Zany – Simmons; in IV, in place of Landlady: Glee by Davies, Townsend, Miss
Barnett, Mrs Henley, Miss Hopkins, &c.; omitted from III: Taylor; from VII:

COMMENT. Receipts: £370 19s. (347/3; 23/16).

OROONOKO; or, The Royal Slave. Oroonoko – Barrymore; Blandford – Aickin; Lieut. Governor – Caulfield; Stanmore – Benson; Stanmore Jun. – Bland; Daniel – Suett; Capt. Driver – Wewitzer; Hotman – Cooke; Slaves – Usher, Maddocks, Lyons, &c.; Planters – Burton, Jones, &c.; Aboan – Bensley // Charlotte Welldon – Mrs Goodall; Lucy Welldon – Miss Tidswell; Widow Lackit – Mrs Hopkins; Imoinda – Mrs Powell. Also HARLEQUIN PEASANT. As 27 Dec., but Lover – Cooke; omitted: Lawyer, Blacksmith, Ass-Driver, Passengers.

THE DUENNA. As 5 Nov., but Anthonio – Townsend // The Duenna – Mrs
Henley. Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As 30 Dec., but in 1: Lucifer –
Campbell; in VII: Zephyrus – Holland; in IX, in place of Irish: two Trick Sedan
Chairs; added in IV: Dancing-Master (with a song in character) – Fawcett.

COMMENT. Receipts: £331 2s. (321/16; 9/6).

THE MOCK DOCTOR. As 20 Dec. Also MY GRANDMOTHER. As 16 Dec., but omitted: Bland. Also HARLEQUIN PEASANT. As 30 Dec., but Pierrot – Benson; omitted: Beadle, Constable, Fury, Watchmen.

COMMENT. [In 3rd piece the playbill retains Delpini as Pierrot, but "Previous

to the pantomime, Bannister Jun. informed the audience that Delpini being indisposed, Benson would endeavour to supply his place" (*Thespian Magazine*, Jan. 1794, p. 30).]

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NOTORIETY. As 29 Oct. 1793, but Lady Acid - Mrs Chambers; omitted: James. Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As 31 Dec. 1793, but added in v1: Ballad Singer (with a new song in character) - Fawcett; omitted from IV: Glee; from V: Irish Song; from V1: Glee.

Wednesday 1 CG

COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties. Receipts: £487 25. 6d. (475/18/6; 11/4/0).

THE CONSTANT COUPLE. As 5 Nov. 1793, but Vizard - Caulfield. Also HAY THE CHILDREN IN THE WOOD. As 1 Oct. 1793.

THE WORLD IN A VILLAGE. As 23 Nov. 1793, but omitted: Fawcett, Rock, Thompson, Farley; also omitted: Prologue, Epilogue [and thereafter]. Also HAR-CG LEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As I Jan.

COMMENT. Receipts: £364 95. 6d. (351/17/6; 12/12/0).

THE RECRUITING OFFICER. As 16 Nov. 1793, but Melinda – Miss Heard; 1st Mob-Woman – Mrs Heard; omitted: Scale, Scruple, Steward, Servant. Also THE CHILDREN IN THE WOOD. As 1 Oct. 1793.

THE WEST INDIAN. Belcour – Lewis; Stockwell – Farren; Major O'Flaherty – Friday 3

Johnstone; Capt. Dudley – Hull; Charles – Middleton; Fulmer – Thompson; CG

Stukely – Powel; Varland – Quick // Louisa – Mrs Mountain; Lady Rusport – Mrs Chambers; Lucy – Miss Stuart; Mrs Fulmer – Mrs Henley; Charlotte Rusport



Friday 3 CG - Mrs Pope (1st appearance in that character). Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUS-TUS. As I Jan.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 3 years [not acted since 17 Sept. 1788]. Receipts: £342 4s. 6d. (335/9/6; 6/15/0).

HAY

THE HAUNTED TOWER. As 16 Dec. 1793, but Robert - Maddocks; Martin - Waldron Jun.; Edward - read by Bland. Also THE DIVORCE. As 19 Dec. 1793.

COMMENT. [In mainpiece the playbill retains Bannister Jun. as Edward, but he "was so ill as to be incapable of performing—his part of Lord Edward was read by Bland" (*Thespian Magazine*, Jan. 1794, p. 30). Afterpiece in place of HARLEQUIN PEASANT, advertised on playbill of 2 Jan.]

Saturday 4 CG FONTAINBLEAU. As 15 Oct. 1793, but Sir John Bull – Fawcett // Lady Bull – Mrs Chambers. Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As 1 Jan. COMMENT. Receipts: £349 125. (331/19; 17/13).

HAY

THE TEMPEST. As 26 Dec. 1793, but Stephano – Benson. Also HARLEQUIN PEASANT [and see 26 Dec. 1793]. Emigrant Marquis – Wewitzer; Dr Fingallion – Caulfield; Townly – Bland; Harlequin Peasant (with songs) – Dignum; Harlequin Mime – Waldron Jun.; Pantaloon – Maddocks; Lover – Cooke; Peasant-Children – Master Menage, Master Chatterley, Miss Menage; Pierrot – Benson // Genius of Gratitude (with songs) – Mrs Stuart; Pantaloon's Wife – Mrs Heard; Maid – Mrs Haskey; Marquis's Maid – Miss Tidswell; Actress – Mrs Jones; Coach Passengers – Mrs Hale, Mrs Palmer, &c.; Colombine (with songs) – Miss De Camp. SINGING. As 26 Dec. 1793.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE CHILDREN IN THE WOOD and MY GRANDMOTHER, both advertised on playbill of 3 Jan.]

*Monday 6* CG KING LEAR, AND HIS THREE DAUGHTERS. King Lear - Pope (1st appearance in that character); Bastard - Middleton; Gloster - Hull; Kent - Harley; Albany - Davies; Cornwall - Macready; Gentleman Usher - Bernard; Edgar - Holman // Regan - Mrs Fawcett; Goneril - Mrs Platt; Arante - Miss Leserve; Cordelia - Mrs Esten (1st appearance in that character). Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As 31 Dec. 1793, but added in VI: Ballad Singer (with a new song in character) - Fawcett; omitted from IV: Glee; from VI: Glee.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 2 years. Receipts: £297 16s. (296/2; 1/14).

HAY OROONOKO. As 30 Dec. 1793. Also HARLEQUIN PEASANT. As 4 Jan.

Tuesday 7 CG THE COMEDY OF ERRORS. As 8 Oct. 1793. Also HARLEQUIN AND FAUSTUS. As 6 Jan., but omitted from XIII: Aerial Spirits. SINGING. As 8 Oct. 1793.

COMMENT. Receipts: £340 8s. 6d. (311/12/6; 28/16/0).

HAY

THE MARINERS. As 30 Nov. 1793, but Miss De Camp in place of Mrs Bland. Also WAYS AND MEANS. As 22 Nov. 1793. Also HARLEQUIN PEASANT. As 4 Jan., but Pierrot – Delpini.

COMMENT. On account of the Indisposition of Parsons, HEIGHO FOR A HUSBAND! [advertised on playbill of 6 Jan.] is obliged to be postponed till Saturday next. [In 1st piece the playbill retains Mrs Bland, but she "being indisposed her part in The Mariners was given to Miss De Camp" (Thespian Magazine, Jan. 1794, p. 30). It is not stated who took Miss De Camp's place.]

