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SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

IVEY VS. FORT

7/1822

other surnames: Ivy

Nathan Sig⁶⁹⁰
Bill,
Lewis Fort.

July 1822 Inty: Denee

To the worshipful the County Court of Southampton
in Chancery sitting. Humbly complaining sheweth
to your worships your orator Nathan Key, that
your orator many years was left on the death
of his father an infant orphan entitled to a
portion of his s^r. de^d. father's estate, that a
certain Lewis Fort duly qualified as the guar-
dian of your complainant & in that capacity
rec^d. into his possession the property of your
orator afores^d. That your orator has some
time since attained lawful age but has
not yet had a settlement with his s^r. guardian
& being moreover ignorant of law & of the
correct principles on which such settlement
should be made is desirous of having the
same adjusted thro' the intervention of a
Court of equity. To the end therefore that
the said Lewis Fort may be made a def^t.
hereto & compelled to answer the premises
— that he ^{be required to} ~~submit~~ a thorough account
of the whole of his guardianship transactions
— that your worships ^{after the same to be} ~~made up~~ before a Master ^{comptroller of your} Court & finally
decide to your complainant the sum which
may appear justly due to him, & grant
to him general relief in the premises &c.
May it please be so, — Prudent &c.

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To the most honorable the Court of Southamptown County in
Chancery sitting.

The answer of Lewis Fort to a Bill of
complaint exhibited against him, to this Court. ~~by~~
Statham Esq - This respondent saving &c. for answer
to the said Bill, says that he admits his qualifica-
tion as Guardian to the Compt. and has no objection
whatsoever to a settlement of his acc. as such - That
he therefore consents to the order of reference prayed
for, and will be satisfied with any decree, which
the Court may think proper to pronounce in the
premises. And having answered, prays to be hence
dismissed &c.

Lewis Fort.