

### Sues C. W. Morse; Says He Helped Get His Pardon

### W. E. Reid Charges Ex-Ice King Hired Him to Create Sympathy

### Tells of Propaganda Declares He Tried to Mould Public Opinion in Prisoner's Favor

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plaintiff (Reid) to interview representatives of the papers in his behalf. The plaintiff, daily as well as nightly, pursuant to this request, interviewed many newspaper men.

Among the "other steps" alleged was detective work for the purpose of discrediting several of the members of the jury which had convicted Morse. In addition, after Mr. Morse's release, Mr. Reid stated he spent several thousand dollars on his behalf, his reimbursement being \$1,000 given by Mrs. Morse. In all, he says, he received \$3,000 from the banker's wife and only \$100 from Morse.

Must Tell of Unwise Enterprises  
Judge Manton directed that further particulars be filed, describing the "unwise enterprises" from which Morse and his wife had been saved.

According to William A. Barber, of counsel for Mr. Morse, this case is merely a part of about half a dozen suits filed at different places and times by men who were sure that they alone effected Morse's release.

Mr. Morse at present is head of the United States "Steamship Company," a shipbuilding corporation which was recently awarded a contract by the government for the construction of thirty vessels.

### Jail and Fines for Pacifist Ministers

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LOS ANGELES, Dec. 8.—Denouncing the three pacifists—the Rev. Floyd Hardin, the Rev. Robert Whitaker and Harold Storey—Judge Thomas P. White today sentenced them to jail and added a \$1,200 fine to each sentence. The men were convicted on three counts each. On the first two counts they were sentenced to six months in jail each, and on the third to ninety days each, the sentences to run concurrently.

Fifteen days was allowed them in which to appeal to the Supreme Court for a new trial, and bail was fixed at \$2,500 each. The courtroom was placed under guard of police officers while Judge White handed down his decision.

Eighty G. A. R. veterans crowded the courtroom, while the crowd was so great it overflowed to the sidewalks.

In an endeavor to set aside judgment of the court that men were guilty of unlawful assembly, of failure to disperse and of disturbing the peace, J. H. Rickman, their counsel, asked for a new trial. His motion was denied. Addressing the defendants, Judge White said:

"You cast aspersions upon the President of the United States, viciously extorted and gave comfort to the enemy. I have no hesitation in saying to you that the doctrine you have been preaching would gratify the Germans, but American patriotism is on guard.

"Under the guise of religion you've sought to impugn patriotism you have weighed in the scales of loyalty to your country and to patriotism and found wanting.

"We, the people of Los Angeles, will tolerate no disloyalty to the government."

Captain Charles A. Phelps, a chief of General Grant's war scouts and a personal acquaintance of President Hayes, marched to court.

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### Germany a Demon at Throat Of Civilization, Says U.S. 'Ad.'

### Appeal for Recruits Published in "Manufacturers' Record" Calls Teutons Crucifiers and Mutilators of Children; Paper Declares Facts Support Indictment

The United States government in the current issue of "The Manufacturers' Record" gives its first unqualified statement of what it thinks of Germany and the Germans. This, one of the most scathing arraignments of one nation by another ever printed, appears in a recruiting advertisement over the signature of the chief signal officer of the aviation section of the Signal Corps, and has the approval of the Secretary of War.

"You are an American," this statement reads in part, "and all that you are and all that you hope to be, reflects to the credit of a democracy."

The virals of America's wrath are opened in the paragraph which follows: "That democracy," the advertisement continues, "is being assailed by the most damnable foe that ever fired a cannon, that ever drove home a bayonet, that ever sunk a hospital ship, that ever shelled women and children in lifeboats, that ever crucified and castrated enemy soldiers, that ever cut the right hands off boy children in captured territory, that ever raped women by thousands, that ever lived to fasten its demon clutches on the throat of civilization.

"Almighty God will not permit the unleashed hordes of Kaiserism to engulf the world. No sane thinking man can conceive of an all-wise and all-loving supreme Deity permitting our section of the world to come under German leadership—the stench of the universe—but now—not tomorrow—the help of Almighty God needs the help of trained men."

The various counts in the terrible indictment quoted above are declared by "The Manufacturers' Record" to be founded upon absolute fact.

"There is nothing in the advertisement," the journal's foreword says, "which has not privately or publicly been talked about among doctors and others, but there are some things in it which have not heretofore been publicly stated by our government. We are now publishing this announcement, based on telegraphic replies from Secretary of War Baker, that the entire letter was in the hands of the chief signal officer, and from the chief signal officer's department, saying, 'Chief signal officer approves advertisement; you are authorized to print it.'"

### Merchants Ask Probe Into Delay Of Local Mails

### Growth of Parcel Post Said to Interfere With First Class Deliveries

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### Selling Whiting for King Fish and Tom Cod for Brook Trout

### Short Weight Alleged

### Food Chairman Predicts Sugar Will Be Exhausted Jan. 1 and Flour by Summer

### Murphy Favors Closed Town

### Four Cabarets Under Fire

### Dillon Slated to Go As State Food Head

### Will Be Relieved by Reorganization To Be Adopted Monday

### Price Lists Next Week

### Tells of Tricks

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### U. S. Is Planning Leniency Toward Many Austrians

### Men Engaged in Water-front Work the Greatest Sufferers

### Employers Act Quickly

### Get Rid of Enemy Aliens Before President Issues Proclamation

### Anticipating a Presidential proclamation declaring subjects of the Dual Monarchy enemy aliens, hundreds of Austrians working on piers and harbors craft and in factories within the 100-year barred zone were thrown out of employment yesterday.

### Most of the employers acted on their own initiative. In many cases where soldiers are guarding the piers, the dismissals were made at the request of the military authorities.

### A conference was held at Ellis Island by Federal officials during the day, at which plans were laid for the handling of the Austrian situation which will develop when the Presidential proclamation is issued.

### At the conference were John C. Knox, Assistant United States Attorney; Special Assistant Attorney General Saxon and Bettman, from Washington; Lieutenant Layton, of the Brooklyn Navy Yard; United States Attorney France, of Brooklyn, and Richard Taylor, head of the Enemy Alien Bureau at the Barge Office.

### Appealed to Marshal McCarthy

### Scores of the discharged Austrians either telephoned to Thomas D. McCarthy, United States marshal, or called at his office. All who called were received personally. At one time there were fifteen men from one of the Chelsea piers. All have lived here for years and have reared families here.

### In answer to why they had not taken out citizenship papers, most of them said they never thought of it.

### Most of them said they had been promised jobs outside the barred zone, provided that they could get a letter from Marshal McCarthy saying it would be all right to engage them. Each man got the desired letter.

### One Austrian, a giant, who speaks perfect English and is a truck driver, said to the marshal:

### "Mr. McCarthy, I'm getting \$18 a week. Or, rather, I have been. Now I am out of a job. I have lived here since I was a boy of twelve. I have four children. Two are very sick. My wife has all she can do to take care of the children. I have never drank or smoked since I married because we always had sickness and I wanted to buy medicine and pay the doctor. I am as good an American as anybody, and I'd punch the face of any man who said I wasn't. I have been turned down three times for my final citizenship papers in the last six years because I cannot read or write. But how could I learn? I have been working since I was seven, and you can't learn to read or write if you don't go to school. I have the \$18 I got to-day for my work this week. That is all we have in the world. It will just keep us a week. What am I to do if I don't get a job? I will work at anything."

### The marshal told him to come back Monday and he would see to it that he got a job paying at least \$18 a week.

### WORTHY THE GIVER

### A Christmas Piano should really be the most dependable it is possible to buy.

### The giver needs to feel that the gift is exactly what it is represented to be.

### If you buy a STERLING PIANO

### You know that your purchase is backed by our established reputation—our dependable service and our helpful business methods.

### The Sterling Building was never more interesting than it is this Christmas time.

### Sterling Pianos, \$325 upwards

### Huntington Pianos, \$300 upwards

### Mendelssohn Pianos, \$225 upwards

### Playerpianos, \$425 upwards

### Victrolas, \$15 to \$400

### Victor Records, 75c upwards

### Music Rolls, 25c upwards

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### OPEN EVENINGS

### A small payment will read one of our PlayerPianos

### to your home for Christmas.

### NEW \$385

### \$10 Monthly Until Paid

### Including with each Player Piano NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS \$175

### NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS \$190

### NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS \$225

### Including \$50 Stodart

### 65 Manhattan

### 75 Wagner

### 130 Pease

### 135 E. Gabler

### 145 Hardman

### 150 Weser Bros.

### 165 Chickering

### 175 Livingston

### 180 Sterling

### 185 Hazelton

### 190 Sohmer

### 195 Goetz & Co.

### 225 Steinway & Son

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### 81-87 COURT ST. BROOKLYN

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### Direct receivers and distributors of the finest nuts grown; all varieties.

### New Crop Now In

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