THE CHANCES. Don John - Palmer; Duke - Packer; Petruchio - Aickin; Antonio - Parsons; Peter - Burton; Antony - Phillimore; Francisco - Wright; Surgeon - Wrighten; Frederick - Brereton // 1st Constantia - Mrs Ward; Mother - Mrs Hopkins; Landlady - Mrs Love; Nurse - Mrs Booth; 2nd Constantia - Miss Farren. Also FORTUNATUS. As 14 Nov.

Friday 19

COMMENT. Receipts: £74 18s. 6d. (52/0/0; 21/17/6; 0/18/6; ticket not come in: 0/2/6).

MORE WAYS THAN ONE. As 8 Dec. Also THE POOR SOLDIER. As CG 12 Dec.

COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece, who is named in the Account-Book, but not on the playbill]. Receipts: none listed (charge: £105).

VENICE PRESERV'D. As 27 Oct. Also THE GENTLE SHEPHERD. As Saturday 20 20 Sept.

COMMENT. Receipts: £233 7s. 6d. (207/15/0; 24/17/0; 0/8/0; tickets not come in: 0/7/6).

THE CASTLE OF ANDALUSIA. As 3 Dec., but Victoria – Mrs Johnstone CG (1st appearance in that character). Also THE DEVIL UPON TWO STICKS. As 25 Nov., but Mrs Margaret Maxwell – Mrs Pitt.

COMMENT. Receipts: £128 (127/0; 1/0).

SILLA. As 29 Nov.

DANCING. As 6 Dec. throughout.

King's

DOUGLAS. Douglas - Brereton; Glenalvon - Palmer; Lord Randolph - Farren; Officer - Wilson; Servant - Phillimore; Norval - Bensley // Anna - Miss Wheeler; Lady Randolph - Mrs Siddons (1st appearance in that character [in London]). Also THE LYAR. As 18 Sept. DANCING. As 20 Oct.

Monday 22 DL

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Siddons. Mainpiece: Not acted these 3 years. 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. [Mrs Siddons's 1st appearance as Lady Randolph was at Manchester, 5 Feb. 1777.]

"The Siddons, younger and more rich in natural Gifts, certainly offers much to the Mind, and yet much more to the Eye. The Crawford, by some means or other, offers more to the Heart" (*Public Advertiser*, 24 Dec.). Receipts: £303 8s. 6d. (156/2/0; 10/13/0; 0/13/6; tickets: 136/0/0) (charge: free).

More Ways than One. As 8 Dec. Also The Poor Soldier. As CO 12 Dec. comment. Receipts: £158 191. (153/3; 5/16).

A SCHOOL FOR FATHERS. As 30 Oct., but Jenny – Mrs Wrighten. Also Tuesday 23 THE DEAF LOVER. As 24 Nov.

COMMENT. Receipts: £78 13s. 6d. (47/0/0; 29/14/6; 1/1/6; tickets not come in: 0/17/6).

THE WINTER'S TALE. As 9 Oct., but Perdita – Mrs Kemble [i.e. formerly Miss Satchell (see 24 Nov.)]. Also FRIAR BACON; or, Harlequin's Adventures in Lilliput, Brobdignag, &c. Cast not listed. [Partial cast from Morning Chronicle and from Morning Herald, both 24 Dec.: Friar Bacon – Reinhold; Friar Bungay – Bannister; Harlequin – Chalmers; Boy in Brobdignag – Edwin // Girl in Brobdignag – Miss Stewart; Colombine – Mrs Chalmers. Other parts from Larpent MS and from Morning Chronicle, 24 Dec.: Head, Councillors in Lilliput, Cryer, Lord Mayor,

