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August 1703

CONCERT.

Tbursday 12 RI W

MUSIC. A great Consort of Musick (Mr Elford and Mr Weldon will perform several new Songs) all compos'd on purpose for this Entertainment by the said Mr Weldon. Some of the Songs to be accompanied by a Flute by Mr Peasable, and a new Symphony for a Flute and a Violin by him, and the Famous Signior Gasparini, who will perform several Italian Sonatas accompanied by Mr Depar, and other great Symphonies by the best Masters.

COMMENT. Beginning at 5 P.M. and ending at 7 P.M. Tickets 5s. This Consort to be perform'd but once, because of the Queen's going to the Bath.

CONCERT.

Saturday 21

MUSIC. Vocal and Instrumental, with several single songs and two-part songs by Cook and Davis.

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COMMENT. At 5 P.M. Tickets 2s. 6d.

THE HISTORY OF BATEMAN; or, The Unhappy Marriage, with The Comical Humours of Sparrow his Man. Sparrow – Dogget.

Monday 23 BF

ENTERTAINMENTS. With variety of Scenes and Machines, Singing and Dancing, never seen before in the Fair.

COMMENT. At Parker's and Dogget's Booth near Hosier-Lane.

THE FAMOUS HISTORY OF DORASTUS AND FAWNIA. Cast not listed. ENTERTAINMENTS. Vocal and Instrumental Musick. With very pleasant Dialogues and Antick Dances.

COMMENT. At Parker's Booth between the two Rope-Dancers.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

DANCING. On the Ropes, after the French and Italian Fashion, by a Company of the finest Performers that ever yet have been seen in the whole World. For in the same Booth will be seen the two Famous French Maidens, so much admir'd in all Places and Countries where ever they come, (especially in May-Fair last) where they gain'd the highest Applause from all the Nobility and Gentry, for their wonderful Performance on the Rope, both with and without a Pole.... To which is added, Vaulting on the High-Rope, and Tumbling on the Stage. As also Vaulting on two Horses, on the great Stage, at once.

COMMENT. At the Great Booth by the Hospital Gate.

JEPTHA'S RASH VOW; or, The Virgin Sacrifice, With the Comical Humours of Nurse and her Two Sons, Toby and Ezekiel; together with The Pleasant Manner of Didimo, Toby's Son. Toby – Penkethman; Ezekiel – Bullock. ENTERTAINMENTS. Singing and dancing.

COMMENT. At the Penkethman-Bullock-Simpson Booth, over against the Hospital Gate. Mainpiece: A Comedy being all new Writ.

