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## Sharecropping Contract

Campbell Williams

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This contract made and entered into  
this, the 6th day of Nov. 1899  
by and between C. A. Williams,  
of one part and Wade Wilks  
of the other part, Witnesseth, -  
that the said C. A. Williams,  
party of the first part has  
this day rented unto the said  
Wade Wilks, party of the second  
part, for a term of one year,  
(1900), the following described  
land, situated in Hinds County,  
State of Mississippi - to wit:

All the land worked by said  
Wilks during the year 1899, being  
63 acres, more or less - and  
further described as follows:  
30 acres in what is known as  
the "Barraway new ground," 18 acres

in the "Big field", commencing at  
Mr. S. W. Hollingsworth's orchard  
and running south, also, 1/4 acres  
near the "Louis Robinson Spring".

The said Wade Wilks promises,  
and agrees, by his note of even  
date herewith, to pay unto the said  
C. A. Williams, or his order,  
for rent on the above  
described land - twenty one  
hundred pounds (2100 lbs) of lint  
cotton, ready baled for market  
and delivered to his order, on  
or before the 15th day of Oct. 1900.

It is further agreed  
that the said C. A. Williams  
is to put a stack chimney,  
new floor and front gallery  
to said Wilks' dwelling, provided,  
that the said Wilks accepts  
in the labor and hauling of  
lumber to make said improvements.

Witnesseth our signatures this, the  
6th day of Novmber 1899.

<sup>C. A. Williams</sup>  
Wade <sup>this</sup> Wilkes (A. P. Burnett.)  
mark witness