Thursday 26 DL at King's DANCING. End of mainpiece a Dance [performers not listed].

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Goodall. [In mainpiece the playbill retains King as Trappanti, but "King being indisposed, Trappanti . . . was represented by Benson" (unidentified clipping on playbill of 27 Apr., BM: Harris, Vol. III).] Morning Herald, 9 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Mrs Goodall, No. 13, Great Russell-street, Covent-garden. Receipts: £364 8s. 6d. (125/13/6; 36/15/0; 4/7/0; tickets: 197/13/0) (charge: £157 11s. 2d.).

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THE ROAD TO RUIN. As 9 Apr. Also ZELMA. As 17 Apr. COMMENT. The Doors to be opened at 5:30. To begin at 6:30 [same for rest of season]. Receipts: £183 3s. 6d. (177/13/6; 5/10/0).

HAY

LA BELLA PESCATRICE. As 12 Apr. DANCING. As 17 Apr. throughout.

Friday 27 DL at King's THE FUGITIVE. As 20 Apr., but Kemble in place of King; Alfred of Phillimore. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS. As 20 Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece, who is named in Kemble Mem., but not on the playbill. In mainpiece the playbill retains King, but "Mr King being ill I acted his Part to-night" (Kemble Mem.).]. Account-Book, 12 May: Author's Charge 3rd night of Fugitive enter'd short by error £12 16s. Receipts: £408 5s. (365/1; 41/0; 2/4; tickets: none listed) (charge: £147).

CG

WILD OATS. As 9 Feb. Also THE POOR SOLDIER. As 19 Oct. 1791. COMMENT. Receipts: £132 61. 6d. (128/3/0; 4/3/6).

Saturday 28 DL at King's THE JEALOUS WIFE. As 8 Feb., but Oakly – Kemble; Major Oakly – Palmer (Their 1st appearance in those characters); Paris – Wewitzer // Mrs Oakly – Mrs Siddons (1st appearance in that character [in London]); Lady Freelove – Mrs Hopkins; added: William – Maddocks; John – Webb; Tom – Alfred; Robert – Lyons. Also THE FIRST FLOOR. As 10 Nov. 1791, but Simon – Benson; omitted: Nancy.

COMMENT. [Mrs Siddons's 1st appearance as Mrs Oakly was at Manchester, 21 Mar. 1777.] Receipts: £241 145. 6d. (199/1/6; 39/17/0; 2/16/0).

CG

NOTORIETY. As II Feb., but omitted: Prologue. Also ROBIN HOOD. As 31 Mar.

MONOLOGUES. Preceding mainpiece a New Address, She Couldn't Help It [by Harley]; End of mainpiece Collins's Ode on the Passions by Mrs Esten.

IMITATIONS. End of Act II of mainpiece Dramatic Imitations - Comic, Vocal and Tragic, by Mrs Wells.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Wells. [New Address by Edward Topham (European Magazine, May 1792, p. 389, which also identifies the speaker).] Receipts: £202 191. (137/12/6; 6/3/0; tickets: 59/4/0) (charge: £105).

HAY

LA DISCORDIA CONJUGALE. As 31 Mar. DANCING. As 17 Apr. throughout.

Monday 30 DL at King's CYMON. As 15 Mar., but 1st Knight - Bourk. Also THE VIRGIN UNMASK'D. As 21 Jan.

COMMENT. Hughes [see 31 Dec. 1791] to pay for all the Tickets he sends in on this Night above £40. Receipts: £322 (263/10/6; 53/18/0; 4/11/6).

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THE ROAD TO RUIN. As 9 Apr. Also OSCAR AND MALVINA. As 14 Dec. 1791.

MUSIC. As 25 Jan.

COMMENT. Paid Poor Rate for the Theatre £21 16s.; Macleish, printer [of the playbills], to 7th Inst. £67 1s. Receipts: £210 13s. 6d. (207/17/0; 2/16/6).

