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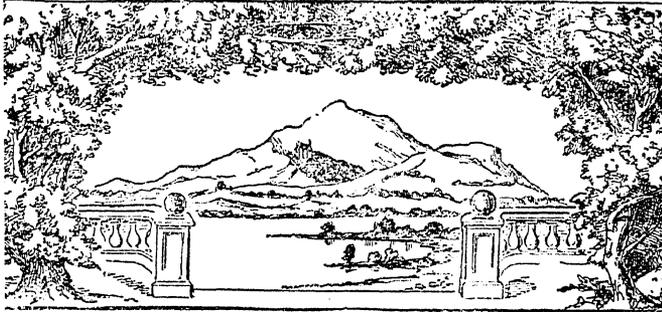
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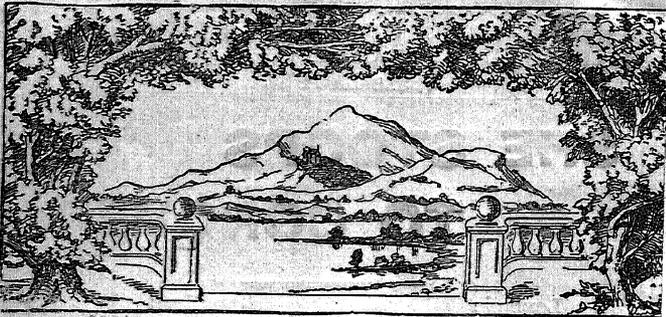
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performed at Covent Garden March 15th, 1773.

**Characters.**

	<i>Covent Garden, 1773.</i>	<i>Haymarket, 1856.</i>
SIR CHARLES MARLOW	MR. GARDNER.	MR. ROGERS.
HARDCASTLE	MR. SHUTER.	MR. CHIPPENDALE.
YOUNG MARLOW	MR. LEE LEWIS.	MR. HOWE.
HASTINGS	MR. DUBELLAMY.	MR. E. VILLIERS.
TONY LUMPKIN	MR. QUICK.	MR. COMPTON.
STINGO	..	MR. CULLENFCRD.
DIGGORY	..	MR. CLARKE.
ROGER	..	MR. WEATHERSEY.
RALPH	..	MR. RUSSELL.
GREGORY	..	..
TOM TWIST	..	MR. WETTIN.
JACK SLANG	..	MR. COR.
TOM TICKLE	..	..
JEREMY	..	MR. BRAD.
MAT MUGGINS	..	MR. EDWARDS.
SERVANT	..	..
MRS. HARDCASTLE	MRS. GREEN.	MRS. POYNTER.
MISS HARDCASTLE	MRS. BULKLEY.	MISS REYNOLDS.
MISS NEVILLE	MRS. KNIVETON.	MISS A. VINING.
MAID	..	MISS ELLW.

**Costumes.—(PERIOD ABOUT 1770.)**

SIR CHARLES.—Long riding coat, trimmed with gold lace, top boots, powdered wig and queue, three-cornered hat with gold lace, white cravat.

HARDCASTLE.—Plain plum-coloured cloth suit, grey silk stockings, shoes and buckles. *Second Dress:* Long coat with cape, three-cornered hat, brown George wig, white cravat.

MARLOW.—Green body coat, wide lappels and skirts, trimmed with gold lace; white satin embroidered waistcoat, leather tights, and top boots; three-cornered laced hat, hair powdered and tied at back with black ribbon and rosette, white cravat with short laced ends.

HASTINGS.—The same, but of different colour.

TONY.—Scarlet hunting frock, long white waistcoat, leather breeches, striped stockings, and shoes with buckles. *Second Dress:* Top boots, and hunting cap; red wig, hair tied in a queue.

DIGGORY and SERVANTS.—Old-fashioned liveries.

STINGO.—Plain cloth suit.

GUESTS.—Shabby suits.

MRS. HARDCASTLE.—Figured silk open dress, stomacher, short sleeves with hanging lace sleeves, mittens, satin petticoat, high-heeled shoes, powdered hair, and large cap trimmed with broad coloured ribbons and flowers; hoop. *2nd Dress:* Capuchin and hood.

MISS HARDCASTLE.—White figured silk and black silk scarf, folded over the shoulders, and tied behind at the waist; hair in ringlets, and large flat straw hat, trimmed with ribbons. *Second Dress:* Plain k, with neat apron, and small cap; mittens.

MISS NEVILLE.—Pink silk, like Miss Hardcastle's first dress,

MAID.—Plain figured chintz, apron and cap.