

## LEASE

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
County of Greenville.

*H. T. Gashill*

lessor,

in consideration of the rental hereinfor mentioned, have granted, bargained and released and by these presents do grant, bargain, and lease unto

*H. T. Gashill*

lessee,

the following premises, viz., the store building located at 28 Eighth Street, Greenville, S. C., formerly known as the Trinity Store, the building take the  
place above the corner of 28 Eighth Street and West Market  
on the sum of \$1500.00 per year, beginning October 1st, 1945, with the option to  
renew the lease for two (2) successive years.

and the said lessor

in consideration of the use of said premises for the said term, promises to pay the said lessor the sum of

*\$300.00 per month*

per month,) Dollars

payable the 1st day of each and every

month thereafter. The lessor hereby agrees to take the building just as it stands unless otherwise agreed upon in writing, and the lessee only require of the lessor the use of the premises for the business mentioned but no other. The lessor to repair the roof should it leak, it is also fully agreed that the roof is considered sound and the lessor not to pay any damages from leaks should any occur. Use of the premises for any business other than herein called for shall cancel this lease if the lessor so desires and give notice of same in writing.

If the business is discontinued or the premises vacated before the expiration of the lease then the whole of the unexpired time becomes immediately due and payable.

Outside signs to be erected that may connect with the portion or any other outside part of the building must be consented to by the lessor before being erected.

*The lessor and lessee agree that the said premises will be held subject to all taxes and assessments, and the amount of the same will be paid by the lessor. If the lessor fails to pay the same, the lessee is to be given the first chance to do so.*

To Have and to Hold the said premises unto the said lessee, his executors and administrators for the said term. It is agreed by the parties hereto that this lease shall continue from year to year on the same terms, unless the party desiring to terminate it after the expiration of the term above mentioned give to the other party months written notice previous to the time of the desired termination, but the destruction of the premises by fire or making it unfit for occupancy or other casualty, or months arrear of rent, shall terminate this lease, if the lessor so desires. The lessee agrees to make good all breakage of glass and all other injuries done to the premises during the term, except such as are produced by natural decay and agree to make no repairs, improvements or alterations in the premises without the written consent of the lessor nor sub-lease without the lessors written consent.

The lessee hereby acknowledges having a copy of this lease.

Witness our hands and seals the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1945.

Witness:

*Archie A. Pearson* (SEAL)

*H. T. Gashill* (SEAL)

*J. J. Norton* (SEAL)

*S.C. Stamps 60¢*

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PERSONALLY, comes *Archie A. Pearson*  
and makes oath that he saw the within named *H. T. Gashill* and *J. J. Norton*  
sign and seal the within written instrument, and that he witnessed

witnessed the execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of *October* 1945  
by *M. E. Smith* (I. S.)  
Notary Public, S. C.

*Archie A. Pearson*

S. C. Stamps \$ and 60 cents

Recorded *Oct. 26*

1945 at 11:38 o'clock A.M.