IL TESORO. Principal Characters by Viganoni, Morelli, Bonfanti, Rovedino //
Sga Fabrizzi. [Cast from Larpent MS 1136: Buonafede - Viganoni; Filotimo Morelli; Don Papavero - Bonfanti; Leonardo - Rovedino; Verigola - Braghetti;
Mordicone - De Giovanni // Limpida - Sga Fabrizzi; Donna Zaveria - Sga Bigi;
Fiammetta - Sga Pastorelli.]

DANCING. As 7 June throughout.

Tuesday 14 King's

COMMENT. A new Comic Opera [1st time; COM2, by Lorenzo Da Ponte]; the music entirely new by Mazzinghi.

MAHMOUD. As 10 June. Also THE DEAF LOVER. As 11 June.

COMMENT. [Account-Book: Tickets delivered by Appleby, Bennett, Calkin, Chumbley, Caton, Cawston, Dale Jun., Fosbrook (door-keeper), Gray, Faux, Humphries, Hough, Massingham Sen., Massingham Jun., Pilsbury, Perry, Powell, Ross, Thompson, Tice, Waterer will be admitted.] The Last Time of the Company's Performing this Season. Receipts: £106 161. (59/1/0; 28/6/6; 11/18/6; tickets: none listed; odd money: 7/10/0).

Wednesday 15 DL

THE PURSE; or, Benevolent Tar. William - Wathen; Edward - Davies; Baron - Caulfield; Theodore - Palmer Jun.; Page - Miss Menage // Sally - Mrs Bland. Also PEEPING TOM. As 11 June. Also BANNIAN DAY. As 13 June. COMMENT. [On this evening the following performers appeared both at DL and the HAY: Suett, Caulfield, Trueman, Miss Menage, Miss Leak.]

THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. Shylock - Palmer (1st appearance in that character [in London]); Anthonio - Aickin; Gratiano - R. Palmer; Old Gobbo - Wathen; Tubal - Waldron; Lorenzo (with a song) - Davies; Launcelot - Suett; Duke - Usher; Salanio - Caulfield; Solarino - Trueman; Leonardo - Lyons; Balthazar - Ledger; Bassanio - C. Kemble (1st appearance in that character) // Jessica - Mrs Bland; Nerissa - Miss Logan; Portia - Mrs Kemble. Also BANNIAN DAY. As 13 June.

Thursday 16 HAY

HAY

COMMENT. "Though not equal to Macklin, [Palmer, whose 1st appearance as Shylock was at Liverpool, 2 July 1773] was respectable. He differed from the usual readings in some parts, particularly in the following: 'Many a time—and oft On the Rialto—you have rated me, &c.' This is certainly better . . . by uniting the oft with the Rialto, which is the most public place in Venice, it gives the observation additional force" (Monthly Magazine, June 1796, p. 408).

THE PURSE. As 15 June, but omitted: Baron, Theodore, Page. Also THE LONDON HERMIT; or, Rambles in Dorsetshire. Young Pranks – Fawcett; Whimmy – Suett; Old Pranks – Aickin; Peregrine – C. Kemble (1st appearance in that character); Barleycorn – R. Palmer (1st appearance in that character); Apathy – Trueman; Barebones – Burton; Tully – Johnstone; Natty Maggs – Palmer Jun.; Carter – Waldron Jun.; Toby Thatch – Wathen // Diana – Miss Heard; Mrs Maggs – Mrs Booth; Kitty Barleycorn – Mrs Kemble. Also The Prisoner at Large. Muns – Fawcett; Lord Edmund – Davies; Count Fripon – Waldron Jun.; Trap – Caulfield; Jack Connor – R. Palmer; Dowdle – Suett // Rachel – Mrs Harlowe; Adelaide – Miss Heard; Landlady – Mrs Heard; Mary – Mrs Gibbs.

Friday 17 HAY

GRETNA GREEN. Rorey - Suett; Captain Gorget - Bannister; Crack - Abbot; Landlord - Ledger; Anvil - Waldron Jun.; Sexton - Burton; Tipperary - R. Palmer // Signora Figurante - Mrs Bland; Lady Pedigree - Mrs Hopkins; Scotch Woman - Miss Tidswell; Miss Plumb - Mrs Gibbs. Also THE LIAR. As 11 June. Also BANNIAN DAY. As 13 June.

Saturday 18 HAY



Saturday 18 IL TESORO. As 14 June, but omitted: Bonfanti, Rovedino. King's DANCING. A 7 June throughout.

character) // Rosina - Miss De Camp.

Monday 20
HAY

ALL IN GOOD HUMOUR. Squire Hairbrain - R. Palmer; Bellamy - Palmer Jun.; Chagrin - Burton; Robin - Waldron Jun.; Crop - Abbot // Mrs Chagrin - Mrs Booth; Sophia - Miss Heard; Dorothy - Miss De Camp. Also BANNIAN DAY.

As 13 June. Also The Spanish Barber. Count Almaviva - Palmer; Doctor Bartholo - Suett; Basil - Aickin; Tall Boy - R. Palmer; Argus - Caulfield; Notary - Abbot; Alcade - Trueman; Lazarillo - Wathen (1st appearance in that

COMMENT. [2nd piece in place of KATHARINE AND PETRUCHIO, advertised on playbill of 18 June.] 3rd piece: Not acted these 2 years.

Tuesday 21 THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. As 16 June. Also THE AGREEABLE SUR-HAY PRISE. As 14 June.

King's ANTIGONA. As 24 May.

DANCING. As 4 June throughout.

The Flitch of Bacon. Major Benbow - Suett; Justice Benbow - Usher; Capt. Greville - Johnstone; Capt. Wilson - Bannister; Tipple - Fawcett; Kilderkin - Ledger; Ned - Abbot; Putty - Waldron Jun. // Eliza - Miss Leak. Also The Magick Banner; or, Two Wives in a House. Characters by Palmer, Aickin, R. Palmer, C. Kemble, Davies, Caulfield, Palmer Jun., Trueman, Abbot, Waldron Jun., Ledger, Lyons, Chippendale, Wathen, Fawcett // Mrs Kemble, Mrs Harlowe, Mrs Gibbs. [Cast from O'Keeffe's Dramatic Works, Vol. Iv (T. Woodfall, 1798), where it appears as Alfred; or, The Magic Banner: King Alfred - Palmer; Hastings - Aickin; Sweno - R. Palmer; Eustace - C. Kemble; Earl Burrhed - Davies; Hubba - Caulfield; Anlaff - probably Palmer Jun. [in text: Johnson]; Odune - probably Trueman [in text: Gardner]; Oswald - probably Abbot [in text: Burton]; Hollybush - Wathen; Gog - Fawcett // Lady Albina - Mrs Kemble; Bertha - Mrs Harlowe; Blanche - Mrs Gibbs. Waldron Jun., Ledger, Lyons, Chippendale are unassigned.] Prologue spoken by C. Kemble.

COMMENT. 2nd piece [1st time; D 3, by John O'Keeffe. Prologue by John

Taylor (Poems, 1, 61)]: With new Dresses, Decorations, &c.

Thursday 23 THE MAGICK BANNER. As 22 June. Also THE DEAD ALIVE. As 13 June.

HAY

Friday 24

THE MAGICK BANNER. As 22 June. Also PEEPING TOM. As 11 June, but
HAY

Crazy - Suett // Emma - Miss De Camp.

THE MOUNTAINEERS. Octavian – Elliston (from the Theatre Royal, Bath; 1st appearance on this stage); Virolet – C. Kemble; Kilmallock – Johnstone; Roque – Aickin; Muleteers – Bannister, Davies, Trueman, Lyons; Lope Tocho – Suett; Goatherds – Waldron, Burton, Waldron Jun.; Bulcazin Muley – Caulfield; Ganem – Palmer Jun.; Pacha – R. Palmer; Ali Beg – Abbot; Moors – Ledger, Usher; Sadi – Wathen // Zorayda – Mrs Kemble; Floranthe – Miss De Camp; Agnes – Mrs Bland; Peasants – Miss Leak, Mrs Harlowe, Miss Menage. Also My Grandmother. Vapour – Elliston; Gossip – Suett; Souffrance – Caulfield; Sir Matthew Medley – Burton; Woodly – Trueman // Charlotte – Miss De Camp; Florella – Miss Leak.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: The Overture, Chorusses and new Musick by Dr Arnold. The Scenery by Rooker. Afterpiece: The Musick by Storace. Books of the Songs to be had at the Theatre.

King's ANTIGONA. As 31 May.

DANCING. As 4 June throughout.

