

DANCING. *Les Boufons du Cour*, as 20 Nov. *La Villageoise*, as 6 Oct. *Les Jardiniers Suedois*, as 23 Nov. Tuesday 30  
CG  
COMMENT. Benefit for a Citizen and Merchant of London, suffering under Great Losses.

## December 1742

- THE PROVOKED WIFE. As 12 Nov. Also MISS LUCY IN TOWN. As 30 Oct. Wednesday 1  
DL  
DANCING. II: *Grand Comic Dance*, as 30 Nov. v: *Les Moisonneurs de la Styrie* by Checo and Signora Chiaretti.  
COMMENT. Mainpiece: At the Desire of several persons of Quality. This month was published *A Clear Stage and no Favour*, or Tragedy and Comedy at War, occasioned by the Emulation of the Two Theatric Heroes David and Goliath, A 12 p. poem setting forth the appeals of Garrick and Quin. [Prophesies that in two years' time Quin will continue to be esteemed more than Garrick, the new favorite.]
- THE COUNTRY WIFE. As 15 Nov. CG  
DANCING. *Les Boufons du Cour*, as 20 Nov. *Dutch Skipper*, as 25 Oct. *Musette* and *Tambourine* by Janneton Aurette. *Grand Ballet*, as 8 Nov.
- THE COMMITTEE. Teague – Cibber; Careless – Giffard; Blunt – W. Giffard; Day – Julian; Obadiah – Dunstall; Abel – Peterson; Story – Pattenden; Bookseller – Dove; Catch – Dighton; Arbella – Mrs Butler; Mrs Day – Mrs Bambridge; Mrs Chat – Miss Brunette; Ruth – Mrs Giffard. Prologue and Epilogue as 24 Nov. LIF  
Also THE VIRGIN UNMASKED. Lucy – Miss Scott; Goodwill – Julian; Blister – Dunstall; Quaker – Hemskirk; Coupee – Peterson; Wormwood – Dighton; Thomas – Freeman.  
COMMENT. Particular Care has been taken to have the whole House exceedingly well Air'd.
- HAMLET. As 16 Nov. Thursday 2  
SINGING. As 29 Nov. DL  
MUSIC. II: Concerto by Piantinida.
- OTHELLO. As 27 Sept. CG  
DANCING. *La Villageoise*, as 6 Oct. *Musette* and *Tambourine*, as 1 Dec. *Grand Ballet*, as 8 Nov.  
COMMENT. At the Desire of Several Persons of Quality.
- THE OLD BATCHELOR. As 1 Nov. Friday 3  
SINGING. III: Song by Lowe. DL  
DANCING. II: *Grand Comic Dance*, as 17 Nov. IV: *Les Moisonneurs de la Styrie*, as 1 Dec.  
COMMENT. [Anon.] to Mr Garrick, 4 Dec.: Sir, I saw you last night act Fondlewife, and could not help thinking it a good deal overacted, especially in that sort of feeble trot you seemed to affect so much. A part overacted makes the actor look foolish.—Boaden, *Private Correspondence of Garrick*, I, 27.
- THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR. As 27 Oct. Also THE SCHOOLBOY. CG  
As 19 Nov.  
DANCING. *Dutch Skipper*, as 25 Oct. *Les Jardiniers Suedois*, as 20 Nov.