February 1718

HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK. As 28 Sept. 1717, but Horatio - Mills. Saturday 1
COMMENT. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.

TAMERLANE. Tamerlane - Quin; Bajazet - Keene; Moneses - Leigh; Axalla - LIF Bullock; Arpasia - Mrs Thurmond; Selima - Mrs Bullock.

DANCING. As 21 Jan. Moreau's Grand Indian Dance.

COMMENT. Benefit Keene. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of

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THE REHEARSAL. Cast not listed.

DANCING. As 28 Jan.

COMMENT. Written by the late Duke of Buckingham. With all the Songs,

A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. Cast not listed, but edition of 1718 lists: Sir Philip Modelove – Knap; Periwinkle – Spiller; Tradelove – Bullock Sr; Obadiah Prim – Pack; Col. Fainwell – Chr. Bullock; Freeman – Ogden; Simon Pure – Griffin; Sackbut – Hall; Mrs Lovely – Mrs Bullock; Mrs Prim – Mrs Kent; Betty – Mrs Robins. Prologue written by a Gentleman and spoken by Mrs Thurmond. Epilogue written by Sewell and spoken by Mrs Bullock.

COMMENT. [By Susanna Centlivre.] Never Acted before.

THE ORPHAN; or, The Unhappy Marriage. As 26 Oct. 1717.

COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality.

Tuesday 4

DL

A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. Cast not listed, but see 3 Feb.

DANCING. By Thurmond Jr, Cook, Pelling, Miss Smith.

COMMENT. Written by the Author of The Busie Body.

THE CONSTANT COUPLE. As 4 Dec. 1717.

Wednesday 5
DL
A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. Cast not listed, but see 3 Feb.

LIF

DANCING. As 4 Feb.

COMMENT. Benefit the Author. As 4 Feb.

Dances, and other Decorations proper to the Play.

GREENWICH PARK. Cast not listed. Also THE COUNTRY WAKE. Cast not Thursday 6 listed.

SINGING. By Mrs Boman.

DANCING. By Shaw, Topham, Mrs Bicknell, Miss Teno, Miss Lindar.

A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. Cast not listed, but see 3 Feb.

DANCING. As 4 Feb.

COMMENT. As 4 Feb.

THE NONJUROR. Cast not listed, but see 6 Dec. 1717.

COMMENT. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.

Friday 7

DL

THE WANTON WIFE [Amorous Widow]. Cast not listed, but see 2 Jan. Also LIF AMADIS. As 24 Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit the Author of afterpiece [Daily Courant]. Benefit J. and Ch. Rich [Rich's Register]. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. Receipts: money £71 35.; tickets £26.

