Abington. Also TOM THUMB. Probably as 3 Oct. 1788.

COMMENT. [As afterpiece the playbill announces the 1st night of HIDE AND SEEK (see 24 Feb.), but "On account of Johnstone's Indisposition, the new Farce is unavoidably deferr'd . . . Tom Thumb will therefore be performed this Evening" (printed slip on BM playbill, CG, Vol. VI).] Receipts: £220 181. (207/2/6; 13/15/6).

