singing. End of Act II of 1st piece Ally Croaker by Miss Leak; End of Act IV Little Taffline by Mrs Bland.

COMMENT. Benefit for Fosbrook, box-book and housekeeper. Receipts: £466 6s. (57/2/6; 61/13/0; 4/3/6; tickets: 343/7/0) (charge: £226 4s. 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d.).

CATO. Cato - Pope; Juba - Holman; Sempronius - Murray; Portius - Middleton CG (Their 1st appearance in those characters); Syphax - Hull; Marcus - Macready; Lucius – Powel; Decius – Thompson // Lucia (1st time) – Miss Mansel; Marcia (1st time) – Miss Morris. Also CAMBRO' BRITONS; or, Fishguard in an Uproar. Principal Characters by Incledon, Munden, Fawcett, Farley, Wilde // Mrs Mountain, Mrs Mattocks. [Larpent MS lists the parts: Morgan, Dickey, Apshinkin, David, Welsh Peasantry, French Troops, Sailors, Two Deserters // Winifred, Ellen.] Also ANIMAL MAGNETISM. Doctor – Quick; LaFleur – Fawcett; Marquis D'Lancy – Macready; Jeffery – Simmons; Picard – Abbot // Constance – Miss Chapman; Lisette – Mrs Mattocks.

SINGING. In the course of 2nd piece: Together let us range the fields by Incledon and Mrs Mountain; Gallant Soldiers born to Arms and Old England will be England still, both by Incledon; To arms! Britons strike Home! by Incledon, Bowden, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Hull and Macready. 1st piece: In Act IV a Martial Procession with the Body of Marcus. 2nd piece [1st time; M. INT I, author unknown. MS: Larpent 1173; not published]: With appropriate Scenery and Dresses. The Music selected from Boyce, Purcell, Reeve and Shield. Morning Herald, 31 May: Tickets to be had of Hull, No. 7, Duke's-court, near Dean's-yard, Westminster; of Macready, No. 22, Charles-street, Tottenham-court-road. Receipts: £314 3s. (112/9/0; 4/14/6; tickets: 196/19/6, of which Hull sold 70/12/6, and Macready 126/7/0).

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SHE WOU'D AND SHE WOU'D NOT. As 24 May, but Flora – Miss De Camp. Thursday 1 Also Sylvester Daggerwood. As 8 May. Also The Critic. As DL 12 May, but omitted: Nieces.

MONOLOGUE. End of 2nd piece, as 29 May.

COMMENT. Benefit for Miss De Camp. 3rd piece: With a Sea Fight. True Briton, 15 May: Tickets to be had of Miss De Camp, No. 32, Bow-street, Covent-Garden. Receipts: £376 6s. 6d. (121/8/6; 79/13/6; 2/14/0; tickets: 172/10/6) (charge: £,221 1s. 1d.).

THE MASK'D FRIEND. Timid - Quick; Sir Hornet Armstrong - Munden; CG Squire Turnbull - Knight; Sir Harry Portland - Macready; Scrip - Thompson; Mr Osborne - Holman // Melissa - Mrs Mountain; Miss Turnbull - Mrs Knight; Clara - Miss Mansel. Also LOCK AND KEY. As 16 Sept. 1796. Also RAY-MOND AND AGNES. As 15 May, but Abbot in place of Delpini; omitted: synopsis of Scenes.

SINGING. In the course of the Evening The Mid Watch and The Storm, both by Incledon.

COMMENT. Benefit for Brandon, box-book and housekeeper. Receipts: £416 9s. (66/11/0; 1/15/6; tickets: 348/2/6).

FIRST LOVE. As 4 Oct. 1796, but David Mowbray - Russell // Lady Ruby -A Young Lady (1st appearance on this stage [Miss Dorell]); omitted: Servants, DL Waiting-woman. Also SYLVESTER DAGGERWOOD. As 8 May. Also LODOISKA. As 18 Apr.

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