

1821-017 Chancery Cause. Louisa Caroline Dicko, by v.c. vs Trustee of Bunkley's admr & Sally Bunkley,

Isle of Wight County

by v.c

other SURNAMES: BUNKLY

Caroline Dick 4/18

Ms. B. Dick's

Sally A. Bunkley or

Mar 29 1855

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Attest

The joint and separate answer of ^{John} ~~John~~ Bunkley, adm. of
 Truston Bunkley, decd. and of Sally Ann Bunkley, an infant of tender
 years being by her John Bunkley, who hath been appointed by the Court
 of Chancery to defend her in this suit; to a Bill of complaint exhibited against
 her by Louisa C. Dick, an infant under the age of twenty one years, in
 that respondent saving and reserving to themselves now and at
 all times hereafter, all and every right of exception to the
 errors and impugnation in the said Bill of complaint con-
 -tained, for answers thereto or to so much as they are advised
 it is material for them to answer, say That they cannot
 gainsay the allegations set forth in the said Bill other than that
 they were all fraud.
 They do not cheerfully consent to the decree prayed for by
 the complainants, and will very willingly acquiesce
 in any order or decree which the Court may pronounce
 in the premises, which may be consistent with Equity &
 good conscience. Denies any fraud or intention
 to exercise fraud toward the complainants, and prays
 leave to be disburied with their reasonable costs in this behalf
 expended - and as in duty bound &

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To the Court of the High Sheriff's County in Chancery sitting,
humbly complaining sheweth unto your honour your
oratrix Louise Caroline Dickes an infant of tender years being by her
friends Levin Dickes — That a certain Trustee Bankly departed his life
That intestate on or about the — day of — ad — sized of several slaves,
which with the increase thereof amount at this time to six, to wit, Manning,
Rachel, Priscilla, Chase, Frijah and Lucy, and that he left two
children, to wit, Sally Ann Bankly and Polly Bankly, also a widow
Rachel who afterwards intermarried with a certain Levin Dickes. That your
oratrix is the daughter of the said Rachel Dickes who hath departed this
life, and half sister to the said Polly Bankly who hath departed
this life intestate and under the age of twenty one year — Your oratrix
is advised that being of half sister to the said Polly Bankly deceased,
she is entitled to one half share of that part of the ^{personal} estate of ~~which~~
of Trustee Bankly to which the said Polly was entitled in her
lifetime, but she is informed that a proper distribution and admin-
-ent of the said property cannot be made without the aid of
this Court of Equity in which matters of this kind are alone and
properly relievable — She represents that a certain John Bankly hath
qualified as adm^r of the said Trustee Bankly deceased, &
although he has a sufficiency of other assets in his hands to pay
the debts due from the estate of the said Trustee, he hath refused
to divide the said slaves between your complainant and the
said Sally Bankly according to their respective rights — She prays
that the said John Bankly adm^r of Trustee Bankly and the said
Sally Bankly be by some fit person to be appointed by the Court to
defend her in this suit, be made defendants to this Bill, and that
they be compelled full, true and perfect answer to make to all &
singular the allegations aforesaid as fully as if the same were here again
repeated & they more particularly interrogated — To the end that justice
be obtained, She prays that your honour will decree that fit and
proper persons (to be appointed by this Court) do proceed to divide
the slaves aforesaid between the said Sally Bankly and herself
and ~~admin~~ ^{according to their respective rights} to be
ascertained by the Court — and that you will make such other or further decree in the premises
which may comport with equity and justice, and as in duty
bound she will obey — She prays the Court with of sp^{er} cond^o.

Attorney for P. C.

execute Bond each a Bond to the said Court as of record
conditioned to refund the just proportion of the said infants
to the said Court in the event of its becoming necessary for
the payment of debts due from the estate of the said Testator
Brentley deceased - and make report thereof to the
Court in order to a final decree -

Deeds
in Decree
Brentley
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Brentley

Louisa Caroline Dicks an infant by Lewis Dicks her next friend Compt.
against $\frac{2}{3}$ In Chy -

Sally Bunkley an infant under 21 years of age by John Bunkley her next friend
ally appointed to defend her in this suit. ^{John Bunkley ad. Truston Bunkley} Defts.

By consent of parties and the appointment of the Court, this cause
being docketed, came on to be heard on the 11th, answers exhibited
and was argued by counsel, whereupon the Court both ~~advised~~ advised,
decreed and ordered that Robert Lawrence, William Goodman and
Joseph Chapman or any two of them do proceed to divide and
allot to Louisa Caroline Dicks and Sally Ann Bunkley the pelf
and debt in this suit, the following slaves belonging to the estate of
Truston Bunkley deceased, to wit, Mollie, Rachel, Priscilla,
Ches, Keriah and Lucy, as follows, to wit, $\frac{1}{8}$ to the said Louisa
Caroline Dicks and the said remaining $\frac{5}{8}$ to the said Sally a.
Bunkley. It is also decreed and ordered that before the said
infants or their guardians take possession of the said slaves, their debts
shall (if required by the said John Bunkley ad. Truston Bunkley

we do certify that we are willing that the County
 Court of Edge might shall decree that the Slaves
 of which ^{John} Bunkley died seized to the use of
 them since his death, shall be divided between
 the representatives of Polly Bunkley, and
 Sally Bunkley, and that the part of the said
 Polly be divided between the said Sally Bunkley
 and Louisa Caroline Dick according to law which
 said Louisa Caroline Dick is half sister to the
 said Polly Bunkley deceased who died an infant
 November 2^d 1818.

John Bunkley
 Admors of J. Bunkley
 and 3^d Sally Bunkley
 Levin Dick

Dicks

Bill dau.

Bunkley

November 1818 Intestly seized

Oct. 10th 21st former Intestly
 never set aside Bill dism.

October Judgments

1818

Bond in
 Reg. M.

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A. Adams

Walter Buckley and estate left land & slave, to wit,
 he left 2 children daughter Polly Buckley married to wit
 Rachel who married Mr. Dick. Polly died intestate &
 an infant, so as no party having been appointed - see
 return to Mr. [unclear] } Rachel of [unclear], Chase, Reginald
 Henry & Louisa Caroline daughter of Rachel mother of
 the said child & infant - Wm Buckley and [unclear]
 Buckley to divide, Wm Goodwin, Joseph Chapman
 and Robert Lawrence or any 2 of them

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