In the District Court of the Third Judicial District of Utah Territory. Salt Lake County.

James Crane
James M. Farmer
and John M. Bowen.
vs Plaintiffs
W. E. Winsor and
Frank Randall
Defendant

Answer

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W. E. Winsor and Frank Randall the defendants named in the above entitled action, come and to the Plaintiffs' Complaint, answer as follows -

This admits the allegation found in page 7 but it denies the unlawful character

The said defendants admit, that on or about the 15th October 1876 - they as part-owners of the Revere Mine, situate within two miles of Butterfield Creek, erected on the banks of said stream, about eight miles above a point opposite Harrimon's Fort, and about five miles above the ditch cut from said stream to said Harrimon's Fort, a Mill for crushing and concentrating the ore from said Revere Mine - and that for that purpose used the water in said stream, turning said water immediately and at the point where used back again into the said stream - But they deny that they unlawfully and wrongfully erected or caused to be erected said Mill, or unlawfully and wrongfully commenced crushing ore therein, or that they unlawfully and wrongfully took the water from said stream against the consent of the settlers of said Harrimon's Fort and caused it to pass through said crusher - when crushing ore - or that they have unlawfully and wrongfully continued to use said water in the manner charged in said plaintiffs complaint, or that they threaten still so to do -