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State of South Carolina County of Greenville.

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AGREHMENT made and entered into this the $\angle \mathcal{L}_{-}$ day of September, A. D. 1949, by and between T C. Hampton, of the first part; and Willa Mae Grubbs, of the second part, sets forth:

That the said parties do contract to and now enter into a copartnership to be known as Hampton-Grubbs Company, for the purpose of conducting a mercantile business in such lines of merchandise as they may now and from time to time determine to handle, located in the Wood Building on the North side of Randall Street, Greer, S. C., but also to include and embrace any other locations to which they may hereafter remove the operations of said business and also any branch stores or offices that they may establish in or out of Greer: said business to be conducted by the said parties on an equal basis of interest therein and also in the earnings thereof, and subject to equal liability for all obligations of the said firm, except that it is stipulated and declared that thesaid Willa Mae Grubbs has invested in the said business the sum of two thousand dollars more than the said T. C. Hampton, and that she is to receive that sum from the assets or earnings of the said firm before the said T. C. Hampton shall become entitled to an equal share in the assets of the said business. It is also understood that the said firm takes over as a part of this agreement and the business herein established the former business, including all assets and subject to all liabilties, known as the First Finance Service, heretofore operated in the Chandler Buidling on S Trade Street, Greer, S. C. It is further stipulated that neither partner hereto shall sell, mortgage, pledge, assign or otherwise dispose of his or her

interest, or any part thereof, in the said business to any