

State of South Carolina, }  
County of Greenville. } Lease.

In consideration of the sum of Twenty  
and no/100 (\$20.00) Dollars payable to me on or before  
the first day of December, 1936, and a like sum  
on or before the first day of December in each  
year thereafter during the continuance of this  
lease, I, Hattie J. Charles, of the County and State  
aforesaid, do hereby lease and rent unto Thomas  
M. Charles, of the State and County aforesaid, that  
certain lot of land near the Augusta Road, twelve  
miles from the City of Greenville at what is  
known as Besie, consisting of a triangle between  
the new road to Piedmont and the old road to  
Piedmont with the following lines: Beginning at the  
junction of said roads and extending thence westerly  
with the new road to Piedmont 120 yards; thence  
in a northerly direction along line parallel with  
Augusta Road 70 yards to edge of old road to  
Piedmont; thence with line of old road to Piedmont  
in a northeasterly direction 133 yards to the beginning.  
Together with the gin houses.

This lease shall begin on August 15, 1936, and  
shall continue for the full period of five years.

Failure to pay any installment of rent at the  
time specified shall render this lease void at  
the option of the lessor, provided, however, that  
the lease shall not be avoided except upon  
thirty days written notice to the lessee, his ex-  
ecutors, administrators or assigns.

It is understood that the lessee shall not  
sublet the premises nor assign this lease without  
the written consent of the lessor endorsed hereon.

The lessee agrees to accept this lease and to  
carry out the terms and provisions thereof.

The lessor does further give the lessee, his  
executors, administrators or assigns the option to  
renew this lease for an additional five years' term  
upon the same terms and conditions upon giving  
notice in writing on or before July 1, 1941.

In witness whereof the said Hattie J. Charles  
and Thomas M. Charles have caused this instrument  
to be signed and sealed in the presence of  
W. B. Bennett.

May W. Bennett

Hattie J. Charles (L.S.)  
T. M. Charles (L.S.)

State of South Carolina,  
County of Greenville.

I personally appeared before me W. B. Bennett,  
who, being duly sworn, says that he saw Hattie J.  
Charles sign, seal and as her act and deed de-  
liver the above written lease and that he with  
May W. Bennett witnessed the execution thereof.

Suborn to before me this  
1st day of August, 1936.

Frank M. Charles (L.S.)

W. B. Bennett

Notary Public for South Carolina.

Whereas, Thomas M. Charles desires to purchase  
certain machinery for the ginnery.

Now, it is hereby agreed that the said  
Thomas M. Charles may as additional security  
pledge or assign this lease to any person or corpor-  
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