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The State of Alabama  
Shelby County, this 14th day of March A.D.  
and entered into this the 14th day of May 1828  
between A R Brown of said County of the first

part and I & Codd's son of the second Part Mr  
 Whereas that whereas the said A R Brown having  
 agreed to furnish to the said Codd's son provision  
 of a mowing implement of family supplies to enable said  
 Codd's son to carry on his farm during the first  
 year to the amount of one hundred dollars  
 More or Consideration of the promises so made  
 and dollar more or sum paid by the said Brown  
 to the said Codd's son but except whereof it may be  
 acknowledged that said Codd's son promised and  
 agrees to the said Brown to deliver or to him  
 by 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1848 three Bales of good  
 unbroken Cotton Middling four hundred pounds  
 each the said Bales of Cotton is to be the first  
 said Codd's son shall make from fair for market  
 and said Brown is to sell the said Cotton the  
 balance above one hundred dollars of the  
 any balance after paying said advance to  
 said Brown to the amount due to said Codd's son  
 and if said Codd's son fails to deliver said Cott  
 ton as above agreed at the time specified the  
 said Brown shall have power to seize Cotton  
 or Corn belonging to said Codd's son and take  
 the same into his possession to the amount sufficient  
 to satisfy said advancement and cost  
 saying the one and for the purpose said Brown  
 shall have power to enter the said farm any time  
 or place where said Codd's son resides more his  
 Corn or Cotton may be retained  
 In witness whereof we have set our hands & seals  
 this the day and year above written  
 Wm Wm Wm A R Brown  
 J H Cunningham Joseph Codd sen  
 Joseph Codd Jr.

Filed the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848 and recorded the  
 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1848 and I certify that said  
 instrument has been filed in the office of the  
 Probate Judge of Franklin County Ohio