Powel; Oliver – Thompson // Peggy – Mrs Mountain; Patty – Mrs Martyr; Marian – Mrs Billington.

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COMMENT. Afterpiece: Not acted these 2 years. Receipts: £295 15s. (289/15/6; 5/19/6).

LE TRAME DELUSE. As 14 Feb. DANCING. As 14 Feb. throughout.

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THE GRECIAN DAUGHTER. AS 11 Feb. Also THE MAYOR OF GARRATT. Sir Jacob Jollup – Waldron; Major Sturgeon – Bannister; Jerry Sneak – Bannister Jun.; Heeltap – Burton; Bruin – Phillimore; Lint – Suett; Roger – Hollingsworth // Mrs Sneak – Mrs Goodall (1st appearance in that character); Mrs Bruin – Miss Tidswell.

Monday 27 DL at King's

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of KING LEAR, advertised on playbill of 25 Feb.] Receipts: £317 15s. 6d. (271/4/6; 38/10/0; 7/18/0; ticket not come in: 0/3/0).

THE ROAD TO RUIN. As 18 Feb. Also THE FARMER. As 12 Sept. 1791.

COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece, who is named in the Account-Book, but not on the playbill]. Receipts: £302 181. 6d. (295/7/6; 7/11/0; tickets: none listed) (charge: £105).

CYMON. As 6 Feb. Also THE SULTAN. As 14 Nov. 1791.

DANCING. As 10 Dec. 1791.

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COMMENT. Receipts: £294 15s. (236/19; 54/15; 2/18; ticket not come in: 0/3).

ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. Principal Characters by Incledon, Gray, Darley, Mrs Mountain // Mrs Billington. [Cast from libretto (T. Cadell, 1792): Orpheus – Incledon; Hymen – Gray; Pluto – Darley; Cupid – Mrs Mountain // Eurydice – Mrs Billington.] Shepherds, Furies and Shades of departed Heroes – Linton, Rowson, Tett, Kenrick, Street, Watson, Clark, Hart, Dixon, Letteney, Dawes, Rowe, Master Craig, Master Davis, Master Pulley // Principal Shepherdesses, Furies and Shades of departed Heroines – Miss Stuart, Mrs Watts, Mrs Powell, Miss Francis, Mrs Arnold, Miss Leserve, Mrs Masters, Mrs Lloyd, Miss Barnett, Mrs Cross, Mrs Davenett, Mrs Gray, Miss Broadhurst. Also Rosina. Belville – Johnstone; Captain Belville – Marshall [Public Advertiser: Cubitt]; William – Blanchard; Rustic – Davies; Irish Haymaker – Rock // Phoebe – Mrs Martyr; Dorcas – Mrs Pitt; Rosina (with Sweet Bird, by Handel, accompanied on the violin by Weichsel) – Mrs Billington.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Billington. Mainpiece: 1st time at this Theatre [1st performed at Smock Alley Theatre, Dublin, 3 Jan. 1784]. The Music by Gluck [whose opera this actually was, with additions by] Handel, Bach, Sacchini, Reeve, and Mazzinghi. With an entire new Overture composed by Gyrowetz. In Act II Weichsel will accompany an obligato song on the violin. The dances by Byrne and Mlle St. Amand. With new Scenery, Dresses, and Decorations. Afterpiece: Not acted these 2 years [acted 27 May 1791]. Morning Herald, 9 Feb.: Tickets to be had of Mrs Billington, No. 53, Poland-street. Receipts: £371 155. (257/18/6; 8/15/6; tickets: 105/1/0) (charge: £105).

LA LOCANDA. Principal Characters by Lazzarini, Agostino Lipparini, Cipriani // Sga Casentini, Sga Calvesi, Sga Schinotti. [Cast from libretto (H. Reynell, 1792): Riccardo – Lazzarini; Arsenio – Lipparini Sen.; Valerio – Cipriani // Guerina – Sga Casentini; Marinetta – Sga Calvesi; Rosaura – Sga Schinotti.]

DANCING. As 14 Feb. throughout.

COMMENT. A Comic Opera, composed by Paisiello; under the direction of Mazzinghi. "The original score of this beautiful opera was destroyed in the

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conflagration at the Pantheon [see 14 Jan.]. Mazzinghi and Cramer have been able, from recollection, to bring it again before the public" (Morning Herald, 5 Mar.).

Wednesday 29 ACIS AND GALATEA. Principal Vocal Parts, Leader as 24 Feb.

PART I. O the pleasures of the plains! by Chorus. For us the zepbyr blows by Mrs Bland. Te verdant plains and Hush, ye pretty warbling choir by Mrs Crouch. Where sball I seek? by Incledon. Stay, shepherd, stay and Shepherd, what art thou pursuing? by Miss Barclay. Lo! bere my love and Love in ber eyes by Incledon. Didst thou know the pains and As when the dove by Mrs Crouch. Happy we by Miss Hagley, Dignum and Chorus.

PART II. Wretched lovers by Chorus. I rage, I melt, I burn and O! ruddier than the cherry by Reinhold. Whither, fairest? by Reinhold and Mrs Crouch. Cease to beauty to be suing by Reinhold. Would you gain the tender creature by Master Welsh. His bideous love and Love sounds the alarm by Incledon. Consider, fond shepherd by Master Welsh. Cease, O cease by Mrs Bland. The flocks shall by Reinhold, Dignum, Mrs Bland. Help, Galatea! by Dignum. Mourn, all ye Muses by Chorus. Must I, my Acis by Mrs Bland. Cease, Galatea by Chorus. 'Tis done, thus I exert and Heart, the seat by Mrs Crouch. Galatea, dry thy tears by Chorus.

PART III. A MISCELLANEOUS ACT. Sono imbrogliato già by Morelli (Paisiello). Fallen is the foe by Chorus (JUDAS MACCABAEUS). Let the bright Seraphim by Miss Barclay (SAMSON). Concerto violin by Master Bridgetower. Awake! Awake! Aeolian lyre by Reinhold (ALEXANDER'S FEAST, by Dr Arnold). O Liberty by Miss Hagley, accompanied on the violoncello by Mason (JUDAS MACCABAEUS). Gird on thy sword by Chorus (SAUL). Shall I in Mamre's fertile plain by Morelli and Chorus (JOSHUA). Sin not, O King by Mrs Bland (SAUL). The many rend the skies by Chorus (ALEXANDER'S FEAST, by Handel). What tho' I trace by Mrs Crouch (SOLOMON). Coronation Anthem by Chorus.

MUSIC. End of Part I concerto on the hautboy by [J.] Parke.

THE CORONATION ANTHEM. Also THE MESSIAH. Principal Vocal Parts, Leader as 24 Feb. Organ – Greatorex.

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KING JOHN. King John - Kemble; Arthur - Miss De Camp; Pembroke - Dignum; Essex - Caulfield; Salisbury - Whitfield; Hubert - Bensley; Faulconbridge -Palmer; R. Faulconbridge - Waldron; J. Gurney - Lyons; King Philip - Aickin; Lewis - Barrymore; Austria - Phillimore; Cardinal Pandulpho - Packer; Chatillon Benson // Elinor - Mrs Hopkins; Constance - Mrs Siddons; Blanch - Miss Collins; Lady Faulconbridge - Mrs Cuyler. Also THE HUMOURIST. As 4 Nov. 1791.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 5 years [not acted since 22 Nov. 1785]. Receipts: £278 10s. 6d. (239/11/6; 36/0/0; 2/19/0).

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THE ROAD TO RUIN. As 18 Feb. Also MARIAN. As 25 Feb., but added:

COMMENT. Receipts: £330 2s. 6d. (322/18/6; 7/4/0).

LA LOCANDA. As 28 Feb. HAY

DANCING. As 14 Feb. throughout.

