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No. 221/	fan	2 1871	
	(UTA)	Station,	
Southern R. R. Association,			
Lessees of the Mississippi Central Railroad.			
RECEIVED FROM			
My Bradevill			
Bales of Cotton,			
of which are in bad order,			
CONSIGNED TO			
(1) (1) (H)	ades	Jell C	500
At Membres			
MARKS	BALES	WEIGHTS	
MAI	Q.		
			
Total,			
Allerin el			
I hereby release the Mississippi Central Railroad			
Company from all risk of accident or less by fire to the above described Cotton, while in their possession,			
in consideration of their releasingfrom the usual charge for Insurance.			
Shipper.			
All Cotton to be insured unless owners assume risk. Owners assuming risk must sign the stipulation in this receipt.			
Agents will enter on each list opposite each mark of Cotton, whether it is insured or the risk assumed by the owner.			