COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of UT PICTURA POESIS!, HALF AN Fri. HOUR AFTER SUPPER, and THE ROMP; afterpiece of THE SWOP, all Hadvertised on playbill of 17 June.]

Friday 19 HAY

Monday 22 HAY

THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS. Bustleton - Powell; Manager - Aickin; Easy - Iliff; Gentleman in the Balcony - Rees; Irishman in the Pit - R. Palmer; Prompter - Gardner // Actresses - Miss Brangin, Mrs Poussin, Miss Francis, Miss Palmer; Lady in the Balcony - Mrs Webb. Also PEEPING TOM. Peeping Tom - Edwin; Mayor - Moss (1st appearance in that character); Crazy - Barrett; Earl of Mercia - Gardner; Count Louis - Lyons; Harold - Davies // Maud - Mrs Kemble; Mayoress - Mrs Webb; Lady Godina [sie] - Miss Brangin; Emma - Mrs Bannister. Also The Swop. Principal Characters by Williamson, R. Palmer, Iliff, Barrett, Usher, Abbott, Kemble // Mrs Webb, Mrs Taylor, Mrs Kemble. [Cast from European Magazine, June 1789, p. 488: Major Rheinberg - Williamson; Count de Narcisse - R. Palmer; Count de Wurtzendal - Iliff; Notary - Barrett; Bertrand - Usher; Capt. Edelsee - Abbott [in European Magazine: Johnson]; Baron de Fortsheim - Kemble // Baroness de Fortsheim - Mrs Webb; Lisette - Mrs Taylor; Eleanora - Mrs Kemble.] Prologue spoken by R. Palmer.

COMMENT. 3rd piece [1st time; F 2, author unknown, based on DER POSTZUG; oder, Die nobeln Passionen, by Cornelius Hermann von Ayrenhoff. MS: Larpent 834; not published. Prologue by George Colman, the elder (Public Advertiser, 19 June)].

THE SUICIDE. As 19 June. Also THE AGREEABLE SURPRISE. As Tuesday 23 19 June, but added: Cudden – Ledger; Stump – Painter. HAY

DANCING. As 19 June.

SINGING. In Act III of mainpiece a favourite Catch and Glee by Reeve, Chapman, Chambers, Mathews, &c.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE MINOR; afterpiece of UT PICTURA POESIS!, both advertised on playbill of 22 June.]

THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. Woodville – Bannister Jun.; Lord Glenmore (1st time) – Kemble; Governor Harcourt – Moss; Captain Harcourt – Williamson; Vane – R. Palmer; Grey – Aickin; Jacob – Edwin // Bridget – Mrs Barresford; Miss Mortimer – Mrs Cuyler; Warner – Mrs Powell; Cecilia – Mrs Brooks. Also HALF AN HOUR AFTER SUPPER. As 12 June. DANCING. End of mainpiece, as 25 May.

Wednesday 24 HAY

INKLE AND YARICO. Inkle – Bannister Jun.; Sir Christopher Curry – Kemble; Campley – Davies; Medium – Baddeley; Mate – Chapman; Planters – Usher, Gardner, Johnson; Sailors – Ledger, Painter, Abbott, &c.; Trudge – Edwin // Narcissa – Mrs Bannister; Wowski – Miss George; Patty – Mrs Edwards; Yarico – Mrs Kemble. Also As IT SHOULD BE. As 3 June.

DANCING. As 24 June.

Thursday 25

SUMMER AMUSEMENT; or, An Adventure at Margate. Captain Surat – Bannister; Lord Random – R. Palmer; Sir James Juniper – Moss; Melvil – Davies; Doctor Cathartic – Baddeley; Spruce – Iliff; Sir Dilberry – Painter; Kit Crab – Barrett; Etiquette – Edwin // Lady Juniper – Mrs Webb; Fidget – Miss Hale; Amelia – Mrs Bannister. Also HALF AN HOUR AFTER SUPPER. As 12 June, but omitted: Mrs Edwin.

Friday 26 HAY

THE MANAGER IN DISTRESS. As 22 June. Also THE SON-IN-LAW. Arionelli – Bannister; Cranky – Moss; Bouquet – Davies; Vinegar – Baddeley; Mum – Barrett; Idle – R. Palmer; Bowkitt – Edwin // Dolce – Miss Brangin; Cecilia – Mrs Bannister. Also PEEPING TOM. As 22 June.

Saturday 27 HAY



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LA GENEROSITÀ D'ALESSANDRO. As 2 June at King's.

DANCING. End of Act 1 New Divertissement, as 10 Mar. at King's; End of Opera L'Embarquement pour Cythère, as 10 Jan. at King's but omitted: Mlle Normand. COMMENT. From the late unfortunate calamity at the King's Theatre [see 16 June], the Subscribers are respectfully acquainted that as many Operas will be represented at this Theatre as can from this Evening to the 11th of July, the day on which most of the Performers' Contracts expire. Mr Gallini humbly requests it may be observed that on account of there not being Boxes enough to accomodate the Subscribers, as at the late Opera House, in order to avoid partiality, no particular Places or Boxes can be allotted to the respective Subscribers. The Entrance into the Theatre will be from Covent-Garden and Hart-street only, the doors from Bow-street will, from necessity, be shut up. Pit and Boxes 10s. 6d. 1st Gallery 3s. 2nd Gallery 3s.

"Covent-Garden, on Saturday night, had the honour of entertaining this noble Foreigner—but by some accident they did not agree . . . The Gallery, only,

was filled" (World, 29 June).

Monday 29 HAY Two To One. Young Townly - Bannister Jun.; Captain Dupely - Aickin; Mr Dupely - Moss; Beaufort - R. Palmer; Sir Charles Townly - Baddeley; Crape - Davies; Dicky Ditto - Edwin // Tippet - Miss George; Charlotte - Mrs Bannister. Also The Mayor of Garratt. Major Sturgeon - Bannister; Sir Jacob Jollup - Usher; Bruin - Gardner; Heeltap - Burton; Lint - Barrett; Jerry Sneak - Edwin // Mrs Bruin - Mrs Poussin; Mrs Sneak - Mrs Webb.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 3 years [acted 2 Aug. 1787].

Tuesday 30 HAY THE SWORD OF PEACE; or, A Voyage of Love. Principal Characters by Bannister Jun., Williamson, R. Palmer, Kemble, Iliff, Johnson, Abbott, Chapman, Burton, Baddeley // Mrs Kemble, Mrs Whitfield, Mrs Poussin, Miss Brangin, Mrs Rivers (1st appearance on this stage). [Cast adjusted from text (J. Debrett, 1789): Jeffreys – Bannister Jun.; Mr Edwards – Williamson; Supple – R. Palmer; Mr David Northcote – Kemble; Lieutenant Dormer – Iliff; Gentlemen – Johnson, Abbott; Mazinghi Dowza – Chapman; Caesar – Burton; Resident – Baddeley // Miss Louisa Moreton – Mrs Kemble; Mrs Tartar – Mrs Whitfield; Mrs Garnish – Mrs Poussin; Miss Bronze – Miss Brangin; Miss Eliza Moreton – Mrs Rivers.] Also THE AGREE-ABLE SURPRISE. As 23 June.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: 7th Time [i.e. in continuation of the reckoning for the previous season. Mrs Rivers was from CG].

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CG LA GENEROSITÀ D'ALESSANDRO. As 2 June at King's.

DANCING. End of Act 1 New Divertissement, as 10 Mar. at King's; End of Opera

Les Fêtes Provençales, as 7 Feb. at King's, but Mlle Émilie Colombe in place of

Mlle Normand.

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Wednesday 1 TIT FOR TAT. As 15 June, but added: Servant – Abbott [Public Advertiser: Lyons]. Also PEEPING TOM. As 22 June.

MONOLOGUE. As 17 June, but added: Reeve.

Thursday 2 THE SWORD OF PEACE. As 30 June. Also THE SON-IN-LAW. As 27 June.

