

1807-002

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

BLOW'S EXECUTORS vs. LANKFORD'S
EXECUTORS 1817

other surnames: Langford,
Crichlow, Lewis

No 151

Blows et al

vs
Lankford &

Bill

March 1880

vs Bill filed in court

Apr 20 May 20

Dismissed filed -

To the worshipfull court of Forthampton county in chancery
sitting - Humbly complaining shew unto your worships your orators
John Buehlow and Richard Blaw executors of the last will and
testament of John Thomas Blaw decd: That sometime on the 7th day of
our Lord a certain Thomas Lankford of this county
departed this life after having duly made and executed his last
will and testament, in which he appointed his wife Elizabeth
Lankford executrix and Shadrack Lewis and Jesse Lankford
executors of his said last will, that some short time after the death
the testator the executrix and executors proved the will and pro-
ceeded according to law, That your complainants - testators as for
the securities of the executors joined in the bond executed by them
their faithful administration of the decedent's estate, &c.
the same time the said Shadrack Lewis qualified as the de-
finitary guardian of the children of the said decedent, that the
said executors immediately afterwards took unto their possession all
the personal estate of the decedent and proceeded in the adminis-
tration thereof, that in the course of that administration the said
executors so negligently or fraudulently managed the affairs
of the estate, which was fully competent to have discharged
all the debts and legacies due from it when it came to the
hands of the executrix, that a number of claims remained un-
satisfied at the time when the legacies had attained the pe-
riod for demanding their legacies, in consequence of which re-
peated applications were made to the executors by the legatees and
their guardians for the amount of their several demands, which
always proved ineffectual, that the legatees finding themselves
thus always baffled and disappointed, and finding also that the source
from which they might have expected to have received the amount
of their claims was exhausted (the estate having been wasted and
dissipated) immediately applied to your orators testator who was the
nearest of person, threatening and menacing him daily with
a suit for the amount of their demands, that your orators
testator finding it was impossible for him to make the payment of
their claims and well knowing that the consequences of a suit would

only be attended with expense, difficulty, and vexation, actually
paid off and discharged the several claims of the legacies at different
times amounting in the whole to about two hundred and ninety
seven pounds, some of which were from sundry persons here to and
there and prayed to be taken as part of this bill, that your orators
testator in his life time made numerous applications ^{for payment} without
effect to the said Elizabeth Lankford and Frederick Lewis and
your orators, since their testator's death have made many to a little
purpose in tender consideration whereof and for as much as your
orators are only relievable in a court of equity when matters
of this kind are properly cognizable and that an innocent security
holder still more innocent offspring may not suffer in consequence
of the fraud and misconduct of culpable persons. Your orators
prayer that the said Elizabeth Lankford and Frederick Lewis being
moving executors of the wills and Jesse Lankford dec^d, executors
of Thomas Lankford dec^d may be made defendants to this bill
and that they may on oath give true and perfect answers
make to the allegations of this bill and that your worship
will decree and order that the said Elizabeth Lankford and
Frederick Lewis pay unto your orators the said £297 together
with the interest which may have accrued thereon and grant
to your orators such other and further relief in the premises
as may be consistent with the equity, May it please
your worship the premises considered to grant to your
orators the Commission at the west of Subpoena command
ing &c

Byrne & Taylor for complements

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Blows & others defendants
 of Lankford and others ~~Ex~~ ^{Ex} Chancery
 And the said defendants by Hardy told their
 Attorney come into Court and by protestation
 neither confessing nor denying the allega-
 tions in the said Complainants Bill
 set forth. But demurring thereto and
 shewing their grounds of demurres
 as follows. First that they ought not to
 have nor maintain their said Bill
 against the Complainants because a cer-
 tain George Lankford a representative of
 Lankford dec'd who was security to
 the debt Elizabeth Lankford for the Execution
 of the will of said Thomas Lankford is mate-
 rially interested in the cause and is not made
 a party to the said suit. of this he pray be

Orally Because the said George Lank-
 ford ~~was~~ is the representative of said Lank-
 ford dec'd who was security with
 your respondent Elizabeth ^{and a certain J. H. Blow} to a Bond
 Executed by Shadrach Lewis as Guar-
 dian to the orphans of said Mrs Lank-
 ford ^{is not made a party to said suit} and of this they pray judgment be

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at
Blair's in } Denver
 } dr

Blow and others defendants
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Lankford and others } In chancery

And the said defendants by Hardy Cobb their attorney came into court and by protestation neither confessing nor denying the allegations in the said complainant's Bill set forth. But ~~then~~ demurring thereto and shewing their grounds of demurrer as follows, first that ought not to have nor maintain their said Bill against the complainants because a certain George Lankford a representative of Jesse Lankford dec'd who was security to the defendant Elizabethe Lankford for the execution of the will of said Thomas Lankford is materially interested in the cause and is not made a party to the said suit, of this he prays &c &c

2^d Because the said George Lankford is the representative of said Jesse Lankford dec'd who was security with your respondent Elizabethe, and a certain Jno. J. Blow to a bond executed by Shadrach Lewis as guardian to the orphan of said Thomas Lankford is not made a party to the said bill and of this they pray Judgment

Hardy Cobb Esq

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Blows vs
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Sankford vs

And the said defendants file the complain-
ants Bill mentioned by Hardy Cobb their attor-
-ney demand to the Bill of the complainants be-
-cause ~~there is error of law~~ it is not suffi-
cient in law to entitle them to recover. vs

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Blow and others
vs } In chancery
Sankford & others def.

and the defendants by their attorney come into
Court and defend the force and injury when and so forth and
say that the said complainants ought not to have nor maintain
their said Bill against them because a certain George Sankford
representative of ~~Sankford~~ Sankford who was security to the said
Elizabeth Sankford for the executor of the will of the said
Thomas Sankford is materially interested in the cause and is
not made a party to the said writ and this they are
ready to verify

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June 1807 filed

Blow and others ~~Cobb~~
vs Inheritance
Sankford & others vs

And the defendants by their attorney come into
Court and defend the force and injury when and so forth
and say that the said complainants ought not to have
nor maintain their said Bill against them because
a certain George Sankford representative of Jesse Sank
ford who was security to the debt ~~Lane~~ Elizabeth Sank
ford for the execution of the will of the said Thomas
Sankford is materially interested in the cause and is
not made a party to the said suit and this they
are ready to verify

Cobb J. D.

Money left for Eliza
Larkford ^{12th} April
Executed on June 18th

by
William Atkins Shff
for
Robert Mabey Shff

21 June 1816

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Blews
to
in Church
don't forget to return

The Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Southampton
County greeting you are hereby Comma^{nded} to ~~Summon~~
Elye Lankford and Shadrach Lewis Surveyors of them
Selves and Jose Lankford who were amici of Thomas
Lankford did to appear before the Justice of said
County Court of Southampton at the Court House of
the said County on the third Monday in June
next to answer still in Chancery exhibits against
them by Richard Blood and John Crabland ~~debtors~~
of John Thomas Blood. And this they shall
shall in no wise omit under the penalty of one
hundred pounds and have this show this writ
Witness Saml^l Clarke Justice of our said Court this
24th day of March 1806 and in the 30th
Year of the Commonwealth

Saml^l Clarke J

J. S. Sanford

Rec'd for \$42.00

Received the Eighteenth Day of December 1798
of John Thomas Blow ^{junr} who was one of Shadrach
Lewis's Sureties for the Execution of Thomas
Laneford Due the Sum of Forty Two Pounds Current
Money of Virg.^a in part of what is due me from
the Est. of my Father Thomas Laneford Due
Jesse Laneford

Wm James Folk

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Jesse Langford
Rev. 24.5.10.0

Feb. 16th 1800. Received of John Thomas
Blair Sincerely for Shadrach Lewis who
was Executor of Thomas Lankford Forty
five pounds Ten shillings some pence
in part of Rebecca Vicks & my part of
my Father Thomas Lankford's estate

Test
Will. P. Westbrooke Jesse Lankford

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Thomas Chapples
recd
1806

£36.0.0

Rec^d. of John. T. Blane sent one of the Securities of
Shadrach Lewis Esq. of Thomas Langford Dec^r. the
Sum of One Hundred and Twenty Dollars in part of
what is due to Nancy Langford one of the Orphans
of the said Thomas Langford Rec^d. from the said
Shadrach Lewis As witness my hand this Twenty
first Day of January 1801 Thomas Chappell guardian
for Nancy Langford

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Test Matthew Underwood

Rebecca Lantford

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Jr. Rebecca Lantford orphan of Tho. Lantford

1786				
Jan 1 st	To 1 primer & 1 spelling book	-	\$0	2.8
Dec. 31 st	To 10 months schooling in 1786	-	1	0.0
			1	2.8
	To Balance due the orphan	-	21	4.1
			<u>\$22 6.9</u>	
1787				
Jan 1 st	To 1/5 part of the maintenance of two Negro children (vizt) Dick & Nanna for 1786	-		4.9 1/2
	To Balance	-	25	10.0 1/2
			<u>\$25 14.10</u>	
1788				
Jan 1 st	To 1/5 part of the maintenance of two Negro children. Dick & Nanna for 1787	-		6.0
	To Balance	-	30	1.7 1/2
			<u>\$30 7.7 1/2</u>	
1789				
	To Balance	-	<u>\$34 3.7 1/2</u>	
1790				
June	To 1 Quire paper & 1/2 paper Ink powder	-	1	9
	To 1 Bible & 1 Ink glass	-	4	10
	To Balance Carried Forward	-	38	3.9 1/2
			<u>\$38 10.4 1/2</u>	

to Shad Lewis her guardian by the appoin^{ment} in the
Sandford's Will

1786	Jan ^y 1 st	By one fifth part of your Fathers Estate which fell to you at the settling of the aco ^t Current including the hire of the negroes since his death	18	19	1
		By one fifth part of the hire of the Negroes belonging to his Estate for the year 1785	2	6	5
		By Interest on the above from Jan ^y 1 st 1786	21	5	6
			1	1	3
			<u>\$22</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9</u>
1787	Jan ^y 1 st	By Balance due the orphan	21	4	1
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers Estate for the year 1786	3	6	6
		By Interest on the Balance from Jan ^y 1 st 1787	24	10	7
			1	4	3
			<u>\$25</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>10</u>
1788	Jan ^y 1 st	By Balance due the orphan	25	10	0 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes belonging to your Fathers Estate for the year 1787	3	9	0
		By Interest on the Balance from Jan ^y 1 st 1788	28	19	0 $\frac{1}{2}$
			1	8	7
1789	Jan ^y 1 st	By Balance due the orphan	<u>\$30</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7$\frac{1}{2}$</u>
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes belonging to your Fathers Estate for the year 1788	30	1	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Interest on the above from Jan ^y 1 st 1789	2	9	6
			32	11	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
			1	12	6
1790	Jan ^y 1 st	By Balance due the orphan	<u>\$34</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7$\frac{1}{2}$</u>
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes belonging to your Fathers estate for the year 1789	34	3	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Interest on the Balance from Jan ^y 1 st 1790	2	10	6
			36	14	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
			1	16	3
			<u>\$38</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>4$\frac{1}{2}$</u>

Dr. Rebecca Lankford (orphan) of Tho. Lankford

1791	Jan ^y	To 1/5 part of a suit of clothes for negro boy Dick	1	6	
	Mar ^{ch}	To paid Joseph Mountfortt for your schooling in the year 1790	9	2	
	Oct ^r	To 1 Quire paper	1	3	
	Dec ^r	To paid Joseph Mountfortt for your schooling for the year 1791	1	4	8 1/2
			1	16	7 1/2
		To Balance	41	18	2
1792					<u>\$ 43.14.9 1/2</u>
	Oct ^r	To 1 Scarlet cloth 30/6 & 1 printed Handker 3/4	1	13	10
		To 1 Muslin Handker 5/- & 1 yard Ribbon 1/9		6	9
		To 1/2 yd. Lawn is 3 1/4 yd. & 1/2 Oz. Thread 10 ^d		4	2 1/2
		To 1/2 yd. muslin 18/6 & tape 8 ^d		1	6 1/2
		To 1 yd. Calico 2 1/4 - is 30/6	1	10	4
		To 3 3/4 yd. Linen is 10/3 1/4		10	3 1/4
		To 1 Hatt 19/6 & 1 3/4 yd. Linen is 2/11	1	2	5
		To 18. shoes 5/4 & 18. shoe buckles 2/6		7	10
	Dec ^r	To paid Sucky Gibbs for making a habit	3		
			6	0	2 3/4
		To Balance	41	14	8 1/4
1793					<u>\$ 47.14.11</u>
	May	To 4 1/2 yd. Damask is 12/- & thank silk 8 ^d		12	8
		To 1 Ladies fan is 3/8 & 1/8 yd. Linen is 2/11		5	11
				18	7
1794		To Balance	46	18	1 1/4
					<u>\$ 47.16.8 1/4</u>

to Shad. Lewis her Guardian

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1791	Jan ^y	By Ballance Bro ^r Howard	38	3	9 1/2
		By 1/5 part of the Hire of the Negroes belonging to your Fathers estate for 1790	3	10	0
		By Interest on the Ball ^{ce} from Jan ^y 1791	4	1	13 9 1/2
			2	1	0
			43	14	9 1/2
1792	Jan ^y	By Bull ^{ce} due the orphan	41	18	2
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1791	3	17	0
		By Interest on the Bull ^{ce} from Jan ^y 1792	45	15	2
			1	19	9
			47	14	11
1793	Jan ^y	By Ballance due the orphan	41	14	8 1/2
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the Negroes belonging to y ^r Fathers estate for the year 1792	3	17	6
		By Interest on the Bull ^{ce} from Jan ^y 1793	45	12	2 1/4
			2	4	6
1794	Jan ^y	By Ballance due the orphan	47	16	8 1/4
		and carried Forward	46	18	1 1/4

D. Rebecca Lankford (Orphan) of Thos Lankford

1794	Jan ^y	To 1/5 part of 7 Blankets for the Negroes in my care to be divided -	14.1	
		To your part of the costs of a suit in charge for a Deuce of the Court to divide the Negroes in my care in Decem ^r 1793 -	16.6	
		To p ^d for your part of Spirits at the division -	1	
March		To 1 p ^d shoes -	8	
June		To 7 y ^d Ghinets -	1.17.6	
		To 1 p ^d gloves 3/6 & 1/2 y ^d Muslin 5/-	8.6	
		To 2 1/2 y ^d wide Ribbon is 5/- & 2 y ^d narrow 1/-	6	
		To 1 1/2 y ^d Linen is 3/9 & 1 y ^d p ^d Holland 3/-	6.9	
		To 7 Scains Thread -	1	
		To Cash p ^d Hannah Evans for making Habes -	2	
		To 1 printed Handkerchief -	3.9	
1795			5.5.1	
Jan ^y		To Ballance -	48.13.11 1/4	
		To p ^d Elizabeth Lankford your part of the maintenance of old Phillis for 1794 -	53.19.0 1/4	
		To Spirits at the hire of yr Negroes -	16.0	
June		To 1/2 y ^d Linen 2/- & 1 Muslin Handkerchief 6/6 -	4 1/2	
		To 4 1/2 y ^d Ribbon is 6/9. 2 y ^d a o. is 1/4 -	8.7	
		To 2 doz needles 4/- & 1 paper pins 9/-	8.1	
		To 1 p ^d gloves 3/6 & 1 1/2 y ^d Linen is 4/1 1/2 -	1.4	
		To 4 y ^d Muslin is 36/- & 1 fann - 1/9 -	7.7 1/2	
		To Thread 1/- & 1 bunch tape 1/9 -	1.17.9	
		To 1 p ^d shoes 6/8 & Cash p ^d for Temon for a Hat 1/-	2.9	
		To p ^d Hannah Evans for making a Habes -	6.8	
		To p ^d Jno Williams for 1 p ^d Shippers -	2	
Dec ^r		To Muslin 4/8 & 1 1/2 y ^d Linen is 4/-	8.6	
		To 1/2 y ^d Linen 2/3 & 1 pen knife 1/-	8.8	
1796		To 2 handkerchiefs -	3.3	
			1.4	
			6.12.11	
		To Waller Carried Forward -	51.19.7 1/4	
			£58.12.6 1/4	

To Shad Lewis her Guardian - Co.

1794	Jan ^y	To By Ballance Bro ^t forward -	46.18.1 1/4	
		To By 1/5 part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1793 -	4.4.5	
		To By your Lot of Negroes (vizt) } Mops & Phillis valued by the } £97.0.0 Commissioners to } By the other Lots to make your } Lot equal to £98-18-0 - 1.18.0 -	1.18.0	
		To By 1/5 part of 1 Bod, 2 Dishes, 2 Iron pots and 1 p ^d Hooks given up by your Mother to be divid among the five Children -	18.6	
1795	Jan ^y		£53.19.0 1/4	
		To By Ballance due the orphan -	48.13.11 1/4	
		To By Interest on the above from Jan ^y 1794 -	2.8.7	
		To By the hire of your two Negroes Mops & Phillis for the year 1794 -	7.10.0	
			£58.12.6 1/4	
1796	Jan ^y	To By Ballance due the orphan and Carried forward -	19.7 1/4	

Dr. Rebecca Lankford orphan of Tho. Lankford

1796	Jan 1 st	To p ^d Elizabeth Lankford y ^r part of the maintainance of old Phillis for 1795	16	-	-
		To Brandy at the hire of your negroes	-	4	1/2
		To cash to pay Lucy Drake	-	6	-
		To do p ^d Hannah Evans for Making a Robt	2	-	-
Oct.		To sundries bot. at Daniel Simmons	4	9	2
		for his acct. rendered	-	-	-
1797			5	13	6 1/2
Jan 1 st		To Ballance	57	8	0 3/4
			<u>63</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7 1/4</u>
		To p ^d Eliza Lankford your part of the maintainance of old Phillis for 1796	-	16	-
		To Spirits at the Hire of your negroes	-	-	7
		To p ^d Tho. Camp his acct. for sundries	-	16	4 1/2
		To fine Hatt	-	5	-
			2	17	11 1/2
		To Ballance Decem ^r 18 th 1797	69	-	1 5 3/4
			<u>71</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>5 1/4</u>
1798	Jan 1 st	To p ^d Elizabeth Lankford your part the maintainance of old Phillis for the year 1797	-	16	-
		To Ballance	83	10	9 3/4
			<u>84</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9 3/4</u>
1798	Decem ^r 24 th	To p ^d Tho. Chappee y ^r Guardian	19	16	4 1/2

To Shad Lewis her Guardian - Cr.

1796	Jan 1 st	By Ballance brot forward	51	19	7 1/4
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1795	2	12	-
		By the hire of your 2 negroes Moses & Phillis for the year 1795	8	10	-
			<u>63</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7 1/4</u>
1797	Jan 1 st	By Ballance due the orphan	57	8	0 3/4
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1796	2	17	4 1/2
		By the hire of y ^r 2 negroes Moses and Phillis for the year 1796	11	14	-
			<u>71</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>5 1/4</u>
		Ballance due the orphan	-	69	1 5 3/4
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1797	3	8	2
		To Decem ^r 18 th 1797	-	-	-
		Once the orphan	72	9	7 3/4
1798	Jan 1 st	By Interest from Dec ^r 18 th 1797 till Jan 1 st 1798	-	8	2
		By the Hire of your 2 negroes Moses & Phillis for the year 1797	11	15	-
			<u>84</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9 3/4</u>
		By Ballance due the orphan Jan 1 st 1798	83	10	9 3/4
			<u>84</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>9 3/4</u>
		Excepted by Shad Lewis	-	-	-
		Ballance due the orphan this Dec ^r 24 th 1798	63	14	4 3/4
		To my Trouble 12 years	3	0	0
			<u>60</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>4 1/2</u>

February 1st 1802 On a settlement of the within and
this day. I have received full satisfaction for the balance
due thereon from John Tho^s Blow s^r who was security
for Shadrach Lewis executor of Thomas Lankford & Hestamen
law guardian of Rebecca Lankford now Rebecca Vick, this
ack being my property by contract with Parks Vick husband
of the s^r Rebecca Vick. *Lepe Lankford*

Witness *Shells s^r*

De^d Jesse Lankford orphan of Thomas Lankford to
Mad Lewis, his appointed guardian by Tho. Lankford

1782		Dr.	Cr.
Jan 1 st	To 1 Quart Brandy at the Rent of y ^r plantation	£0-2-6	
1783	By the Rent of your plantation for 1782		£3-2-
1784	By Interest on the above for - 1783		3-1-
Jan 1 st	By the Rent of your plantation for 1783		3-1-
	~~To Walter due the orphan~~	6-4-0	6-6-
	~~To Walter due the orphan~~	6-6-6	
	By Walter due the orphan		6-4-0
	To R ^d the specie & Certificate Paid on y ^r Warrent Land for the year 1783	1-7-2	
	By Lightwood & hoopsticks		0-18-10
	By Int st on the above for Ball ^y 1784		5-0
1785	By the Rent of y ^r plantation for 1784		2-10-0
Jan 1 st	To Ball ^y this day settled	8-10-8	9-17-10
	By Walter due the orphan	9-17-10	
	By hoopsticks		8-10-8
1786	By Interest on the Ball ^y for - 1785		8-6
	To Books, paper & schooling for 1785 & 1786	2-9-3 $\frac{1}{2}$	8-19-8
Jan 1 st	By one fifth part of Tho Lankford's estate which fell to you at settling the acc ^t current including the hire of the Negroes since his death		18-19-1
	By the Rent of your Warrent Land for 1785		2-0-0
	By 1/5 part of the hire of the Negroes for 1785		2-6-5
	By hoopsticks		7-6
1787	To Ball ^y this day settled	31-13-3 $\frac{3}{4}$	32-12-8
Jan 1 st	By Interest for the year 1786	34-2-7 $\frac{1}{4}$	1-10-0
	By Ball ^y due the orphan & Court for 1786		34-2-8
			31-13-3 $\frac{3}{4}$

1787	By Ballance Bro ^t forward		£31-13-3 ³ / ₄	Dr	Cr
Jan 5	To 1/5 part the maintenance 2 Negro Children Dick & Sanna for 1786	0-4-9 ¹ / ₂			
	By the Rent your Barret Land for 1786		1-0-0		
	By 1/5 part the hire of the Negroes belong- ing to y ^r father's Estate for 1786		3-6-6		
1788	By Interest on the above for 1787		1-15-9		
Jan 5	To Ballance this day settled	37-10-9 ¹ / ₂	37-15-6 ³ / ₄		
	By Ballance due the orphan		37-10-9 ¹ / ₂		
	By the Rent of y ^r Barret Land for 1787		2-10-0		
	By 1/5 part the hire of the Negroes for 1787		3-9-0		
	To 1/5 part the maintenance of Dick and Sanna for 1787	0-6-0			
	To 1/4 the Tax of y ^r Barret Land for 1787	17-1/2			
1789	To Ballance	44-8-8 ¹ / ₄			
Jan 5	By Interest on the above for 1788	45-12-0 ³ / ₄	2-2-3		
	By Ballance due the orphan		45-12-0 ³ / ₄		
	By the Rent of your Land for 1788		44-8-8 ¹ / ₄		
	By 1/5 part of the hire the Negroes for 1788		2-0-0		
1790	By Interest on the above for 1789		2-9-6		
Jan 5	To Ballance	48-18-2 ¹ / ₄	2-8-10 ¹ / ₂		
	By Ballance due the orphan	51-7-0 ³ / ₄	51-7-0 ³ / ₄		
	To 1/4 the Tax of y ^r Barret Land for 1788	0-11-6			
	To 2 Quin pipes, 1/2 paper Ink powder and 1 Ink glass	3-5			
	To 1 Slate	1-4			
	By 1/5 part the hire the Negroes for 1789	0-16-3	2-10-6		
	By the Rent of your Land for 1789		1-10-0		
1791	By Interest on the above for 1790		2-14-0		
Jan 5	To Ballance	57-5-3 ³ / ₄	58-1-6 ³ / ₄		
	By Ballance due the orphan & carried forward	58-1-6 ³ / ₄	57-5-3 ³ / ₄		

1791	By Ballance Bro ^t forward		£57-5-3 ³ / ₄	Dr	Cr
Jan 5	To Sundry Clothing Schooling &c for the present year	3-12-2 ¹ / ₄			
	By 1/5 part the hire the Negroes for the year 1790		3-10-0		
	By the Rent of your Land for 1790		1-6-3		
	By hoopsticks		3-4		
1792	By Interest on the above for 1791		62-4-10 ³ / ₄		
Jan 5	To Ballance	61-12-8 ³ / ₄	3-0-0		
	By Ballance due the orphan	65-4-10 ³ / ₄	65-4-10 ³ / ₄		
	By 1/5 part the hire the Negroes for 1791		61-12-8 ³ / ₄		
	By the Rent of y ^r Land for 1791		3-17-0 ³ / ₄		
	To Sundry Clothing & Schooling for the present year	1-6-3			
1793	To Ballance	66-15-11 ³ / ₄	5-8-8 ³ / ₄		
Jan 5	By Interest on the above for 1792	64-13-9 ³ / ₄	3-1-7		
	By Ballance due the orphan	69-17-6 ³ / ₄	69-17-6 ³ / ₄		
	By 1/5 part the hire the Negroes for the year 1792		61-13-11		
	By the Rent of y ^r Land for 1792		3-17-6		
	To Sundry Clothing for the present year	1-10-0			
1794	To Ballance	70-1-3 ³ / ₄	2-2-11 ¹ / ₂		
Jan 5	By Interest on the above for 1793	71-6-4 ¹ / ₄	71-6-4 ¹ / ₄		
	By Ballance due the orphan	73-9-3 ³ / ₄	73-9-3 ³ / ₄		
	By 1/5 part the hire the Negroes & the Rent of your Land for 1793		3-8-0		
	By your Brother Elisha & 3 Sisters to make your Lot of Negroes Equal to theirs		71-6-4 ¹ / ₄		
	By 1/5 part of some furniture given up to Elisha & sent by y ^r Mother		5-14-5		
1795	To Sundryes for the present year	6-8-0			
Jan 5	To Ballance carried forward	84-7-3 ³ / ₄	3-12-10 ¹ / ₂		

		Dr	Cr
1795			
Jan 1	By Ballance Bro. forward		\$80.14.5
	By Interest on the above for 1794		4.0.9
	By the hire of your Negroes & the		5.10.0
	Rent of your Land for 1794		90.5.2
	To Sundry Clothing &c for the present	6.2.3 1/4	
	year 1795		
1796		84.2.10 3/4	
Jan 1	To Ballance	90.5.2	
	By Ball ^{ce} due the orphan		84.2.10 3/4
	By Interest on the Ball ^{ce} for 1795		4.4 1/2
	By the hire of your 2 Negroes & the		5.0.0
	Rent of your Barrel for 1795		93.7.0 1/4
	To Sundry Clothing &c for the present	3.2.3 1/2	
	year 1796		
1797		90.4.8 1/4	
Jan 1	To Ballance	93.7.0 1/4	
	By Ball ^{ce} due the orphan		90.4.8 1/4
	By Interest on the Ball ^{ce} for 1796		4.10.3
	By the hire of yr 2 Negroes & the		8.0.0
	Rent of your Land for 1796		102.1 1/4 11 1/4
	To Sundry Clothing &c for the present	5.14.11 1/4	
	year 1797		
1798		97.0.0 1/4	
Jan 1	To Ballance	102.14.11 3/4	
	By Ball ^{ce} due the orphan		97.0.0 1/4
	By Interest on the Ball ^{ce} for 1797		5.0.0
	By the hire your Negroes & the		3.11.0
	Rent of your Land for 1797		105.11.0 1/4
April 18 th	To Willis Bowers bonds & Intot	3.10.0	
	To Stephen Lankfords do	1.13.6	
	To Willis Washingtons do	1.10.8	
	To Jacob Corbets do	2.0.9	
	To Cash	1.4.0	
	To Ballance	9.17.11	
	By Ball ^{ce} due Jesse Lankford	95.13.1 1/4	
		105.11.0 1/4	
	This 18 th day of Apr. 1798		95.13.1 1/4

February 1st 1802, On a settlement of the foregoing and this
day I have received full satisfaction for the balance due
thereon, from John F. Blow s^r who was security for Shadrach
Lewis executor of Thomas Lankford ^{testamentary} & guardian to Jesse Lankford

Witness Saml Kello s^r

Jesse Lankford

I have charged my self with the Compound
Interest annually which I think is unreason-
-able if it be Lawfull —

in consequence thereof I have charged each
party 10 Dollars for my Trouble in conduct-
-ing their business for a number of years —
which will leave a ball^d due Josse
Lanckford £92.13. 1/4 —

E. Except^d J^r Mad. Lewis
— 11 —

Ann Sankford

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Q. Ann Lankford orphan of Tho: Lankford dec^d

1787	Jan 1 st	To 1/5 part of the maintainance of 2 Negro Children (viz ^t) Dut ^y by Vanna for 1786	4	9 1/2
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1788	Jan 1 st	To Ballance	26	13 10 1/2
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		To 1/5 part of the maintainance 2 Negro Children (viz ^t) Dut ^y by Vanna for 1787	6	
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1789		To Ballance	31	6 2 1/2
			<u>31</u>	<u>12 2 1/2</u>

1790	Jan 1 st	To Ballance Carried Forward	37	19 11 1/2
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to Shad Lewis her guardian by the appointment in Thom.
Sandford's Will - - C.

1786	Janys st	By one fifth part of your Fathers Estate which fell to you at the settling the acct current including the hire of the Negroes since his death - - - - -	18	19	1
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the Hire of the Negroes for the year - - - - 1795 - - - - -	2	6	5
1787	Janys st	By Interest on the above from Janys st 1786 - - - - -	21	5	6
		due the orphan - - - - -	1	4	3
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1786 - - - - -	22	6	9
1788	Janys st	By Interest on the above from Janys st 1787 - - - - -	3	6	6
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	25	13	3
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1787 - - - - -	1	5	5
1789	Janys st	By Interest on the above from Janys st 1788 - - - - -	26	18	8
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	26	13	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1788 - - - - -	3	9	-
1790	Janys st	By Interest on the above from Janys st 1789 - - - - -	30	2	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	1	9	4
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1789 - - - - -	31	12	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Interest on the above from Janys st 1790 - - - - -	31	6	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	2	9	6
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1790 - - - - -	33	15	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Interest on the above from Janys st 1791 - - - - -	1	13	9
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	35	9	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By $\frac{1}{5}$ part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1791 - - - - -	2	10	6
		By Interest on the above from Janys st 1792 - - - - -	37	19	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
		By Ballance due the orphan - - - - -	20	0	0

Ann Lankford orphan of Tho. Lankford decd

1791	Jan 1	To 1/5 part of a suit of clothes for Negro Boy Dick	1	6	
		To 1 Quire paper		1	3
	Dec 31	To p ^d Jos Mountfort for yr schooling this year	1	4	8 1/2
			1	7	5 1/2
1792	Jan 1	To Ballance	44	3	6
			\$45.10.11 1/2		
		To 1 Muslin Handkerchief		5	
		To 1 printed do 3 1/4 by 1/2 yd. Linnen 3 1/4 1/2		6	8 1/2
		To 1/2 oz. Thread 10 ^d by pins 10 1/2		1	8 1/2
		To 1/2 Bunch Tape			8
		To 7 yds calico	1	5	
		To 3 3/4 yds Linnen is 10 3/4 by 1 3/4 do. is 2 1/11		13	2 3/4
		To 1 pair shoes 5 1/4 by 1 1/4 shoe buckles 2/6		7	10
	Dec	To p ^d Suckey Gibbs for making a Hat		3	
			3	3	1 3/4
1793		To Ballance	47	2	2 1/4
			\$50.5.4		
June		To 1 Ladies fann		3	
Nov		To 7/8 yard Linnen do 3/4		2	11
				5	11
1794		To Ballance	53	4	6 1/4
			\$53.10.5 1/4		

To Shad Lewis her guardian

1790	Jan 1	By Ballance Bro ^t forward	37	19	11 1/2
1791	Jan 1	By Interest on the above from Janys 1790	1	18	
		due the orphan	39	17	11 1/2
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the negroes of your	3	10	
		Fathers estate for the year 1790	43	7	11 1/2
1792	Jan 1	By Interest on the Ballance from Janys 1791	2	3	
			\$45.10.11 1/2		
		By Ballance due the orphan	44	3	6
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the negroes of your	3	17	
		Fathers estate for the year 1791			
1793	Jan 1	By Interest on the Ballance from Janys 1792	48	0	6
			2	4	10
			\$50.5.4		
		By Ballance due the orphan	47	2	2 1/4
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the negroes of your			
		Fathers estate for the year 1792	3	17	6
1794		By Interest on the Ballance from Janys 1793	50	19	8 1/4
			2	10	9
			\$53.10.5 1/4		
		Ballance due the orphan & carried forward	53	4	6 1/4

Ann Sanford orphan of Tho. Sanford decd.

1794	Janys ^t	No 1/5 part of 7 Blankets for the Negroes	14.1
		To your part of the costs of a suit in Chancery for a decree of the Court to divide the Negroes in my care in Dec ^r 1793	16.6
		No p ^d for your part of spirits at the division	1.00
		No p ^d for your part of spirits at the division	1.20
		No p ^d for your part of spirits at the division	2.30
		No 1 Hare comb	10.8
Apr ^l		No 4 y ^{ds} durants & a hank silk	11.9
		To 18 th shoes 8/ & 1 pair of Handkerchiefs 3/9	3.18.3
1795	Janys ^t	No Ballance	54.9.2 1/4
		No paid Elizabeth Sanford y ^r part of the maintenance of old Phillis for 1794	16.00
		No p ^d for your part of spirits at the hire of your Negroes	4 1/2
June		No 7 1/2 y ^{ds} Callico 45/ & 1 1/2 y ^{ds} Linnen is 3/3	2.8.3
		No 2 1/2 y ^{ds} Ribbon is 3/9 & 2 y ^{ds} do is 1/4	5.1
		No 1 1/2 y ^{ds} do 1/7 1/2 & 1 1/2 y ^{ds} do 3/6	5.1 1/2
		No thread 1/ & 1 paper pins 1/6 & needles 4	2.10
		No 1/2 y ^{ds} Linnen is 2/4 & 1 Muslin Handkerchief 6/6	8.7
		No 1 y ^{ds} sheeting 2/6 & 1 bunch Tape 1/9	4.3
July		No 18 th shoes	4.10.6
		No paid Hannah Evans for making two habits	7.6
		No p ^d for Jos Denison for a Hat in Feb ^y Last	3.6
		No p ^d for John Williams for 18 th Slippers	12.00
		No Muslin 4/8 & 1 penknife 1/	8.6
		No 2 y ^{ds} Ribbon is 4/8 & 1/2 y ^{ds} Linnen is 2/3	5.8
		No 2 y ^{ds} Ribbon is 4/8 & 1/2 y ^{ds} Linnen is 2/3	6.11
1796	Janys ^t	No Ballance carried forward	6.14.7
			55.14.1 1/4
			62.8.8 1/4

To Shad. Lewis her Guardian

1794	Janys ^t	By Ballance brot forward	53.4.6 1/4
		By 1/5 part of the hire of the Negroes of your Fathers estate for the year 1793	4.4.5
		By your 2 Negroes Hagar & Cherry allotted to you by the Commissioners appointed by the Court valued to £100.0.0	98.18.0
		By 1/5 part of one Bed, 2 Dishes, 2 Iron pots & 18 Hooks given up by your Mother to be divided among the five children	18.6
			58.7.5 1/4
1795	Janys ^t	By Ballance due the orphan	54.9.2 1/4
		By Interest on the above from Janys ^t 1794	2.14.6
		By the Hire of your 2 Negroes Hagar and Cherry for the year 1794	5.5.00
			62.8.8 1/4

Dr. Ann Lankford orphan of Tho: Lankford decd.

1796	Jan 1 st	To p ^a Elizabeth Lankford your part of the maintenance of old Phillis for 1795	16		
		To p ^a for Spirits at the hire of yr Negroes	4 1/2		
	Oct.	To p ^a Daniel Simmons for Sunaries as ^t his acct. rendered	2. 14. 3 1/2		
		To 1 st Shoes 8/- by fine Hatt 29/-	1. 17. 0		
1797			5. 7. 8		
	Jan 1 st	To Ballance	58. 17. 2 1/4		
		To paid Eliza Lankford your part of the maintenance of old Phillis for 1796	16		
		To p ^a for Spirits at the Hire of your Negroes	7		
	July	To 1 Muslin Handkf 5/9 5/2 y ^e Muslin 5/-	10. 9		
		To 7 y ^e s Calico	2. 2		
		To 2 1/2 y ^e s Linen	7. 6		
			3. 16. 10		
		To Ballance Decm ^r 18. 1797	63. 15. 2 1/4		
			£ 67. 12. 0 1/4		
	Dec 30 th	To p ^a Doct Lewis Lewis & order of Tho: Chappell your present Guardian	9. 18. 0		
1798	Jan 1 st	To p ^a Elizabeth Lankford your part the maintenance of old Phillis for 1797	16		
			10. 14. 0		
		To Ballance	63. 5. 1		
			£ 73. 19. 1		
1798	Decm ^r 24 th	To p ^a Tho: Chappell your Guardian	10. 1. 0		

To Shad Lewis her Guardian

1796	Jan 1 st	By Ballance bro ^t forward	55. 14. 1 1/4		
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1795	2. 15. 9		
		By the Hire of your 2 Negroes Hagar and Cherry for the year 1795	5. 15		
			£ 64. 4. 10 1/4		
1797	Jan 1 st	By Ballance due the orphan	58. 17. 2 1/4		
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1796	2. 18. 10		
		By the Hire of your 2 Negroes Hagar & Cherry for the year 1796	5. 16		
			£ 67. 12. 0 1/4		
		By Ballance due the orphan Decm ^r 18. 1797	63. 15. 2 1/4		
		By Interest on the above from Jan 1 st 1797 to Decm ^r 18. 1797	3. 2		
		due the orphan	66. 17. 2 1/4		
		By Interest from Decm ^r 18. 1797 till Jan 1 st 1798	1. 10 3/4		
1798	Jan 1 st	By the Hire of your 2 Negroes Hagar & Cherry for the year 1797	7		
			£ 73. 19. 1		
		By Ballance due the orphan Jan 1 st 1798	63. 5. 1		
		I. Receipt of Shad Lewis			
		Ball ^{ce} due the orphan Decm ^r 24 th 1798	53. 4. 1		
		To my Trouble for 12 years	3. 0. 0		
			50. 4. 1		

February 1st 1802

On a settlement of the within account
I have received full satisfaction for the balance due thereon
amounting to ~~Twenty five pounds~~ Twenty five pounds
nineteen shillings 4¹/₂ from Mr. Tho. Blow & who was security
for Shadrach Lewis executor of Thomas Lankford & testamentary
guardian of Ann Lankford, now my wife

Witness
Shells
(11)

Joshua Corbit

15th March of 1802. Rec^d of Joshua Corbit
Five pounds sixteen shillings & 4¹/₂ which I over paid him
in the above settlement.

Mr. T. Blow per.

£5. 16. 2¹/₂

25	19	4 ¹ / ₂
5	16	2 ¹ / ₂
20	3	2 ¹ / ₂