

Territory of Utah } ss.
Co. of Kane }

Personally appeared before me one of the undersigned Justices of the Peace for Kanab Precinct, James M. Mangum, who upon his oath deposes, that upon the fourth day of July, 1875, he was subpoenaed to appear before the Second District Court at Beaver to answer in the matter of John D. Lee, W. H. Dame, vs. The People of the United States,

Therefore the said James M. Mangum deposes and saith, that on account of ill health, he is suffering severely from palpitation of the heart, and having no means of conveyance, therefore prays the Honorable Court to accept the following deposition:

That he was living in Washington, Washington Co., Utah, in the fall of 1857, when Carl Shurtz came to him, and said that John D. Lee wanted him to go to the Mountain Meadows, as interpreter, as the Indians were mad, and he wanted him and Oscar Hamblin to come and try and pacify them. He went, overtaking Oscar Hamblin on the road and found about two hundred Indians at the Meadows, who were very mad. They immediately disarmed us, and threatened to kill us, calling us squaws, &c.; one Indian fired at me, the ball passing through my hat. They told us the Americans had poisoned some beef at Horn Creek, and that many of their men had died through eating it, and they threatened vengeance, and were very wrathful. I saw John D. Lee there; he was trying to pacify them, but they would not listen to him or us, and I verily believe that had it not been for an Indian boy that John D. Lee raised, the Indians would have killed John D. Lee, Oscar Hamblin and myself. I finally got the Indians to listen to me. I advised them to take the stock belonging to the Americans back

to them and let them go on their journey, but this made them still more mad, and they again threatened to kill me. Finding I could do no good I left and returned to Washington, and on my way saw little bands of Indians with small bands of stock scattered through the hills.

And further the deponent swears that he did not see W. W. Dame at that time, or during that year and further the deponent swears not. Dated this 5th day of July, 1875. John Rider, J. P.

Subscribed and sworn to } James M. Mangum,
this 5th day of July, 1875 } John Rider, Justice of the
in the presence of Lyman } Peace for Kanab Precinct.
Hamblin & Jacob Hamblin.

Endorsed: "Filed July 12", 1875. James R. Wilkins, Clerk."

In the District Court of the Second Judicial
District Court of the Territory of Utah, Beaver County.
The People, etc., Plaintiffs, }
Against } Subpoena.
John D. Lee, Defendant }

The People of the Territory of Utah send greeting to Wm Nottingham, Achaba Lyman, Jacob Hamblin, P. J. Farnsworth, E. Hoops, Charles Dalton, Wm Young, Martin Slack, Samuel M. Willis, Samuel Pollock, Bishop Lunt of Cedar City, Jno. Hamilton, Sr., Jno. Hamilton, Jr., J. Clark, Jno. W. Freeman, Mrs. Corline Clark, Robert Keeshaw, John Whittaker, Wm. Sinkerins, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Hamilton of Harrisburg.

We command you, that all and singular business and excuses being laid aside, you appear and attend before the Second Judicial District Court of the Territory of Utah, at a term of said Court to be held at the Court House in Beaver City on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M., then and there to testify in the above entitled action now pending in said District Court, on the part of the Deft., and disobedience will be