A GRAND SACRED SELECTION. Principal Vocal Performers as 3 Mar.

PART I. Overture (OCCASIONAL ORATORIO). Arm, arm, ye brave by Bartleman, and We come by Chorus [JUDAS MACCABAEUS]. Lord, what is man? by Miss Poole [SEMELE]. Total eclipse by Braham, and O, first created beam by Chorus [SAMSON]. The mighty power by Chorus [ATHALIA]. O worse than death and Angels ever bright and fair by Mme Mara [THEODORA]. Fixed in his everlasting seat by Chorus [SAMSON].

PART II. Te Sons of Israel by Chorus; Sball I in Mamre's by Bartleman; For all these mercies by Chorus [JOSHUA]. My Faith and Truth by Miss Poole and Master Elliot, and Return O God of Hosts by Sga Galli [SAMSON]. First concerto, Op. 3, Geminiani, by G. Ashley. Deeper and deeper still and Waft ber, angels by Braham [JEPHTHA]. Thy right band, O Lord by Chorus [ISRAEL IN EGYPT]. Holy, Holy Lord by Mme Mara [REDEMPTION]. He gave them bailstones by Chorus [ISRAEL IN EGYPT].

PART III. Overture and Dead March (SAUL). Great Jebovah's awful by Master Elliot [ISRAEL IN EGYPT]. In sweetest Harmony by Mme Mara, and O fatal Day by Chorus [SAUL]. Gentle Airs by Braham, accompanied on the violoncello by C. Ashley [ATHALIA]. Fallen is the Foe by Chorus [JUDAS MACCABAEUS]. O magnify the Lord by Miss Poole [CHANDOS ANTHEMS]. The Lord shall reign by Chorus; For the Horse of Pharoab and Sing ye to the Lord by Mme Mara; The Horse and bis Rider by Double Chorus [ISRAEL IN EGYPT].

MUSIC. End of Part 1 concerto on the pedal harp by Miss Dupree (1st appearance in public).

COMMENT. Instrumental Performers as 3 Mar., but omitted: Simpson.

THE GRECIAN DAUGHTER. As 13 Oct. 1796, but Philotas - C. Kemble; Saturday 11 Arcas - Caulfield; Greek Herald - Holland. Also THE APPRENTICE. As DL 15 Dec. 1796, but omitted: Spouters, Porter, Watchman. Also CAPE ST. VINCENT. As 9 Mar.

COMMENT. 3rd piece: Engagement as 6 Mar. Receipts: £193 175. 6d. (123/7/0; 67/13/0; 2/17/6).

- WIVES AS THEY WERE, AND MAIDS AS THEY ARE. As 6 Mar. Also CG HARLEQUIN AND OBERON. As 6 Mar. COMMENT. Receipts: £211 155. (203/12; 8/3).
- IL CONSIGLIO IMPRUDENTE. AS 7 Feb. Also LE NOZZE DEL TAMIGI King's E BELLONA. Bellona - Mme Banti; Tamigi - Viganoni; Apollo - Rovedino; Genio d'Africa – Didelot; Genio d'Asia – Gentili; Genio d'America – Mlle Parisot. DANCING. End of Part 1 of mainpiece Peggy's Love, as 20 Dec. 1796; In the Ballet succeeding to and analogous to the Cantata: Doris - Mme Rose; Nerid - Didelot; Ocean - Gentili; Amphitrite - Mlle Parisot; Thetis - Mme Hilligsberg.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Divided into Two Parts. Afterpiece [1st time; CANT 1. MS: Larpent 1156; not published. The playbill omits Apollo; added in MS]: With Chorusses and Dances incidental. The Music composed entirely new for the occasion by Bianchi. The Dances also new, by Gallet. The Poetry by Da Ponte. In honour of the Glorious Victory of His Majesty's Navy [off Cape St. Vincent] on the 14th of last Month.

RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE. As I Feb. Also LODOISKA. As Monday 13 2 Mar., but omitted: Pages. DL. DANCING. End of mainpiece The Labyrinth, as 6 Mar.

COMMENT. Receipts: £194 16s. (120/4/6; 71/19/0; 2/12/6).

WIVES AS THEY WERE, AND MAIDS AS THEY ARE. As 6 Mar. Also CG BANTRY BAY. As 18 Feb. Also THE ROMP. Watty Cockney - Knight;

Friday 10 CG

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- Monday 13Capt. Sightly Haymes; Old Cockney Thompson; Barnacle Powel // Penelope –
Miss Logan; Miss La Blonde Miss Leserve; Priscilla Tomboy Mrs Knight.
COMMENT. [2nd and 3rd pieces in place of RAYMOND AND AGNES,
advertised on playbill of 11 Mar.] Receipts: £207 os. 6d. (198/16/0; 8/4/6).
- Tuesday 14 DL MACBETH. As 10 Oct. 1796, but Banquo – Barrymore; Lenox – Campbell; DL Rosse – Holland // Lady Macbeth – Mrs Powell; omitted: Gentlewoman. Also MY GRANDMOTHER. As 1 Oct. 1796. Also CAPE ST. VINCENT. As 9 Mar., but Splicem – Cooke; added: Boatswain – Dignum; omitted: Boys. SINGING. In 1st piece as 10 Oct. 1796, but omitted: Mrs Bland.

COMMENT. [In 1st piece the playbill retains Mrs Siddons as Lady Macbeth, but "The Publick is most respectfully informed that Mrs Siddons, being suddenly taken ill . . . Lady Macbeth will be performed by Mrs Powell, who having undertaken the part at a very short notice, humbly intreats their indulgence" (printed slip attached to BM playbill, Harris, Vol. v).] 3rd piece: Engagement as 6 Mar. Receipts: \pounds_{173} 18s. 6d. (106/18/6; 62/19/6; 4/0/6).

- WIVES AS THEY WERE, AND MAIDS AS THEY ARE. AS 7 Mar., but Holman in place of Pope; Simmons of Fawcett. Also BANTRY BAY. As 18 Feb. Also THE POOR SAILOR. As 15 Dec. 1796. COMMENT. Receipts: £181 151. (172/7; 9/8).
- King's GLI SCHIAVI PER AMORE. Principal Characters by Morelli // Sga Storace. [Partial cast from Larpent MS 769, which has full cast for 1787: Bastiano Ammazzagatte – Morelli // Gelinda – Sga Storace. Also Mons. Perruque, Don Berlicco // Mlle Neri, Mlle Paté.] DANCING. As 24 Jan. throughout.
- Wednesday 15 ALEXANDER'S FEAST; or, The Power of Music. Principal Vocal Performers as CG 3 Mar.

PART III. Overture and March [SCIPIO]. Great Jebovab by Miss Poole (ISRAEL IN EGYPT). Then round about by Chorus (SAMSON). He was despised by Sga Galli (THE MESSIAH). Pleasure my former ways by Braham (TIME AND TRUTH). Let the bright Seraphim by Mme Mara, and Let their celestial concerts by Chorus (SAMSON).

MUSIC. Preceding Part II a concerto for two violins, and violoncello obligato [performers not listed], as originally composed for this Ode by Handel, and performed under his Direction in the year 1736; End of Part II concerto on the Grand Piano Forte by Dussek.

COMMENT. Instrumental Performers as 10 Mar., but omitted: Boyce.

Tbursday 16 DL Also CAPE ST. VINCENT. As 14 Mar. KNOW YOUR OWN MIND. As 29 Dec. 1796, but Lady Jane – Mrs Powell; added: Robert – Banks; Richard – Evans // Madame La Rouge – Miss Tidswell.

DANCING. As 19 Dec. 1796.

COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE PROVOK'D HUSBAND, advertised on playbill of 14 Mar.] Afterpiece: Engagement as 6 Mar. Receipts: £165 55. (94/12; 66/1; 4/12).

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WIVES AS THEY WERE, AND MAIDS AS THEY ARE. Principal Characters by Lewis, Quick, Holman, Munden, Simmons, Waddy, Thompson, Hawtin // Mrs Mattocks, Miss Chapman, Miss Wallis. [And see 4 Mar.] Also RAYMOND AND AGNES; or, The Castle of Lindenbergh. Principal Characters by Farley, Follett, Simmons, Simpson, Cranfield, Hawtin, Blurton, &c. // Mlle De La Croix (1st appearance on this stage), Mlle St. Amand, Mrs Follett, Mrs Watts, Mrs Mountain. [Probable cast (see 13 Apr. 1799): Raymond – Farley; Robert – Follett;