COMMENT. [In afterpiece the playbill omits Sebastian and Michael, but "Bland and Fairbrother being Ill, Benson doubled Fairbrother's business [with that of his own part, Casimir], and a Supernumerary supplied the place of Bland" (Powell).] Powell: Wedding Day rehearsed at 11. Receipts: £291 21. (246/0; 37/17; 7/5).

Thursday 23

CG

THE RAGE! Principal Characters by Lewis, Quick, Holman, Munden, Fawcett, Bernard, Middleton, Davenport, Cross, Rees // Mrs Mattocks, Mrs Mountain, Mrs Pope. [Cast from text (T. N. Longman, 1795): Gingham – Lewis; Sir Paul Perpetual – Quick; Darnley – Holman [in text: Pope]; Flush – Munden; The Hon. Mr Savage – Fawcett; Signor Cygnet – Bernard; Sir George Gauntlet – Middleton; Ready – Davenport; Servants – Cross, Abbot, Ledger, Wilde; Waiter – Rees; Groom – Simmons // Lady Sarah Savage – Mrs Mattocks; Clara Sedley – Mrs Mountain; Mrs Darnley – Mrs Pope.] Prologue spoken by Holman. Epilogue spoken by Mrs Mattocks. [These were spoken, as here assigned, at the 1st 24 performances only (see 13 Dec.).] Also CYMON. Cymon – Incledon; Dorus – Quick; Merlin – Richardson; Shepherds – Claremont, Abbot; Linco – Fawcett // Fatima – Mrs Martyr; Urganda – Mrs Fawcett; Dorcas – Mr Munden; Shepherdesses – Miss Stuart, Miss Cornelys; Sylvia – Mrs Mountain.

DANCING. Afterpiece: To conclude with a Dance [performers not listed].

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; C 5, by Frederick Reynolds. Prologue by James Boaden. Epilogue by Edward Topham (see text). For this play Reynolds and the CG manager made a new plan for payments to the author. Benefits for the author on the 3rd, 6th and 9th nights were abandoned; instead he received £33 6s. 8d. for each of the first nine nights and £100 on the 20th night. "This was the foundation of that bargain between manager and author which, I believe, exists to the present period [1826]" (Reynolds, II, 182-83)]. Morning Chronicle, 19 Jan. 1795: This Day is published The RAGE! (2s.). Receipts: £259 13s. 6d. (255/17/6; 3/16/0).

THE RAGE! As 23 Oct. Also TOM THUMB. As 15 Oct. COMMENT. Receipts: £288 13s. (281/10; 7/3).

Friday 24 CG

THE DISTRESS'D MOTHER. Pyrrhus - Palmer; Phoenix - Packer; Orestes - Kemble; Pylades - Barrymore // Andromache - Mrs Powell; Hermione - Mrs Siddons; Cephisa - Miss Tidswell; Cleone - Miss Collins. Also LODOISKA. As 22 Oct.

Saturday 25 DL

COMMENT. Powell, 24 Oct.: Wedding Day rehearsed at 10; Emilia Galotti at 11; Distressed Mother at 1; 25 Oct.: Emilia Galotti rehearsed at 10; Pirates at 12. Receipts: £393 141. (294/9; 96/0; 3/5).

THE PIRATES. Don Altador - Kelly; Don Gasparo - Suett; Guillermo - Sedgwick; Captain - Benson; Genariello - Dignum; Captain of the Guard - Caulfield; Lieutenant - Phillimore; Blazio - Bannister Jun.; Sotillo - Parsons; Sailor - Welsh; Waiter - Bland; Lazzaroni - Banks, Webb, Lyons, &c.; Pirates - Welsh, Maddocks, Cooke, Dorion, &c.; Vintagers - Whitmell, Wells, Nicolini, Keys, &c. // Aurora - Mrs Crouch; Fabulina - Sga Storace; Fidelia - Mrs Bland; Marietta - Miss Leak. General Chorus by Danby, Tett, Brown, Walker, Aylmer, Dorion Jun., Willoughby, Atkins, Dixon, Fisher, Pilbrow, Bardeauleau, Annereau, Cook // Miss Arne, Miss Redhead, Miss Stageldoir, Mrs Bramwell, Miss Chatterley, Miss Gawdry, Mrs Butler, Mrs Boimaison, Mrs Maddocks, &c. Also The Sultan. Solyman - Barrymore; Osmyn - Dignum // Elmira - Mrs Cuyler; Ismene - Mrs Bland; Roxalana - Mrs Jordan.

*Monday 27* DL

DANCING. In mainpiece Dances (composed by D'Egville) by G. D'Egville, Master D'Egville, Miss Menage, Miss Phillips, the Miss D'Egvilles, &c.



Monday 27 DL COMMENT. Mainpiece: The Music composed principally by Storace, with a few pieces selected from Anfossi, Bianchi, and Guglielmi. Powell: Emilia Galotti rehearsed at 10; Wedding Day at 12; Sultan at 1. Receipts: £304 (245/14; 58/2; 0/4).

CG

ROMEO AND JULIET. As 20 Oct. Also SPRIGS OF LAUREL. As 15 Sept. DANCING. As 20 Oct. SINGING. As 22 Oct.

COMMENT. Receipts: £159 10s. 6d. (157/7/6; 2/3/0).

Tuesday 28 DL EMILIA GALOTTI. Characters by Kemble, Palmer, C. Kemble, Aickin, Wroughton, Barrymore, Caulfield, Maddocks, Phillimore // Mrs Siddons, Mrs Powell, A Young Lady (who has never appeared on any stage [Miss Miller]). [Cast from European Magazine, Nov. 1794, p. 363, and Genest, VII, 180: Duke of Guastalla – Kemble; Marquis Marinelli – Palmer; Count Appiani – C. Kemble; Camilla Rota – Aickin; Odoarto Galotti – Wroughton; Battista – Barrymore; Giuseppe – Caulfield; Pirro – Maddocks; Angelo – Phillimore // Countess Orsina – Mrs Siddons; Claudia Galotti – Mrs Powell; Emilia Galotti – Miss Miller.] Prologue spoken by Whitfield. Epilogue spoken by Mrs Siddons. Also The Prize. As 18 Sept., but Caroline – Sga Storace.

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; T 5, by Joseph Berington, altered from the same, by Gotthold Ephraim Lessing. MS: Larpent 1041; not published; synopsis of plot in Morning Herald, 30 Oct. It has hitherto been assumed that this play was altered by Benjamin Thompson, but "This Tragedy was translated from the German by the Rev. Jos. Berrington [sie]" (Kemble Mem.). Dr. Berington's authorship is also referred to in London Chronicle, 30 Oct. 1794. Thompson's translation was published by Vernor and Hood in 1800. Prologue by Richard Cumberland. Epilogue by George Colman, the younger (London Chronicle, 29 Oct.)]: The Dresses, Scenes and Decorations are entirely new. The Scenery in the four first Acts is the work of Signor Barzago and of his Brother; and in the fifth of Greenwood, by whom also a new Frontispiece is designed and executed.

[Miss Miller, who had appeared the previous season as a chorus singer, is identified in European Magazine, Nov. 1794, p. 363.] The Doors to be opened at 5:15. To begin at 6:15 [see 20 Apr. 1795]. Powell: Emilia Galotti rehearsed at 10. The New Frontispiece and Stage doors were exhibited for the first Time this Evening. Receipts: £317 191. 6d. (270/8/6; 46/5/0; 1/6/0).

CG THE RAGE! As 23 Oct. Also NETLEY ABBEY. As 17 Sept. COMMENT. Receipts: £270 (267/1/6; 2/18/6).

Wednesday 29 DL As YOU LIKE IT. Duke - Aickin; Frederick - Packer; Amiens - Dignum; Jaques - Palmer; Le Beu - R. Palmer; Oliver - Whitfield; Jaques de Bois - C. Kemble; Orlando - Barrymore; Adam - Moody; Touchstone - King; Corin - Waldron; Sylvius - Bland // Rosalind (with the Cuckoo Song) - Mrs Jordan; Celia - Mrs Kemble; Phebe - Miss Collins; Audrey - Miss Pope. Also MY GRAND-MOTHER. As 7 Oct., but Florella - Sga Storace.

SINGING. In Act v of mainpiece song by Mrs Bland.

COMMENT. Powell: As You Like It rehearsed at 10; Wedding Day at 12. Receipts: £251 131. (193/14; 49/13; 8/6).

CG THE RAGE! As 23 Oct., but omitted: Cross, Rees. Also A DIVERTISEMENT. Speaking Characters by Johnstone, Incledon, Bernard, Powel, Townsend, Richardson // Mrs Martyr, Mrs Clendining, Mr Rees. [Cast adjusted from playbill of 12 Apr. 1794: Capt. Frederick – Johnstone; Thicket – Incledon; Flambeau – Bernard; Sir Fidget Fearful – Powel; Gregory – Townsend; Clueline – Richardson // Peggy – Mrs Martyr; Sophia – Mrs Clendining; Whim – Mr Rees.] With Dialo-

