THE OLD BATCHELOR. Bellmour - Lewis; Fondlewife - Quick; Sharper -Farren; Sir Joseph Wittol – Blanchard; Captain Bluff – Cubitt; Vainlove – Macready; Setter - Bernard; Barnaby - Milburne; Heartwell - Ryder // Belinda - Mrs Pope; Araminta – Miss Chapman; Silvia – Mrs Mountain; Lucy – Miss Stuart; Laetitia – Mrs Abington. Also HIDE AND SEEK. As 24 Feb.

Thursday 5

Friday 6

CG

DANCING. End of mainpiece Leap Year [performers not listed]. COMMENT. Mainpiece: With Alterations. Paid Woodfall [for printing playbills in Public Advertiser] £200. Receipts: £223 16s. (213/5; 10/11).

A PRELUDE. As 27 Feb. Also ACIS AND GALATEA. Principal Vocal Parts and Violin as 27 Feb. Also A MISCELLANEOUS CONCERT. Air, on the Recovery of the King, by Handel, sung by Reinhold. Concerto Bassoon by Parkinson. Sweet Bird [L'ALLEGRO], accompanied on the violin by Shaw, by Mrs Ambrose. Sound an Alarm [JUDAS MACCABAEUS] by Kelly. New concerto hautboy by W. Parke. Se non avate, O Dio!, by Sacchini, sung by Mrs Crouch. Lungi del caro bene [GIULIO SABINO], by Sarti, sung by Mrs Ambrose, accompanied on the harp by Mme Krumpholtz. God save Great George our King. 1st Violin by Shaw. MUSIC. End of Part 1 of serenata a solo on the harp by Mme Krumpholtz (2nd appearance in this Kingdom).

COMMENT. [Mme Krumpholtz's 1st appearance in London was at the Hanover Square Rooms, 2 June 1788.]

A GRAND SELECTION OF SACRED MUSIC, from the works of Handel, chiefly performed at Westminster-Abbey [at the Handel Commemoration, 26 May 1784]. Principal Vocal and Instrumental Performers as 27 Feb.

The Coronation Anthem, God save the King.

PART I. Overture (Occasional Oratorio). Shall I in Mamre's fertile Plain by Sale; For all these Mercies by Chorus; O bad I Jubal's Lyre by Miss Mahon; Te Sons of Israel by Chorus (JOSHUA). Total Eclipse by Harrison; O first created Beam by Chorus (SAMSON). Angels ever bright and fair by Sga Storace (THEODORA). He gave them Hailstones by Chorus (ISRAEL IN EGYPT).

PART II. Jehovah crowned by Pearson and Chorus (ESTHER). He was Eyes unto the Blind by Miss Cantelo (SIROE). Second Hautboy Concerto. Praise the Lord by Miss Mahon (ESTHER). Gird on thy Sword by Chorus (SAUL). O come let us worship by Harrison ([CORONATION] ANTHEMS). The Lord shall reign by Chorus; For the Horse of Pharaoh by Harrison; The Horse and his Rider by Sga Storace and Chorus (ISRAEL IN EGYPT).

PART III. Overture and Dead March (SAUL). Funeral Anthem. What Passion cannot Music raise or quell by Miss Cantelo (Dryden's ODE). Glory to God by Harrison and Chorus (JOSHUA). Where'er you walk by Sga Storace (SEMELE). Gloria Patri by full chorus (JUBILATE).

MUSIC. End of Part II concerto on the violin by Mme Gautherot.

COMMENT. Charge [for rental of theatre] f, so.

CORIOLANUS. As 7 Feb. Also THE MINOR. As 21 Feb. COMMENT. Receipts: £172 6s. (147/6/0; 23/5/6; 1/14/6).

Saturday 7 DL

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. As 3 Mar. Also BARATARIA. As 20 Nov. 1788. CG COMMENT. Receipts: £171 11s. 6d. (166/17/6; 4/14/0).

LA COSA RARA. Probably as 10 Jan. DANCING. As 3 Mar. throughout.

King's

COMMENT. [The playbill announces IL DISERTORE, but "La Cosa Rara, from Giuliani's illness, was the substitute for the Serious Opera" (World, 9 Mar.).]

