PIZARRO. As 27 May. Also THE HUMOURIST. As 29 Nov. 1798. SINGING. As 29 May.

Friday 7 DL

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COMMENT. Receipts: £479 16s. 6d. (444/9/6; 34/7/0; 1/0/0).

THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. Shylock (for that night only) - Rees; Bassanio - Pope; Launcelot - Munden; Gratiano - Knight; Lorenzo (with songs; 1st time) - Hill; Solarino - Claremont; Salanio - Klanert; Old Gobbo - Wilde; Duke - Davenport; Tubal - Thompson; Balthazar - Curties; Antonio - Holman // Jessica (with a song; 1st time) - Mrs Atkins; Nerissa (1st time) - Miss Sims; Portia - Miss Betterton. Also The Brilliants. In which: Imitations by Rees; When the seaman quits the shore by Hill; The Tight Little Island by Townsend; Flow thou regal purple stream by Burrows (1st appearance); A new Hunting Song by Hill; a Debating Catch by Simmons, Linton, Street, &c. Also Comus. Comus - Holman; Principal Bacchanal - Hill; Bacchanals - Townsend, Linton, Street, Thomas, Oddwell; 1st Spirit - Thompson; Brothers - Farley, Claremont // 2nd Spirit (with a song) - Miss Sims; The Lady - Miss Chapman; Principal Bacchant - Mrs Chapman; Bacchants - Mmes Wheatley, Follett, Castelle, Leserve, Norton; Sabrina and Pastoral Nymph (with Sweet Echo, accompanied on the oboe by W. Parke) - Mrs Atkins; Euphrosyne - Mrs Martyr.

DANCING. In Act II of 3rd piece a Dance by Naiads.

SINGING. In the course of 1st piece Maria; or, The Beggar Girl by Mrs Atkins; In the course of the Evening Toung William by Incledon; a new song, The Negro Boy (written by Rees, and composed by Attwood), by Miss Sims, in character.

COMMENT. Benefit for Hill, Rees and Miss Sims. Morning Chronicle, 6 June: Tickets to be had of Hill, No. 24, Bow-street, opposite the Pit Door. [Others not listed.] 2nd piece [1st time: M.INT 1]. Receipts: £287 75. (50/17/6; 4/0/6; tickets: 232/9/0).

PIZARRO. As 27 May. Also THE PRIZE. As 30 Nov. 1798. SINGING. As 29 May.

Saturday 8 DL

COMMENT. Receipts: £430 15s. 6d. (392/0/6; 37/18/0; 0/17/0).

THE VOTARY OF WEALTH. As 12 Jan. Also A DIVERTISEMENT. As CG 27 Mar.

DANCING. Afterpiece: With the Minuet de la Cour and Gavot by Klanert and Mrs Watts

COMMENT. [Account-Book: Tickets delivered by Wells, Thompson (stage door keeper), Thomas, Clarke, Robson (pit door keeper), Ansell, Little, Bagley, Noble, Bonsor, Walls (constable), Townsend, Linton, Morris, Klanert, Ward, Coombs will be admitted.] Receipts: £329 16s. (18/3/0; 2/13/6; tickets: 308/19/6).

DIDONE. Cast not listed, but see 30 May.

King's

Monday 10

DANCING. End of Act 1 Hylas et Témire, as 18 Apr.; End of Opera La Fille Mal Gardée, as 18 Apr.

COMMENT. [1st ballet in place of La Double Épreuve, advertised in Morning Chronicle, 7 June.]

PIZARRO. As 27 May. Also THE FIRST FLOOR. Whimsey – Hollingsworth; Monford – Caulfield; Young Whimsey – R. Palmer; Tim Tartlett – Bannister Jun.; Furnish – Suett; Simon – Russell // Mrs Pattypan – Mrs Walcot; Charlotte – Miss Heard; Nancy – Miss Tidswell. SINGING. As 29 May.

COMMENT. Receipts: £445 4s. 6d. (405/4/6; 39/15/0; 0/5/0).

RAMAH DROOG. As 27 May. Also THE BIRTH DAY. As 8 Apr., but Miss CG Murray (1st time) in place of Mrs Pope.

COMMENT. The Last Night of the Company's performing this Season. Account-Book, 24 June: Balance carried forward to Thos. Harris Esq's Private Account £1,614 25. 5d. Receipts: £151 25. (145/15/6; 5/6/6).

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