## Thursday 11

 C;Lover's Vows. Principal Characters by Pope, Munden, H. Johnston, Knight, Murray, Powel, Thompson, Rees, Curties // Mrs Johnson, Mrs Davenport, Miss Leserve, Mrs H. Johnston. [Cast from text (G. G. and J. Robinson, 1798): Frederick - Pope; Verdun the Butler - Munden; Anhalt - H. Johnston; Count Cassel Knight; Baron Wildenhaim - Murray; Cottager - Powel [in text: Davenport (see 22 Oct.)]; Landlord - Thompson; Farmer - Rees; Countryman - Curties [in text: Dyke] // Agatha Friburg - Mrs Johnson; Cottager's Wife - Mrs Davenport; Country Girl - Miss Leserve; Amelia Wildenhaim - Mrs H. Johnston.] Prologue spoken by Murray. [This was spoken, as here assigned, at the ist 9 performances only (see 29 Oct.).] Epilogue spoken by Munden. [This was spoken, as here assigned, at all subsequent performances, except on 22 Nov. and on 12 June 1799.] Also A Day at Rome. Principal Characters by Incledon, Munden, Fawcett, Townsend, Rees, Linton, Gray, Street, Abbot, Blurton, Platt, Dyke, Whitmore, Lee // Mrs Davenport, Miss Wheatley, Miss Leserve, Mrs Follett, Mrs Blurton, Mrs Watts, Mrs Martyr. [Cast from text (H. D. Symonds and G. Cawthorn, 1798): Rivers - Incledon; Sir Timothy Hopkins - Munden; Pisani Fawcett; MacRusty - Townsend; Gioachino - Abbot // Lady Hopkins - Mrs Davenport; Juliana - Miss Wheatley; Mrs Blarney - Mrs Martyr. All others unassigned.]

COMMENT. Mainpiece [ist time; D s, by Elizabeth Inchbald, adapted from Das Kind der Liebe, by August Friedrich Ferdinand von Kotzebue. Prologue by John Taylor; Epilogue by Thomas Palmer (see text)]. Afterpiece [ist time; MF2, by Charles Smith]: The Music composed by Attwood. The Overture accompanied on the Harp by Weippert. Morning Herald, 28 Nov. 1798: This Day is published Lovers' [sic] Vows (2s.). Times, 26 Oct. 1798: This Day is published A Day at Rome (is.). Receipts: £197 1ss. $6 d$. (194/3/6; 3/12/0).

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Lover's Vows. As if Oct. Also The Spoil'd Child. As 3 Oct.
COMMENT. "Loper's Voms continues to exercise a resistless controul over the feelings of the audience. The fifth act is, without exception, worked up with more art and nature, and is more impressive in its termination, than any denouement which the English Stage has hitherto furnished" (Times, 13 Oct.). Receipts: £272 9s. 6d. (263/s/0; 9/4/6).

The Beaux Stratagem. Aimwell - Middleton (late of the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden; ist appearance on this stage); Archer - Barrymore; Sullen Wathen; Sir Charles Freeman - Trueman; Foigard - Caulfield; Gibbet - R. Palmer; Hounslow - Maddocks; Bagshot - Webb; Bonniface - Aickin; Scrub - Biggs // Lady Bountiful - Mrs Sparks; Dorinda - Miss De Camp; Mrs Sullen - Miss Biggs; Gipsy - Miss Tidswell; Cherry - Miss Mellon. Also Blue-Beard. As 6 Oct.

COMMENT. Reccipts: £307 17s. 6 d. (193/18/0; $112 / 17 / 6 ; 1 / 2 / 0$ ).
The Castle-Spectre. As 8 Oct. Also The Smugglers. Captain Pendant - Packer; Valentine - Trueman; Shingle - Suett; Sample - Wewitzer; Trim - Bannister Jun.; Beacon - Maddocks; Edward - Master Heather (ist appearance on any stage) // Stella - Miss De Camp; Phillis - Miss Leak; Margery Miss Mellon.

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COMmENT. Receipts: \(£ 209\) 1os. \(6 d\). (157/13/0; \(51 / 0 / 6 ; 0 / 17 / 0\) ).
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Othello, Moor of Venice. Othello - A Young Gentleman (from the Theatre Royal, Dublin; ist appearance on this, and 4th on any stage [Huddart]); Roderigo - Knight; Cassio (ist time) - Betterton; Brabantio - Hull; Lodovico Whitfield; Duke - Waddy; Gratiano - Powel; Montano - Clarke; Iago - Murray // Emilia (ist time) - Mrs Litchfield; Desdemona - Mrs Pope (Ist appearance in that character [in London]). Also The Genoese Pirate; or, Black-Beard. Principal Ballet Cbaracters by Follett, Bologna Jun., Bologna Sen., Dyke, Whitmore,

