

- A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. As 6 Oct. Also BLUE-BEARD. As 6 Oct.,
but Beda – Mrs Bland. *Monday 5*
DL
COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of THE HEIRESS, advertised on playbill
of 3 Nov.] Receipts: £239 9s. (152/7/6; 86/0/6; 1/1/0).
- LOVER'S VOWS. As 22 Oct. Also THREE WEEKS AFTER MARRIAGE. CG
Sir Charles Racket – Lewis; Woodley – Claremont; Lovelace – Farley; Drugget –
Munden // Dimity – Mrs Litchfield; Mrs Drugget – Mrs Davenport; Nancy
(with a *song*) – Miss Sims; Lady Racket – Mrs Mattocks. Also THE MOUTH
OF THE NILE. As 31 Oct.
COMMENT. Receipts: £303 8s. (297/3; 6/5).
- THE GAMESTER. Beverley – Kemble; Lewson – C. Kemble; Stukely – Barrymore; *Tuesday 6*
Jarvis – Aickin; Bates – Packer; Dawson – Caulfield; Waiter – Webb // Mrs DL
Beverley – Mrs Siddons; Charlotte – Mrs Powell; Lucy – Miss Tidswell. Also
THE PRIZE. As 22 Sept., but Lenitive – Bannister Jun.; Label – Wathen.
COMMENT. Receipts: £195 19s. 6d. (130/0/6; 64/7/0; 1/12/0).
- LOVER'S VOWS. As 22 Oct. Also THE ROMP. Watty Cockney – Knight; CG
Capt. Sightly – Clarke; Old Cockney – Thompson; Barnacle – Davenport //
Penelope – Mrs Iliff; Miss La Blonde – Miss Leserve; Priscilla Tomboy – Mrs Mills
(1st appearance in that character). Also THE MOUTH OF THE NILE. As
31 Oct.
COMMENT. Receipts: £355 13s. 6d. (349/10/6; 6/3/0).
- THE CASTLE-SPECTRE. As 8 Oct. Also THE SHIPWRECK. As 3 Nov. *Wednesday 7*
DL
COMMENT. Receipts: £173 2s. (120/14; 51/16; 0/12).
- SECRETS WORTH KNOWING. Rostrum – Lewis; Nicholas – Emery; Egerton – CG
Holman; Greville – Pope; Undermine – Munden; April – Fawcett; Plethora –
Knight; Valet – Klanert; Coachman – Thompson; Cook – Rees; Butler – Abbot //
Sally Downright – Mrs Mattocks; Rose Sydney – Miss Mansel; Mrs Greville –
Mrs Pope. Also THREE WEEKS AFTER MARRIAGE. As 5 Nov., but
Lovelace – Clarke. Also THE MOUTH OF THE NILE. As 31 Oct.
SINGING [not listed on playbill]. End of 1st piece “A new Loyal Song and Chorus,
which recounts all the recent victories of our Naval Heroes” by Inledon, Johnstone,
Townsend, Hill, the music by Dr Burney (*Morning Herald*, 8 Nov.).
COMMENT. By Command of Their Majesties. [In Percy A. Scholes, *The Great*
Dr. Burney, 1958, II, 351, the title of the new song (misdated 1799) is given as
Song on the Naval Victories.] Receipts: £439 (433/17/6; 5/2/6).
- THE STRANGER. As 15 Sept. Also THE LIAR. As 20 Oct. *Thursday 8*
MUSIC and DANCING. As 15 Sept. DL
COMMENT. Receipts: £219 17s. (153/9; 65/12; 0/16).
- LOVER'S VOWS. As 22 Oct. Also THE ROMP. As 6 Nov. Also THE CG
MOUTH OF THE NILE. As 31 Oct.
COMMENT. [2nd piece in place of THE RIVAL SOLDIERS, advertised on
playbill of 7 Nov.] Receipts: £286 3s. (281/1; 5/2).
- THE JEW. As 30 Oct. Also BLUE-BEARD. As 5 Nov. *Friday 9*
COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of GEORGE BARNWELL, advertised on DL
playbill of 8 Nov.] Receipts: £250 7s. (165/7; 81/10; 3/10).
- LOVER'S VOWS. As 22 Oct. Also THE INTRIGUING CHAMBERMAID. CG
Drunken Colonel – Knight; Goodall – Davenport; Oldcastle – Emery; Valentine –

- Friday 9**
CG Mansel; Slap – Thompson; Security – Rees; Lord Pride – Claremont; Lord Puff – Abbot; Constable – Platt // Mrs Highman – Mrs Gilbert; Charlotte – Miss Mansel; Lettice – Mrs Mattocks. Also THE MOUTH OF THE NILE. As 31 Oct.
COMMENT. 2nd piece: Not acted these 10 years [acted 3 May 1791]. Receipts: £263 13s. (260/14; 2/19).
- Saturday 10**
DL THE RIVALS. Sir Anthony Absolute – Downton; Captain Absolute – Powell; Faulkland – Kemble; Acres – Bannister Jun.; Sir Lucius O’Trigger – R. Palmer; Fag – Russell; David – Hollingsworth; Coachman – Maddocks; Servants – Fisher, Webb, Evans // Mrs Malaprop – Miss Pope; Lydia Languish – A Young Lady (1st appearance on any stage [Miss Brown]); Julia – Miss Biggs; Lucy – Miss Heard; Maid – Mrs Jones. Also NO SONG NO SUPPER. As 2 Oct., but Nelly – Miss Tidswell.
COMMENT. [Miss Brown is identified by MS annotation on Kemble playbill. “Notwithstanding the bills . . . [she acted] the summer before last, on the boards of the Richmond theatre” (*Monthly Mirror*, Nov. 1798, p. 308). In afterpiece the playbill retains Mrs Roffey as Nelly, but she “who usually performed the part of the Servant Maid, [was] suddenly taken ill; her substitute [was] Miss Tidswell” (*Morning Herald*, 12 Nov.)]. Account-Book: Received of Hammersley & Co., lent to pay the Company £500; paid Lowndes, printer, £10; Chorus £6; Rablus, tallow candles, £10. Receipts: £203 12s. (126/3/6; 76/7/6; 1/1/0).
- CG LOVER’S VOWS. As 22 Oct. Also THE DEAF LOVER. Meadows – Munden; Old Wronghead – Davenport; Young Wronghead – Clarke; Canteen – Claremont; Groom – Simmons; John – Thompson; Sternhold – Street; James – Farley; William – Abbot; Bob – Lee; Cook – Follett // Sophia – Miss Chapman; Maid – Mrs Watts; Betsey Blossom – Mrs Martyr. Also THE MOUTH OF THE NILE. As 31 Oct.
COMMENT. Account-Book: Paid Enderby, oil merchants, on acct. of last season £402 13s. 9d. Receipts: £382 5s. (375/19; 6/6).
- Monday 12**
DL THE WHEEL OF FORTUNE. As 9 Oct., but Governor Tempest – Downton; Jenkins – Trueman; omitted: Servant to Woodville, Officer. Also BLUE-BEARD. As 6 Oct., but Beda – Mrs Bland.
COMMENT. Receipts: £299 5s. (216/8/6; 80/17/6; 1/19/0).
- CG RAMAH DROOG; or, Wine does Wonders. *Europeans*. Incedon, Johnstone, Bologna Jun., Claremont, Clarke, Wilde, Gray, Curties, Whitmore, Blurton, Silvester, Little, Fairclough, Linton Jun., Smith, Hitchcock, Sawyer, Master Little, Master Ramage, Master Bernard, Master Platt // Miss Mitchell, Mrs Mills. *Indians*. H. Johnston, Munden, Townsend, Emery, Hill, Farley, Klanert, Abbot, Thompson, Street, Russel, Tett, Linton, Everett, Oddwell, Thomas, Kenrick, Masters Sawyer, Speare, Slape, Goodwin, Standen // Mrs Chapman, Miss Sims, Miss Gray, Miss Wheatley, Miss Walcup, Mrs Wybrow, Mrs Watts, Mrs Bologna, Mrs Iliff, Mrs Castelle, Miss Leserve, Mrs Masters, Mrs Norton, Mrs Gilbert, Mrs Whitmore, Mrs Lloyd, Miss Burnett, Mrs Blurton, A Young Lady (1st appearance on any stage [Miss Waters]). [Cast from Songs (T. Rickaby, 1798), and playbill of 24 Oct. 1799: *Europeans*. Sidney – Incedon; Liffey – Johnstone; Officers – Bologna Jun., Clarke, Curties, Whitmore, Blurton, Silvester; English Prisoners – Claremont, Wilde, Gray // Eliza – Miss Mitchell; Margaret – Mrs Mills. *Indians*. Zemaun – H. Johnston; Chellingoe – Munden; Holkar – Townsend; Rajah – Emery; Govinda – Hill; Officer – Farley; Guards and Attendants – Klanert, Abbot, Thompson; Soldiers – Street, Russel, Tett, Everett, Oddwell, Thomas; Indian Officer – Linton // Alminah – Mrs Chapman; Agra – Miss Sims; Orsana – Miss Gray; Women of the Zenana – Miss Wheatley, Miss Walcup, Mrs Wybrow, Mrs Watts, Mrs Bologna, Mrs Iliff, Mrs Castelle, Miss Leserve, Mrs Masters,