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<p>Sept<sup>r</sup>. 15 Paid John Moxley 18/ so that he has now had £8.17.6 worth for his steers which cost £9. Therefore 2/6 remains due to M<sup>r</sup>. Moxleyô</p> <p>17<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>. paid M<sup>rs</sup> Moxley 16/ for weaving 45 yards of clothô</p> <p>Purchased of Old M<sup>rs</sup>. Claitor Sept<sup>r</sup>. 23. 1782 7 head of cattle for £9.0.0 vid<sup>t</sup> 1 steer of 4 year old in spring 1783ô 2 Barren cows, 2 year &amp; half old cattle The money to be paid when the cattle are taken away.</p> <p>Received from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell by Lewis Smith Sept<sup>r</sup>. 24<sup>th</sup> 82 £2.17.10 &amp; one hhd Tob<sup>o</sup>. on Falmouth 1041 neat.</p> <p>Rec<sup>d</sup>. from George Hull a Nomony Note for 1091 neat &amp; from M<sup>r</sup>. Turberville for M<sup>r</sup>. Rouands [Rowands] order in favor of Hull 1200 Crop p<sup>d</sup> then to the Sherif &amp; p<sup>d</sup> him 347 Crop Tob<sup>o</sup>. for Goodman.</p>	<p>purchase: steer <b>September 1782</b></p> <p>weaver: Mrs. Moxley</p> <p>purchase: cattle</p> <p>rent received (Blackwell)</p>
<p>[64]</p> <p>Sept<sup>r</sup>. 29<sup>th</sup> 1782 Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Geo. Hull by W<sup>m</sup> Coward [Coward?] one Tob<sup>o</sup>. note neat 935. Nom<sup>y</sup>. 19 Sept<sup>r</sup> 1782 f. B. for John Brennon N<sup>o</sup> 2 1035. 935.100.</p> <p>3 bottles out of last case up to 5 Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1782 &amp; 2 more on the 8 &amp; 9<sup>th</sup> of Oct<sup>r</sup>. ô</p> <p>Received from Jan. 5 sides of sole leather &amp; 7 of upper leather also 1 Hog skin &amp; 3 dog skins.</p> <p>Remained in the case 18 whole bottles ô1 broken one so that this last case that I had contained 23 whole bottles &amp; 1 broken oneô 13 &amp; 14 of Oct<sup>r</sup>. used 3 bottles of Claret Grand Characteri[sti]cs 63 &amp; 81 also the 7<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 35<sup>th</sup> , 49<sup>th</sup> &amp; 56.</p> <p>15<sup>th</sup> October paid my Son Thomas £15.6. on my own account &amp; Six pounds eight Shillings which came to my hands thro M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell for my Sons rents collected by M<sup>r</sup>. Keith.</p> <p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 28<sup>th</sup> D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Beane [Bayne] for a bushel of wheat 8/</p>	<p>rent received (Hull)</p> <p><b>October 1782</b> wine</p> <p>leather, hides for shoes</p> <p>wine inventory</p> <p>rent received for son Thomas</p> <p>sold: wheat</p>
<p>[65]</p> <p>Get from Richmond 2 lb. Salt Petre 1 lb. Alum &amp; ½ of Indigoô</p>	<p>purchases</p>

<p>Flannel, Jalap, Scissars for M<sup>rs</sup>. Lee &amp; Nancy. Needles &amp; 1 y<sup>d</sup>. of grave Rib.[bon].</p>	<p>jalap= purgative drug</p>
<p>Carried to Richm<sup>d</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1. 1782 7 shirts 7 stocks 5 handkers. 3 p<sup>r</sup>. Worsted Stock[ing]<sup>s</sup> 2 p<sup>r</sup>. black &amp; 2 p<sup>r</sup>. White silk stockings. 2 p<sup>r</sup>. c.[otton] thread 2 night caps 2 p<sup>r</sup>. socks 2 p<sup>r</sup>. leather &amp; 2 p<sup>r</sup>. flannel hand gloves 1 white neck handkerchief ó 2 old towels--</p>	<p><b>November 1782</b> clothing packed for Assembly 1782</p>
<p>In the study 6 doz. &amp; 2 bottles of Mad[eira]. Wineô In cellar 5 full bottles of claret &amp; 2 behind case full for sauces &amp; several pieces also 4 full bottles of grave wineô</p>	<p>wine inventory</p>
<p>Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1. Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Luttrell for the 30 div<sup>n</sup>. £8.6.3 ½ &amp; from M<sup>r</sup>. S. Self £4.10.10 for his ballance of the 26 div<sup>n</sup>. &amp; left the money being £12.16.1 ½ with Col<sup>o</sup>. F. L. Lee</p>	<p>money for militia</p>
<p>Ferriage at Hobbs Hole 6/7 ½ &amp; at NewCastle 2/</p>	<p>ferry rates</p>
<p>Arrived at M<sup>rs</sup>. Richasons to breakfast on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup>.</p>	<p>lodging in Richmond</p>
<p>25 Flannel 27/ Scissars 1 p<sup>r</sup>. 9/ &amp; 1 p<sup>r</sup>. 6/ Cambrick 20/ ribband 4/ needles 8/ -- the 8 dined at M<sup>r</sup>. Bever.[ley] Randolphys 10 dined at Wilton 11 at Governors</p>	<p>purchases, scissors, fabric, needles dining in Richmond</p>
<p>[66] 12 Nov<sup>r</sup>. gave to be washed 3 shirts 3 stocks 2 handkerchiefs 1 p<sup>r</sup>. stockings</p>	<p>laundry</p>
<p>Nov<sup>r</sup>. 13. 1782 made return to the War Office of money receiv<sup>d</sup>. by me for the Soldiers Tax £404.3.2 ½ but no man recruitedô</p>	<p>Soldiers Tax</p>
<p>15 dined at D<sup>r</sup>. Fousheesô 8<sup>th</sup> Paid M<sup>rs</sup>. Richason £1.17.2 24 Wash 4 Shirts 4 stocks 1 handkerchief 24<sup>th</sup> dined at M<sup>r</sup>. Prossers 26 dined at Gen. Lawsons. 29<sup>th</sup> dined at M<sup>r</sup>. Adamsô 1<sup>st</sup> dec<sup>r</sup>. dined at M<sup>r</sup>. Meakins 3 at M<sup>r</sup>. Pollocks ó</p>	<p>dining in Richmond lodging in Richmond laundry dining in Richmond <b>December 1782</b></p>
<p>Warm spirit poured in the Ear cures the tooth ach ½ a teaspoonful-- allum saltô dissolved cures ringworms tetteres &amp;etc</p>	<p>medicine, toothache cure tetteres= skin disease</p>
<p>8<sup>th</sup> dec<sup>r</sup>. 5 shirts 4 stocks 1 handkerchief 8<sup>th</sup> dined at M<sup>r</sup>. B. Randolphys 9<sup>th</sup> at Powhatan</p>	<p>laundry dining in Richmond</p>
<p>[67] Pedantry is properly the over-rating any kind of knowledge we pretend</p>	<p>quote from Jonathan</p>

<p>to. And if that kind of knowledge be a idle in itself, the pedantry is the greaterô for which reason fiddlers, dancing masters, heralds, masters of ceremonies &amp;etc. are greater pedants than Lipsius or the elder Scaliger.</p>	<p>Swift treatise on good manners &amp; breeding</p>										
<p>31 december 1782 delivered to F. L. Lee for W<sup>m</sup> Lee Continental Certificates amounting to 68,200 dollars of which 1500 dollars bore sterl<sup>g</sup> interest also 13,017 1/3 Virg<sup>a</sup> State Certificates. Also one for 40 money received for interest on Cont. Certificates 93 dollarsô</p>	<p>money for Wm Lee</p>										
<p>Aug<sup>t</sup>. 14. 1782 paid Edw<sup>d</sup>. Valentine £3 of the one for 40 Continental dollars to pay the Land Tax at Green Spring.</p>	<p>paid tax for Green Spring</p>										
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<p>[68]</p>	<p><b>January 1783</b></p>										
<p>Jan<sup>y</sup>. 24. 1783 C<sup>r</sup>. R.[obert] W.[ormely] Carter Esq<sup>r</sup>. for 233 lb<sup>s</sup> of Superfine flourô</p>	<p>purchase: flour</p>										
<p>28<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup>: Goodman had his crop of Cotton for 1782 60 lb<sup>s</sup> neatô His crop of Corn same year was 71 barrels shared by 12 ½ shares comes to 8 barrels 2 bushels for his three half shares &amp; he has had 4 barrels remainder due to him 4 ½ barrels at 12/ a barrel £2.12.6.</p>	<p>overseer William Goodman crop: cotton, corn</p>										
<p>[Scratched out script: Nov<sup>r</sup>. 25 ó D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Rich<sup>d</sup>. Parker 4 lb<sup>s</sup> sugar white at 1/ -- 4/]</p>	<p>sells: sugar</p>										
<p>D<sup>r</sup>. Zachary Weaver 2 lb<sup>s</sup> White Sugar at 1/3 for his brothers funeral 2/6 C<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Gray the Weaver for 50 yd<sup>s</sup> of Negro cloth wove at 4<sup>d</sup> p<sup>r</sup>. y<sup>d</sup>. ó 0.16.6</p>	<p>purchase: cloth William Gray, weaver Enslaved, Negro cloth</p>										
<p>D<sup>o</sup>. 54 yd<sup>s</sup> finer cloth Vid<sup>t</sup>. 28 yd<sup>s</sup> for counterpanes &amp; 26 for childrens Clothes the 2 pieces averaged at 8<sup>d</sup>. p<sup>r</sup>. y<sup>d</sup>. for weaving £1.16.0 making in the</p>											
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<p>[69]</p>	<p>enslaved: Nan hired to weaver</p>										
<p>whole £2.12.6 to M<sup>r</sup>. Grays creditô N.B. I settled with Gray 16 dec<sup>r</sup>. 1781 &amp; then the ballance he owed me was £1.8.6 specie to which is to be added the hire of Nan to him in the year 1782 for £6.6.6 specie &amp; Gray to weave at the old prices before the [soar?] then his account now stands thus</p>											
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<p>18 feb<sup>y</sup>. 1783 Counted the tools delivered to Jupiter together with Dobsons Chest with a good lock &amp; key to it ó the Tools were 1 Jointer, 2 Crows 1 Coopers Axe 1 Frow 1 pair of hhd compasses 1 Narrow Axe 1 bro[a]der Axe 2 Howels 2 Carpenters squares</p>	<p><b>February 1783</b> Enslaved: Jupiter Carpenters tools</p>										

<p>[70]</p> <p>1 carpenters hand saw 1 carpenters adze 1 inch &amp; 1 inch &amp; half augur 1 half inch Augur 1 quarter inch augur 8 chizels different sizes 2 carpenters squares 1 gouge 1 Round shave 1 wimble bit &amp; in large gimblet 1 saw box 2 saw setts 2 files 1 rasp 1 hammer 1 Drawing knife</p> <p>Feb<sup>y</sup>. 15. 1783 Settled with John Finch for Shoe making &amp; paid him thirty shillings which left Finch in my debt 2/6 for ½ a Gall<sup>n</sup>. of Brandy</p> <p>Feb<sup>y</sup>. 23<sup>d</sup> 1783 I have already had from the Marsh since Jan<sup>y</sup>. 1 this year 5 bushels of wheat &amp; now I have sent for 2 ½ more making 7 ½ bushels at 4/ £1.10.0</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. Cap<sup>t</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker for 2 quarts of my fine sweetened brandy 3/ a quart 6/</p>	<p>John Finch, shoemaker</p> <p>Hollisø Marsh Crop: wheat</p> <p>Sells: brandy</p>
<p>[71]</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Goodman &amp; his Son Thom 2 quarts of Whiskey 4/ &amp; a few days ago John Moxley had 2 quarts for his Oxen 4/</p> <p>6<sup>th</sup> March delivered Cap<sup>t</sup>. Parker 13 quarts &amp; 1 pint of Whiskey of Tho<sup>s</sup>. Leeø</p> <p>March 7<sup>th</sup> had 2 ½ bushels of wheat from the Marsh added to 7 ½ before makes 10 bushels at 4/ £2.0.0. Tuesday the 4<sup>th</sup> March [1783] M. T.</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker 4 oz. of Borax 12/--</p> <p>March 12. 1783. Paid £1.16.0 for the Tax on my sons land in Louisa for the year 1782</p>	<p>Sells: whiskey</p> <p><b>March 1783</b></p> <p>Hollisø Marsh Crop: wheat</p> <p>Purchase: borax</p> <p>Paid land tax</p>
<p>[72]</p> <p>Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> May 1783 arrived in Richmond &amp; took my seat in the House &amp; dined &amp; lodged that day &amp; night at Powhatan where I breakfasted &amp; I dined on Friday with M<sup>r</sup>. Randolph Friday night was the first I lodged at M<sup>rs</sup>. Richasons. Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> dined at Col<sup>o</sup>. Goods Monday 12 dined at Powhatan. My horses went away Tuesday noon 13<sup>th</sup> May having had 20 gal<sup>s</sup>. of oats. Wednesday 14 May dined at Governors. Thursday 15 dined at Gen. Lawsons. Sunday 18 at M<sup>r</sup>. Seldens. 10<sup>th</sup> at M<sup>r</sup>. Mitchels ó 24<sup>th</sup> at Powhatan ó 25 at M<sup>r</sup>. Attorneys. 28 at M<sup>r</sup>. Harveys ó 1<sup>st</sup> June &amp; 31 May at Wilton ó 5<sup>th</sup> dined with Major Wall 6<sup>th</sup> at Galts ó 7<sup>th</sup> at M<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>c</sup>Keens 8<sup>th</sup> at M<sup>r</sup>. Harveys,</p>	<p><b>May 1783</b> House of Delegates Dining &amp; lodging in Richmond Mr. Attorney = Edmund Randolph, briefly attorney general of Virginia</p>

<p>15<sup>th</sup> at M<sup>r</sup>. Seldens. 22 at M<sup>r</sup>. Walls [or Wells] 26 at Ship board</p> <hr/> <p>[73]  Wash May 14. 3 shirts 3 stocks, 1 handker<sup>ch</sup>. May 26 3 shirts, 3 stocks, 2 handkerchiefs 9<sup>th</sup> 5 shirts 5 stocks 2 handker<sup>s</sup> 6 2 waistcoats 2 p<sup>r</sup>. breeches 1 shirt 1 stock 1 handkerchief 2 p<sup>r</sup>. silk stock<sup>s</sup> 22 1 waistcoat 1 breeches 1 shirt &amp; stock 1 handkerchief</p> <hr/>	<p>Laundry</p>
<p>[74]  March 15. 1783 Tho<sup>s</sup>. Goodman had 3 pints of whiskey in full for the Partridges due to himô</p> <p>Richard Lee of Lee Hall &amp; Geo. Steptoes bond to R. H. Lee as Geo. Leeø executor for £100 Sterling bill of exch<sup>e</sup>. drawer in their favor on J. [ames] Russell 25 Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1770 to be charged to G. Lees estate for which bill, if paid, &amp; it was paid &amp; ch<sup>d</sup> by Russell in his account current against the estate, the said R. Lee &amp; Geo. Steptoe were to pay R. H. Lee £100 Sterling on the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1771 with legal interest for the use of G. Leeø estateô</p> <hr/>	<p><b>March 1783</b>  Purchase: partridges</p> <p>Executor for George Lee</p>
<p>[75]  Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Hall for money due to my Son from Bearcroft 8 Crowns 6 dollars &amp; 3 bits making £4.11.4ô this to be deducted from the money received by my son from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell which was £10.0.0ô</p> <p>Rec<sup>d</sup>. from Col<sup>o</sup>. H.[enry] Lee March 28 Four pounds 10/ for the Stratford Estates ballance of Soldiers taxô</p> <p>April 2<sup>d</sup>. had 2 ½ bushels of wheat more from the Marsh making 12 ½ bushels at 4/ £2.10--</p> <p>Put in tan April 7<sup>th</sup> 1783 Six large hides 2 grass beef hides 3 Calf skins &amp; 2 horse skins [inserted here: Since 1 yearling hide &amp; one oxens]</p> <p>Desired by Son to pay D<sup>r</sup>. Brown £3.18.6 for his medicines sent &amp; M<sup>r</sup>. Hartshorne 14/ for a tea kettle 12 lb<sup>s</sup>. coffee 4 combs</p> <hr/>	<p>receives money for son</p> <p>Soldiers Tax for Stratford, Henry Lee  <b>April 1783</b>  Hollisø Marsh  Crop: wheat</p> <p>Tanning leather</p> <p>Purchase: medicines, coffee, combs from Dr. Brown</p>
<p>[76]  7<sup>th</sup> April D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker 13 quarts &amp; 1 pint Whiskey at 1/6 p<sup>r</sup>. quartô</p> <p>10 April rec<sup>d</sup>. from the Marsh a barrel of Corn by order of M<sup>r</sup>. Thos<sup>s</sup>. Lee; the same being due to him for ballance of goods formerly found</p>	<p>Sells: whiskey</p> <p>Purchases for Matilda Lee of Stratford</p>

<p>Miss Matilda Lee.</p> <p>Lord Chesterfield when very old tried Calomel to remove the Rheumatism he took 5 grains, which having no effect to procure sensible alteration he increased the dose in a day or two to 7 grainsô he was presently after seized with a Salivation which ran high &amp; could not be stopt for 6 weeks &amp; it entirely cured his pains &amp; he never felt the Rheumatism after.</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. Zachary Weaver April 13<sup>th</sup> for 1 bottle Whiskey 1/6 paid</p> <hr/>	<p>Medicine: cure for rheumatism</p> <p>Sells: whiskey</p>
<p>[77]</p> <p>C<sup>r</sup>. Tho<sup>s</sup>. Lee for 1/6 rec<sup>d</sup>. for one one ounce &amp; a pound of sugar from M<sup>rs</sup>. Jenny Moxleyô Manu quam Consilio promptiores</p> <p>April 15. Had 2 ½ bushels of wheat from the Marsh making 15 bushels in all at 4/ is £3.0.0. [inserted here: 5 in June &amp; July very bad at 3/ -- 0.15.0]</p> <p>N.B. The moon full on Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> of April &amp; the M.D.[moon dog?] appear<sup>d</sup> on Wednesday morning the 16 of Aprilô</p> <p>On the 16 April sowed Water melon seed the 9 upper hills reckoning from the 1<sup>st</sup> row 5 &amp; 4 more in all 9 from the end of the second row next the fence is Lisbon Melon ó the 3 hills in the lowest row of all are Cap<sup>t</sup>. Lees 2 kinds &amp; all the rest M<sup>r</sup>. Buckners kinds being 2 sorts red meat with white seeds &amp; red seed w<sup>th</sup> red meat.</p> <hr/>	<p>Sells: sugar [1783]</p> <p>Hollisø Marsh Crop: wheat</p> <p>Moon dog</p> <p>Garden: watermelon</p>
<p>[78]</p> <p>April 16. 1783. D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker 1 quart of my sweetened brandy 2/</p> <p>19<sup>th</sup> April rec<sup>d</sup>. from Zachary Weaver 2/6 for 1 lb<sup>s</sup>. of Tommy Leeø sugar &amp; for the quart of Whiskey that he had on the 13<sup>th</sup> instantô</p> <p>18 April D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Goodman 1/6 for a quart of Whiskeyô D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker April 22<sup>d</sup>. 1783 thirteen quarts &amp; 1 pint of Whiskey at 1/6.</p> <p>Enquire the usual w<sup>t</sup> [weight] of a bar of Iron formed with a plow shear at end &amp; the value of iron in the year 1776 also the value of Steel in the year 1781</p> <p>Note given to M<sup>r</sup>. Sanford for Templeman was 935 neat Tob<sup>o</sup>.</p>	<p>Sells: brandy</p> <p>Sells: sugar, whiskey</p> <p>Iron &amp; steel value change</p> <p>Paid Templemanø (merchant) bill</p>

<p>Enquire at Richmond who are M<sup>r</sup>. Blacks Executors &amp; if they have any Bond or acco<sup>t</sup>. ags<sup>t</sup>. M<sup>c</sup>Ginnisô</p>	<p>Ask Blackø estate executors if bill due from McGinnis</p>
<p>[79] D<sup>r</sup>. Col<sup>o</sup>. Chiltons estate for 26 bushels of Salt at 6/ £7.16. This being the half of the Salt made by our joint efforts when Z[achary] Weaver managed for Col<sup>o</sup>. Chiltonô Z. Weaver says that my Fellow &amp; him made 52 bushels that year--&amp; Col<sup>o</sup>. Chilton told me he sold for a dollar a bushel--&amp; he offered to pay me the money but I desired him to keep it against my Smiths acco<sup>t</sup>. ô this year I had none of the Salt &amp; the next year I had 2 men worked at the Colonels works &amp; no settlement made of the Salt, enough I had for my own use, but that could not have been the half of my shareô</p> <p>My bond payable to Miss Elizabeth Lee is dated 1<sup>st</sup> May 1783 for £178.11.2 Specie &amp; draws interest from the date In my letter to M<sup>r</sup>. John Turberville Aug<sup>t</sup>. 9. 1783 I do engage to pay interest on</p>	<p>Bills Chiltonø estate for salt from works Zachary Weaver was manager</p> <p>Enslaved: 2 unnamed men at Chiltonø salt works</p> <p><b>May 1783</b> Bond to Miss Elizabeth Lee with interest</p>
<p>[80] the above bond from 28 Sept<sup>r</sup>. 1779.</p> <p>Received from M<sup>r</sup>. Brinnon for M<sup>r</sup>. Attorney 13 Crown &amp; half a Guinea. May the 3<sup>d</sup>. 1783 Received by my son Tho<sup>s</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell one dubloon 1 Guinea &amp; half a guinea.ô My Son wrote me at same time that he had paid D<sup>r</sup>. Brown &amp; M<sup>r</sup>. Hartshorne for my things out of the cash he received from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell £4.12.6ô Received at same time on account of my said Son 4/ for 3 lb<sup>s</sup>. of his sugar.ô</p> <p>Carried to Richmond May 4<sup>th</sup> 1783 7 shirts 7 stocks Cambrick. 2 p<sup>rs</sup>. of black &amp; 2 p<sup>rs</sup>. white silk stockings 2 p<sup>r</sup>. Worsted &amp; 2 p<sup>rs</sup>. under stockings 4 handkerchiefsô 2 linnen handgloves &amp; 1 Leather ô 2 Night Caps, 2 p<sup>r</sup>. socks 2 white Waistcoats 2 p<sup>r</sup>. white breeches 1 p<sup>r</sup>. black silk d<sup>o</sup>. [breeches] 2 suits cloth cloths</p> <p>4<sup>th</sup> May D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Goodman 13/ cash paid him. For Molly Dobson a pair of scissors and a small toothed comb</p>	<p>[or Brennon] Mr. Attorney=Edmund Randolph</p> <p>Received rent from Blackwell in Fauquier</p> <p>Clothing carried to Richmond</p> <p>Sells: scissors &amp; comb</p>
<p>[81] For Sally ½ a yard of marking canvassô a head Comb for Nancy &amp; a pair of shoe buckles for Harriot. Verdigrease to paint the charriotô White lead to mend things withô</p> <p>Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell May the 14<sup>th</sup> 1783 by Cap<sup>t</sup>. Blackwell Tob<sup>o</sup>. notes for 12012 lb<sup>s</sup>. Tob<sup>o</sup>. &amp; an order on Geo. Picket for £22.12.0. which money has been paid. Received also from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell June</p>	<p>Purchases: comb, buckles, verdigris, white lead</p> <p>Receives payment from Blackwell</p>

<p>11<sup>th</sup> 1782 by M<sup>r</sup>. Donathan notes for 8177 lb<sup>s</sup> of Tob<sup>o</sup>. neat 12012  <u>8177</u></p> <p style="text-align: right;">20189</p> <p>3<sup>d</sup> Monday in July meet the Trustees of the Fredericksb<sup>g</sup> Academy</p> <p>26 June rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Barker of Fauquier 1 crop note 1183 nt. For hire of Johnne.</p> <p>25 May lent Rich<sup>d</sup> Parker Esq<sup>r</sup>. 3 dollars to buy a pound of Hyson Tea at Richmond.</p>	<p><b>June 1783</b>  Fredericksburg Academy  Enslaved: Johnne, hired to Barker of Fauquier  Lent money to Richard Parker for tea</p>
<hr/> <p>[82]  The Entries ags<sup>t</sup> Col<sup>o</sup>. Gaskins in the Pub: books are from dec<sup>r</sup>. 14. 78 to 31 March 1780 &amp; under the following titles vid<sup>t</sup>.  Money advanced to recruit the Continental Army Col<sup>o</sup>. Tho<sup>s</sup>. Gaskins 2100£  Money advanced for various purposes of the Army Col<sup>o</sup>. Tho<sup>s</sup>. Gaskins North[umberlan]<sup>d</sup> Drafts £1000  í í ..</p> <p>1 July sent 2 ½ bushels wheat of new crop to Mill. 4<sup>th</sup> put 2 ½ bushels in the Store. Overseer had 2 bushels of wheat out of the Store on the 5<sup>th</sup> and on same day put 1 ½ bushels into the Store. 10 put 5 bushels in the Store. 12<sup>th</sup> put 5 bushels, wanting half a peck in the Store. Whilst I was at Williamsb<sup>g</sup> there was threshed &amp; put in the Store including what was measured &amp; put in on the 23<sup>d</sup> of August 32 bushels making 43 bushels &amp; 1 peck</p>	<p>Gaskins account for Continental Army</p> <p><b>July 1783</b>  Mill; crop, wheat</p>
<hr/> <p>[83]  July 6. 1783 D<sup>r</sup>. Capt. W<sup>m</sup>. Parker 2 ½ gallons whiskey 10/  On the 18<sup>th</sup> of Aug<sup>t</sup>. next the Visitors of the College meet at Willismaburg.  For Hannah 3 quarters of a yard of pink Persian &amp; 2 yards pink ribbandô  Inform T. Lee that the shirt is made by Hannah &amp; that 2 y<sup>ds</sup>. of striped gauze must come for itô  29<sup>th</sup> July assumed to pay Job. Wigley 750 lb<sup>s</sup> Tob<sup>o</sup>. for Richard Neals steerô  200 sorted [assorted] needles ó 1 piece linnen for M<sup>rs</sup>. Lee &amp; 1 ell 1 for 2 girlsô 1 for childrenô immediatlyô 1/2 lb of whited brown thread fine as can-- 2 oz. coarse Nuns thred for Cost Sterl<sup>g</sup> 1/ p<sup>r</sup>ounce Fans Course Linnen Russian 4 yd<sup>s</sup> for linings &amp;c ó Muslin for an apron</p>	<p>Sells: whiskey</p> <p>William &amp; Mary, Visitors</p> <p>Purchases: cloth</p> <p>Purchase: cattle</p> <p>Purchase: cloth, thread, needles</p>



Molly

[84]

Silk Shoes for M<sup>rs</sup>. Lee & p<sup>r</sup> Molly plain White<sup>o</sup> red cloth for 7 cloakes  
13.10.8 years old<sup>o</sup> Black Sattin Cloake M<sup>rs</sup>. Lee<sup>o</sup> Dark ground chintz  
& calico white ground <sup>o</sup> chintz fine [inserted: Callico for everyday  
gowns] for a gown a piece of each for M<sup>rs</sup>. Lee Molly & Hannah<sup>o</sup> a  
Callico gown for Nancy<sup>o</sup> Stays for 3 older girls<sup>o</sup> gauze apron for  
Molly 2 yards y<sup>d</sup> wide Card Waistcoast buttons & 1 of shirt d<sup>o</sup>  
Sarsinet Petty coats 3 <sup>o</sup> 3yd<sup>s</sup> blue felting for bonnets<sup>o</sup> 1 y<sup>d</sup> white  
Persian<sup>o</sup> snailing red for the Cloaks<sup>o</sup> 6 y<sup>ds</sup> black tasle for the neck<sup>o</sup> 3  
y<sup>ds</sup> broad ribband for sash for Nancy & 5 for Harriot & Sally<sup>o</sup>  
Ribband for all 4 y<sup>ds</sup> for a suit Fine Cambrick 2 y<sup>ds</sup> at

Purchase: shoes, cloth,  
cloak, apron, buttons,  
petticoats, trim, ribbon

[85]

Pot<sup>o</sup> R[iver] 370. 1264: 98: 1166  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 369: 859: 98: 761  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 2: 1115: 105: 1010  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 904: 1258: 90: 1148  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 940: 1129: 90: 1039  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 1021: 1185: 110: 1075  
D<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 820: 1100: 130: 970  
Rap<sup>k</sup> R[iver] 2847: 1450: 107: 1343  
õ õ 2848: 1454: 113: 1351  
õ õ 1439: 1142: 142: 1000  
õ õ 2828: 1249: 111: 1138  
õ õ 2597: 1304: 121: 1183  
Carried over 13084

Tobacco hogsheads in  
Potomac River  
warehouses [nos. are  
for barrel number and  
gross, tare and net  
(neat) weights]

Tobacco hogsheads in  
Rappahannock River  
warehouses

Brot Over 13084

Rap<sup>a</sup> R[iver] 2953: 1128: 114: 1014  
1604: 1180: 160: 1020  
1605: 1172: 160: 1012  
1676: 1184: 95: 1089  
3119: 1204: 124: 1080  
1398: 1263: 135: 1128  
1465: 1324: 109: 1215  
1678: 1037: 136: 901  
2804: 1018: 100: 918  
1200: 794: 119: 675

23236

From M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell July 29. [17]83 1 hhd Falm<sup>h</sup> 1127

29<sup>th</sup> July 1783 rec<sup>d</sup> two

lb<sup>s</sup> 24363

<p>[87]  Half Joes [currency] from my Son &amp; half the bag of Coffee I am to have at 11<sup>d</sup> is 6 w<sup>t</sup> of coffee at 11<sup>d</sup> £2.15.0</p> <p>Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell 2 sent to my Son 1 Note dated Rappah River Falmouth Warehouse 26 July 83 marked W.I. for W<sup>m</sup> Jones N<sup>o</sup>. 3275 Oronoko Leaf Tob<sup>o</sup>. Gross 1250 Tare 123 Neat 1127  í ..  43 bushels &amp; 1 peck of wheat threshed &amp; measured up to the 23<sup>rd</sup> of August inclusiveô 26 measured &amp; Stored 8 bushels &amp; 1 peck-- Overseer had 7 bushels of wheat when I was up the country &amp; 2 bushels before make 9 in all that he has had of his wheat crop in 1783ô 46 bushels of wheat meas<sup>d</sup> when I was up the country so that the whole crop of wheat in 1783 was 97 bushelsô Overseer had a bushel of wheat from me last year which he owes for Sept<sup>r</sup> 1783ô Overseers allowance B P. G. [bushels, pecks, gallons]  11. 2. 1</p>	<p>Purchase, coffee</p> <p>Received payment from Blackwell</p> <p><b>August 1783</b>  Crop: wheat</p> <p>Overseer; share of wheat</p>
<p>[88]  15 hhds upper Pot<sup>o</sup>. 16057  6 d<sup>o</sup> Leeds 5000  1 d<sup>o</sup> Upper Pot 1127  2 d<sup>o</sup> Nomony <u>2105</u>  Lb 25289  1 d<sup>o</sup> with Ch. Lee to sell  say 1000 at 30/ £15.0.0.  Order on Jn<sup>o</sup> Carr for £33. Sterl<sup>g</sup>.  1300 Sterl<sup>g</sup> £666 currency &amp; 120 hhds Tob<sup>o</sup>. due on my fathers booksô ballances after his debts paidô  178.11.2  <u>68</u>  246  <u>140</u>  106</p>	<p>Tobacco crop in Potomac and Rappahannock River warehouses</p>
<p>[89]  My bonds to Miss Betty Lee are first for £178.11.2 &amp; draws interest from 29 Sept<sup>r</sup> 1779 ô the next bond is dated 26 Aug<sup>t</sup> 17783 [1783] &amp; draws interest from the date &amp; is for £68. &amp; some few shillingsô</p> <p>Woosencroft the Joiner agrees to abate 1/ from the ballance of demand he makes for repairing chariot so that £5.8. is now due him only.</p> <p>Japan Earth 2 drams oil cinnamon 6 drops diacodium Q.S. face pilulae</p>	<p>Bonds to Miss Betty [Elizabeth] Lee</p> <p>Woosencroft: joiner Repair of chariot</p> <p>Medicine: recipe</p>

nine out of each dram 4 or 5 at a dose 2 or 3 times a day. Take fine Chalk, white Saunders [oil] & Nutmegs, of each equal parts & make them into pills, with Q.S. of Chio Turpentine to make 10 out of each dram dose as above.

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[Japan earth= medicinal extract; diacodium=syrup made from poppies that acts as opiate; white saunders=white sandalwood; Chio turpentine=one of best turpentines from island of Chio; Q.S.= quantum satis, the amount which is enough]

[90]

Monday 24 of August the black Ditcher began to work with little Thom for whom he is to pay 1/6 p<sup>r</sup>. day  
26<sup>th</sup> D<sup>r</sup>. the Ditcher one quart whiskey 1/  
30<sup>th</sup> ó 1 Quart Whiskey & 2 dollars lent.  
31<sup>st</sup> ó 1 q<sup>t</sup>. Whiskey  
Ditcher had 4 bottles of whiskey whilst I was up the country.  
28 Sept<sup>r</sup>. paid Ditcher 6 f. Crown equal to £2.0.0. & 1 quart Whiskey  
5<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1 quart Whiskey  
Oct<sup>r</sup>. 12. One bottle whiskey  
16 -- 1 d<sup>o</sup>. d<sup>o</sup>. 29 dol<sup>s</sup>.  
20 Oct<sup>r</sup>. Settled with & fully paid the Ditcher all his ballance..R.H.Lee

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Enslaved: little Thom  
Hired by black ditcher  
  
Ditcher paid partly in whiskey

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D<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Beane the Overseer Sept<sup>r</sup>. 1. 1783 one pint old sweetened brandy 9<sup>d</sup>

Carried to Phil<sup>a</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>. 4<sup>th</sup> 1783. 7 shirts 7 stocks 4 p<sup>r</sup>. w[hite] and 2 p<sup>r</sup>. black silk stocking. 4 p<sup>r</sup>. thread stockings. 1 p<sup>r</sup>. Worsted stockings ó 3 white waistcoats summer 3 p<sup>r</sup>. summer breeches 1 Barcelona 1 white linnen 2 & 2 old handkerchiefs 1 silk & 1 blue & white ô 1 night cap ô 1 p<sup>r</sup>. check shams or leggings

By my account drawn off, fully stated & sent to M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell in Fauquier on the 3<sup>d</sup>. of August 1783 there was due to me 15139 lb cash crop Tob<sup>o</sup>. after deducting all his commissions on what he had paid &

**September 1783**  
William Beane  
[Bayne], overseer

Clothing carried to Congress

Acct. with Blackwell, Fauquier

from the balance due meô Also in cash he owed £22.15.9 ¾

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[92]

[scratched out: 7<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>. 1783 wrote M<sup>r</sup>. James Hunter to send me down 260 ells of German oznaburgs provided the price was 10<sup>d</sup> as he told me it was. 160 of this was for my brother F. L. Lee.--] Same day sent M<sup>r</sup>. Legge of Fredericksb<sup>g</sup>. a Tob<sup>o</sup>. note Dixons in Falmouth for 675 lb<sup>s</sup>. neat Tob<sup>o</sup>. also M<sup>r</sup>. Elias Edmondø order on the Inspectors of Falmouth Warehouse for a light hhd of Tob<sup>o</sup>. weight not mentionedô And desired M<sup>r</sup>. Legge to get the two prized into one heavy hogsheadô R. H. Lee

Bole Armenec, or French bole [inserted: half this quantity makes 96 pills.] ¼ of a round spoon Cinnamon 2 ounces. Formented root 2 Gum Arabic each one ounce & an halfô Long pepper ¼ of an ounce make them into a powder for pills make this powder into pills of 5 grains eachô extract of Bark Peruvian

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Make into pills 5 grains each ó 200 pills

Opium pills ¼ grain each ó30 pills

Ipecacuank in pills a grain each ó30

Rhubarb in pills 5 grains each ó50

The above compound powder may be taken a scruple or 30 grains for a dose & occasionally repeatedô syrup of orange peels to be used for making up.

Cinnamon 2 ounces, lesser cardamom seeds huskedô ginger & long pepper each an ounce ó beat them into a powder ó dose is from 10 grains to 20 & upwardsô good in decayed constitutions for warming stomach, promoting digestion, exciting the Vis Virtue [good force] & strengthening the Tone of the Viscera in general.

Gum Tragacanth [missing] one ounce G[um] Arabic 5 drams.

Liquorice White Poppy seeds, Starch each 2 drams Marsh Mallow roots each half an ounce Beat all together into a powerô Dose from ½ a dram to 2 or 3 drams may be

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frequently repeated.

Take Strengthening Confection 2 ounces

Extract of dogwood one ounce

Syrup of dry roses of electuorium

Take the quantity of nutmeg every 4 or 5 hours. Excellently well circulated for intestinal fluxes after acrid humors have been duly dischargedô Miss Lewis calls Binding Electuary

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Lef [Left?] at Belleview 8 Sept<sup>r</sup>. 83 1 White Jeans waistcoat &

Paid Legge to prize 2 hogsheads of tobacco into a single barrel

Medicine: recipes for pills to improve digestion

Jeans=trousers made

<p>breeches ó 1 spotted Jeans waistcoat ó 1 p<sup>r</sup>. Silk Stockings white 2 yards flannel</p> <p>Richard Hewit of Sloop Lizard from Potomac to Phil<sup>a</sup>.</p>	<p>of cotton and dyed with indigo</p> <p>Sloop Lizard: route</p>
<p>C<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell for an order on the Falmouth Inspectors for a light hhd Tob<sup>o</sup>. July 1783. The order was drawn in favor of Col<sup>o</sup>.</p>	
<p>[95]</p> <p>Picket by Elias Edmonds and it was endorsed over to meô The hhd weighed neat 709 and was inspected 30 May 1783. N.B. The hhd had been picket and reprized for which I had 16/ to pay the Inspectors Pickers &amp;etc. which M<sup>r</sup>. Picket must repay me as his rent is in crop Tob<sup>o</sup> and I of course exonerated from such charges.ô R.H. Lee</p>	<p>Tobacco inspector Pickens at Falmouth Blackwell &amp; Picket paid rent in crop tobacco</p>
<p>Sept<sup>r</sup>. 30<sup>th</sup> 1783 paid D<sup>r</sup>. Jones one Dubloon or 4 pistoles &amp; 1 Guinea making £5.18.0 which appeared to me to be the full amount of the Doctors medical services for me &amp; my family up to that timeô</p>	<p>Paid Dr. Jones for medical services</p>
<p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1<sup>st</sup> paid M<sup>r</sup>. Rich<sup>d</sup>. Parker 10 dollars or £3.0.0 for lawyers feesô</p>	<p><b>October 1783</b> Paid Richard Parker for legal fees</p>
<p>Same day gave my Son Tho<sup>s</sup>. £3.0.0 to purchase a Callico gown some spice &amp; chocolate for me Also £2. For Cord de Roy for waistcoat &amp; breeches.</p>	<p>Purchase: gown, spice, chocolate, corduroy</p>
<p>[96]</p> <p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 4 Lent W<sup>m</sup> Beane £6.0.0 out of which his 400 lb<sup>s</sup>. of Pork as Overseer for 1784 is to be deducted at 20/ p<sup>r</sup>. cent. comes to £4.0.0ô bal due R. H. Lee by Beane is £2.0.0 R. H. Lee</p>	<p>Lent overseer William Beane [Bayne] money</p>
<p>9<sup>th</sup> of May 1783 M<sup>rs</sup>. Mullins paid M<sup>r</sup>. Edw<sup>d</sup>. Sanford the Inspect<sup>r</sup>. for me in discharge of part of her husbands bond for hire of Negroes 905 Transfer Tob<sup>o</sup>. which M<sup>r</sup>. Sanford will pay to his Son the Under Sherif for part of my pub. Dues. R. H. Lee</p>	<p>Enslaved: hired out to Mullins</p> <p>Public taxes</p>
<p>Sept 1781 purchased 1 wether of M<sup>r</sup>. Hall the Tenant for 2 dollars &amp; in the Spring I had 52 or 3 pounds of bag Tob<sup>o</sup>. from him which state at 11/--And on the 6<sup>th</sup> of Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1783 I paid him eighteen shillings in three dollars. R.H. Lee</p>	<p>Purchase: wether=castrated ram</p>
<p>[97]</p> <p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 11.1783 purchased two large Oxen from Rhodam Moxley for which I am to pay him 40/ ready money &amp; to give him my bond payable on the 11<sup>th</sup> of Oct<sup>r</sup>. 1784 for £10 more-- The two Oxen being sold for £12.0.0 P<sup>d</sup>. R.H.Lee</p>	<p>Purchase: ox from Rhodam Moxley</p>

<p>Oct<sup>r</sup> 11.1783 purchased a Steer from M<sup>r</sup>. Tho<sup>s</sup>. Stone for which I am to pay him £4.0.0 as soon as the Ox is deliver<sup>d</sup> This money p<sup>d</sup>. R.H.Lee paid</p>	<p>Purchase: steer</p>
<p>List of coins delivered M<sup>r</sup>. Catesby Jones for Miss Betty Lee as p<sup>r</sup>. his receipt given to M<sup>r</sup>. Hall to fetch back the money</p>	<p>Payment for bond in coins</p>
<p>Oct<sup>r</sup> 18. 1783 37 half Joes, 26 french Guineas, 14 Moidores R.H.Lee £114.0.0</p>	<p>joe= ðJohanesö--22 guilders Portugese silver currency; moidore= Portugese gold coin</p>
<p>[98]</p>	
<p>Oct<sup>r</sup> 20. Took out of Tan &amp; laid by for sole leather 10 fine sides &amp; 9 sides of good cow leather was curried 3 sides of horse leather 3 calf skins 1 yearling skin &amp; 2 sheep skins. ó also curried</p>	<p>hides, tanned</p>
<p>22<sup>d</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> C<sup>r</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Shadrick for cutting out 7 suits negros cloths at 4<sup>d</sup> p<sup>r</sup> suit is £0.2.4</p>	<p>Enslaved: clothes</p>
<p>Oct<sup>r</sup> 23. D<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Parker Six dollars lent him to go to Richmond An half Joe is £2.8í 0 a guinea £1.8.0 a Moidore £1.16.0 a dubloon £4.10.0</p>	<p>Lent William Parker money</p>
<p>25<sup>th</sup> Octob<sup>r</sup> 1783 C<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Elisha Hall for 2 steers £8.0.0 D<sup>r</sup> 1 Trunk £1.1.0 Cash at Alexandr<sup>a</sup> 0.15.0 Cash p<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Hall <u>6.4.0</u> £8.0.0</p>	<p>Hall was his nephew, son of Hannah Corbin</p>
<p>[99]</p>	
<p>Oct<sup>r</sup> 20 [1783] gave Osmin 2 sides of good Upper Leather to make at least 10 pair of goods shoes put 5 goods sides of curried leather in chest in Store &amp; 2 fine ones in the Study &amp; 1 yea[r]ling skin in the Store also 3 horse skins 3 calf skins &amp; 2 sheep skins</p>	<p>Enslaved: Osmin [Osman] leather for shoes; cobbler, tanner</p>
<p>Take three parts of fine sand and one of quick lime mix in such quantities that the mortar may [be] applied in a state of fermentation</p>	<p>Mortar recipe</p>
<p>Mem[orandum]: To apply to M<sup>r</sup>. Fitzhugh of Chatham for some of the Balsam Appleseed. To be planted in April when frost is gone fruit to be gathered in a green state before the apple is ripe cut up &amp; fill a widemouthed bottle &amp; pour spirit, as much as will fill interstices fine dressing for fresh wounds ó Wash the wound with the spirit cover it with a bit of apple &amp; pour spirit on. Take not the apple off</p>	<p>Medicine: recipe for dressing wounds</p>

<p>[100]</p> <p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 25. 1783 Sowed 3 bushels &amp; 1 peck of wheat &amp; reaped &amp; secured in the following summer 97 bushels of clean wheatô In Sept<sup>r</sup> same year sewed [blank] bushels of Barley &amp; reaped &amp; etc. 43 bushels clean barley</p> <p>Oct<sup>r</sup>. 20. 1783 to 25 Sowed 2 ½ bush[els] of Barley &amp; [blank] bushels of wheat--&amp; 1 ½ bushels of black spelt wheat</p> <p>The best method of cultivating Celery is to dig a trench in the common way &amp; fill it with green weeds very closely pressed into it. These cover with about two inches of mould dibble your plants very deep into the weeds and press the weeds very closely to the Roots pour a quantity of water on trenches previous to covering them with Mould. The softest welds the best but those used when this experiment was made were the common hogweed &amp; Mayweed. chiefly better</p>	<p>Crop: Barley, wheat</p> <p>Crop, spelt wheat</p> <p>Garden: celery</p>
<p>[101]</p> <p>C<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup>. Muse 833 lbs Tob<sup>o</sup>. For 10 bar<sup>s</sup>. [barrels] corn Nov<sup>r</sup>. 21.1783 Rec<sup>d</sup>. by M<sup>r</sup>. Hall from M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell Nov<sup>r</sup>. 27<sup>th</sup> 1783 £24.13.9 cash &amp; 1 hhd Tob<sup>o</sup>. on Dixons N<sup>t</sup>. 1115</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> of decem<sup>r</sup>. killed 2 hogs one weighed 130 &amp; the other 125 neat they were salted the 2<sup>d</sup>. of dec<sup>r</sup>.</p> <p>Dec<sup>r</sup>. 4<sup>th</sup> paid M<sup>r</sup>. Finch 2 dollars for shoemakingô</p> <p>3<sup>d</sup>. December paid Molly Dobson 1 dollar for making Charlesø cloaths in 1782.</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup> dec<sup>r</sup>. D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker for 2 quarts of brandy 2/6ô</p> <p>15 dec<sup>r</sup>. killed 6 hogs that weighed neat 181.105.120.100.83.81 in all 670 neat or 111 an averageô these, with the 2 first that were killed make 925 lbs neat porkô except one, none of</p>	<p><b>November 1783</b> Corn from William Muse</p> <p><b>December 1783</b> Hogs butchered</p> <p>Finch, shoemaker</p> <p>Molly Dobson, seamstress</p> <p>Sells: brandy</p> <p>Hogs butchered, fattened, salted</p>
<p>[102]</p> <p>these hogs were more than a twelve month old &amp; some youngerô they were fatted at Chantilly with Nubbins, greens, &amp; persimmons--&amp; were salted on the 16 of December 1783.</p> <p>Harry came here to work at 9 °clock on Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> of December &amp; left Chantilly on the 19<sup>th</sup> at night of the same month. One day being rainy &amp; Harry at Stratford makes the whole of his time here 9 days workô</p>	<p>Enslaved: Harry</p>

<p>D<sup>r</sup>. Harry 1/6 for a quart of strong over proof brandy &amp; C<sup>r</sup>. him 4/ for a pailô paid</p> <p>21<sup>st</sup> decemb<sup>r</sup>. paid of Marsh Robin all that I owed him vid<sup>t</sup>. for 19 eg[g]s &amp; 1 cock ó same time paid Marsh Davy a dollar which overpaid him 2/ more than I owed him, for which he is to pay me 2 doz. partridges or 4 pullits.</p> <p>22 &amp; 23<sup>d</sup>. of december 1783 M<sup>r</sup>. John Omohundro weighed gross 8 hogs purchased of Rich<sup>d</sup>. Lee esq<sup>r</sup>. &amp; they did weight gross lbs 1237 ½ &amp; Mess<sup>rs</sup>. Elisha Hall &amp; M<sup>r</sup> Omohundro weighed the same hogs neat &amp; they weighed neat 994 ½ lbs ó So that this weight</p> <hr/> <p>[103]</p> <p>added to the 8 hogs of my own which weighted neat 925 the whole neat pork killed for Chantilly use for the year 1784 was 1919 weight 16 well fattened young hogsô the squires hogs were Salted the 23<sup>d</sup> of dec<sup>r</sup>.</p> <p>M<sup>r</sup>. Neale charges £9. For the waggon but I expect he will take 8 pounds &amp; I have paid him in the presence of old M<sup>r</sup>. Parker dec<sup>r</sup>. 24<sup>th</sup> 1783 one dubloon £4.10.0 &amp; 2 dollars 12/ making £5.2.0 in the whole &amp; he has had ½ a bushel of salt fine alum &amp; 4-pounds of brown sugar at 9<sup>d</sup>. &amp; on the 24<sup>th</sup> dec<sup>r</sup>. he got 3 gallons of very strong brandy at 6/ in the whole £6.5.0.</p> <p>My Note of hand to Frederick Weaver is for 1000 w<sup>t</sup>. of Tob<sup>o</sup>. 1<sup>st</sup> of May 1784 ó 2000 on 1<sup>st</sup> of May 1785.</p> <hr/> <p>[104]</p> <p>and 1000 w<sup>t</sup>. on 1<sup>st</sup> of May 1786 ó in the whole 4000 weightô</p> <p>Killed a Beef purchased of Moxley, 22<sup>d</sup> decemb<sup>r</sup>. 1783ô the 4 quarters w<sup>d</sup>. neat 558 lbs which at 3<sup>d</sup>. pr lb is £6.13.0 Add on the 5<sup>th</sup> quarter £1.13. &amp; the whole beef is worth £8.6.0 N. B. This steer was fed 10 weeks by me with turnips, fine fodder &amp; cabbages &amp; nubbins--&amp; cost £7ô the purchase of him before fattening -- &amp; now what does the Fatter gainô</p> <p>29<sup>th</sup> dec<sup>r</sup>. d<sup>r</sup>. Goodman 6/9 for a gallon &amp; 1 pint of strong brandy</p> <p>5<sup>th</sup>Jan<sup>y</sup>. 1784 Sent to Currioman Smith 4 pole axes to new lay &amp; 1 Ox chain to mend &amp; there were at that time one more axe in the same shop to be laid &amp; 1 hoe to mendô returned on the 9<sup>th</sup> 5 axes new laid the ox chain mended, &amp; ring stopes [stops] &amp; Clevis made</p> <hr/>	<p>Enslaved: Marsh Robin &amp; Davy Purchase: eggs, chicken</p> <p>Hogs butchered</p> <p>Payment to Neale for wagon with money, salt, alum, brown sugar, brandy</p> <p>Tobacco note</p> <p>Beef, steer butchered,</p> <p>Sells: brandy <b>January 1784</b> Currioman blacksmith mending axes &amp; ox chain</p>
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<p>[105]</p> <p>C<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Hall 2 p<sup>r</sup>. Silk Stockings 0.12.0  Shot 0.12.0  Overpaid when he came from  Fredb<sup>s</sup> 0.16.7  Blankets 3 pair at 3/ 4.10.0  Horse 8.0.0  Certificate [scratched out] <del>40.0.0</del>  Logans acco<sup>t</sup> <u>14.7.2</u>  D<sup>r</sup>. Jan<sup>y</sup>. 11<sup>th</sup> 1784 <u>£48.16.9</u>  15 dollars Morris s Notes £4.10.0 <u>31.9.6</u>  Order on M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell 26.17.9 £17.7.3  To error in money rec<sup>d</sup>. from  M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell <u>0.1.9</u>  £31.9.6  Overpaid in sugar <u>2.18.8</u>  M<sup>r</sup>. Blackwell 0.8.  Mistake in money brot down -- 1.9</p> <p>When Potomac River was frozen in Jan<sup>y</sup>. 1784 There were opening in the ice, one, upon the river shore directly opposite to the great walk in my garden &amp; the other about midway across the Great Cove upon the river shore looking</p>	<p>Purchase: stockings, shot, horse, blankets, sugar</p> <p>Elisha Hall</p> <p>Ice on river &amp; cove</p>
<p>[106]</p> <p>Thro my large Bow window. Quere are not here proper places on account of depth of water or current for setting Wares? [weirs]</p> <p>C<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Rich<sup>d</sup>. Neale 1 waggon £9.0.0  Mending chariot wheels 0.10.0  1784</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. Cash &amp; Good as p<sup>r</sup>. acco<sup>t</sup>. 3 pages back 6.5.6</p> <p>Jan<sup>y</sup>. 18 2 Gall<sup>s</sup> strong brandy 0.14.0  D<sup>r</sup>. y<sup>r</sup> assumpsit Tho<sup>s</sup> Lees order 1.9.6</p> <p>Feb<sup>y</sup>. 16. Lent Col<sup>o</sup>. Lee ½ bushel of alum salt &amp; 2 bushels before making 2 ½ in all</p> <p>W<sup>m</sup> Goodman is by agreement to pay me £5.0.0 Specie at the end of this year 1784 for the hire of boy General and he is to clothe feed &amp; pay the boys Taxes R.H.Lee</p>	<p>Ask about good spots for setting weirs=low dams for regulating depth of water</p> <p>Purchase: wagon  Carpenter Neale mends wheels</p> <p><b>February 1784</b>  Henry Lee of Stratford borrows salt</p> <p>Enslaved: boy General hired to Wm Goodman</p>

<p>19 &amp; 20<sup>th</sup> of feb<sup>y</sup>. counted the sheep carefully &amp; their were</p> <hr/> <p>[107]  32 head including the sick one in the cow house &amp; the two in the fattening sheep pen &amp; the kitchen Lamb of last yearô Not one young Lamb yet come</p> <p>C<sup>r</sup>. Cap<sup>t</sup>. Sanfords bond for 93 lb<sup>s</sup>. of Crop Tob<sup>o</sup>. ordered the Sherif feb<sup>y</sup>. 21. 1784  21<sup>st</sup> M<sup>r</sup>. Sandford the Sherif owes me on acc<sup>t</sup> of so much over paid in the March Certificate tax £10:9:3.--</p> <p>16<sup>th</sup> March sewed a bed of Chantilly Cabbage next to the Nursery of trees, the bed next to</p> <hr/> <p>[108]  that towards the Gate Savoy Cabbage, the little bed next to that &amp; towards the pales early York, &amp; the other half of said bed savoy Cabbage, the bed next to them two above brocola.  22<sup>d</sup> March sowed square of Pease next dining room Windows &amp; 6 first rows next the North Pales were M<sup>rs</sup>. Hullø early pea  The 6 rows next them Belfieldø pea &amp; the last row next great walk M<sup>r</sup>. Halls Woodbury Peaô</p> <hr/> <p>[109]  March 29 received 2 crop Notes on Nomony from Geo. Hull for rent, weighing Neat 1124 &amp; 1011. Which 2 hhds my Son Tho<sup>s</sup>. Lee had on promise to replace them immediately with Tob<sup>o</sup>. in the Upper Warehouses of Potomacô N.B. Hulls Tob<sup>o</sup>. was just inspectedô</p> <p>April 6. 1784 Put into soak for Tanning 4 Stalled Beef hidesô 2 Grass Beef Skinsô 2 Ox hides that were killed last Summerô 8 large Murrain hides vid<sup>t</sup>. 2 Ox &amp; 6 cows hidesô 5 yearling hides, 7 calf skinsô Making in all 27 hidesô so that our loss this Winter to this date has been 19 head of Cattleô</p> <p>April 9. 1784 rec<sup>d</sup> a Nomony Crop Note from Capt. Sanford for 1264 neat which w<sup>h</sup> [with]934 Tob<sup>o</sup>. that he paid the Sherif for me leaves the balance due to me only 143 lb<sup>s</sup>. Tob<sup>o</sup>. for hire of Moses &amp; Murreah for the year 1783.  R.H. Lee</p> <hr/> <p>[110]  Rec<sup>d</sup>. from M<sup>r</sup>. Jos. Blackwell by M<sup>r</sup>. Hall 2 Tob<sup>o</sup>. notes vid<sup>t</sup>. 1 on Dixons for 262 &amp; 1 on Dumfries for 957 the two being neat 1919 April</p>	<p>Sheep count</p> <p>Paid tax to Sherif Sandford</p> <p><b>March 1784</b>  Garden: cabbages</p> <p>Garden: broccoli, peas</p> <p>Geo. Hull paid rent</p> <p><b>April 1784</b>  Tanning hides, loss of cattle, murrain hides=hides from cattle dead from infectious disease</p> <p>Enslaved: Moses &amp; Murreah [Moriah or Maria] hired out to Capt. Sanford</p> <p>Paid in tobacco notes</p>
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<p>9. 1784</p> <p>10 April Lent M<sup>r</sup>. Hall 2 dollars &amp; I am to pay him 10 dollars for putting my 2 new purch<sup>d</sup>.horses into fat order by the 7<sup>th</sup> May next.ô</p> <p>1784 Jan<sup>y</sup>. 1. C<sup>r</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Lee esq<sup>r</sup>. for one hogshead Madeira Wine £30.0.0</p> <p>D<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. Lee to Col<sup>o</sup>. Gaskins Sen<sup>r</sup>. his order for £27.19.2 Sterl<sup>g</sup>. at 33 &amp; a third is Curr<sup>y</sup>. í 37.5.61</p> <p>Bal due R. H. Lee £7.5.6 ½</p> <p>April 1<sup>st</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup>. W<sup>m</sup> Parker had one quart of my Sweetened brand[y] &amp; on the 10<sup>th</sup> 2 quarts more were sent to Currioman by desire of Capt. Chilton. The charge for them is 6/ --</p> <p>April 10. 1784. By the Sloop of Col<sup>o</sup>. Cook inclosed to my Son Thomas in a letter one of the Inspectors See. P. 50.</p>	<p>Pay Hall for fattening horses just purchased</p> <p>Sells: Madeira wine</p> <p>Sells: brandy to William Parker and Chilton at Currioman</p>
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