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SC 2901

**JUSTICE MORSE
LETTER, 29 MARCH 1862**

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Justice (also spelled Justus) Morse was born around 1842, but later moved to Brown County, Indiana. In December, 1861, he enlisted as a private in Company "G" of the 47th Indiana Infantry which was formed in Anderson, Madison County. He was mustered out in Shreveport, Louisiana in October, 1865

Sources:

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The letter was written by Morse to "Miss" on 29 March 1862 while serving with the 47th Indiana and describes in detail the regiment's actions at the Battle of Island #10 on the Mississippi Rive near New Madrid, Missouri.

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