

our hands and seals this ninth day of May A.D. 1872

signed, read and delivered
in the presence of
W E Cate
E W Morrill

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May 7/72
S.C.

R. M. Bushnell
E E Simpson
A W Thompson
D Overman
James Cream
E S Cate
E H Roberts

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State of Florida }
Santa Rosa County } Personally came, E W Morrill, before the undersigned
and after being sworn in due form of law depose and say that he
saw R M Bushnell E E Simpson, A W Thompson, James Cream, E S Cate
and E H Roberts sign seal and deliver the foregoing instrument of writing
for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he signed the same
as a witness and saw W E Cate do the same E W Morrill
sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of May A.D. 1872

Recorded September 4 1872 }
J H Chaffin Clerk Circuit Court }

Seth Thomas
H W Sindorf
C Snodgrass
and
P D Keiper
No 429

State of Florida }
Santa Rosa County }
Act of 1871 } Article of agreement made and
entered into this day between Seth Thomas, H W Sindorf, Cyrus
Snodgrass, and P D Keiper all of town of Bogdad State
& County aforesaid wherein they do covenant and agree as
herein after specified

1st That they shall enter into Copartnership under the style &
firm of the Bogdad Lash factory Company for a term of
Three years from and after the first day of August 1871 for the
purpose of continuing the business heretofore carried on under
the same style

2d It shall be the duty of Seth Thomas H W Sindorf and P D
Keiper each to give their undivided attention and energies to the
factory in all its different branches, and to promote the
interest of the Company so far as in their power lies.

3d It shall be the duty of Cyrus Snodgrass the other mem-
ber of the firm to give his whole attention to the office in
all its different departments Viz: Keeping the Books at-
tending to the finances, correspondence, shipping goods
and anything else, that may come under his supervision.
He shall be required to keep the books in such manner
and condition that they can be understood by any com-
petent Book Keeper and that they be subject to the in-
spection of any member of the firm at any time

4th Should any one or more members of the firm wish
to sell or dispose of their interests they shall first give
the remaining members the privilege of purchasing