

THE STEAM-SHIP "STAR OF THE WEST."

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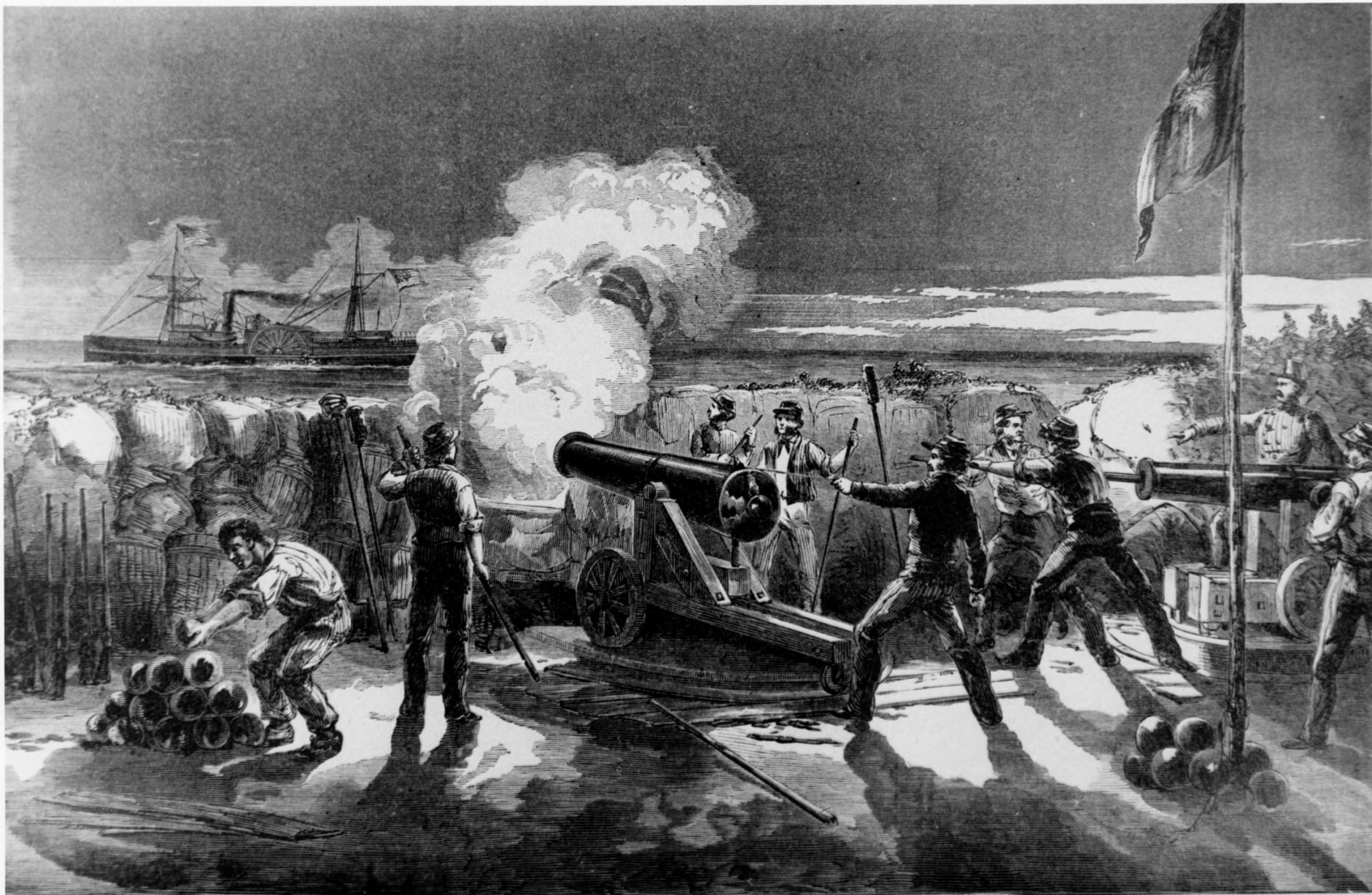
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FIRING ON THE "STAR OF THE WEST" FROM THE SOUTH CAROLINA BATTERY ON MORRIS'S ISLAND, JANUARY 10, 1861.

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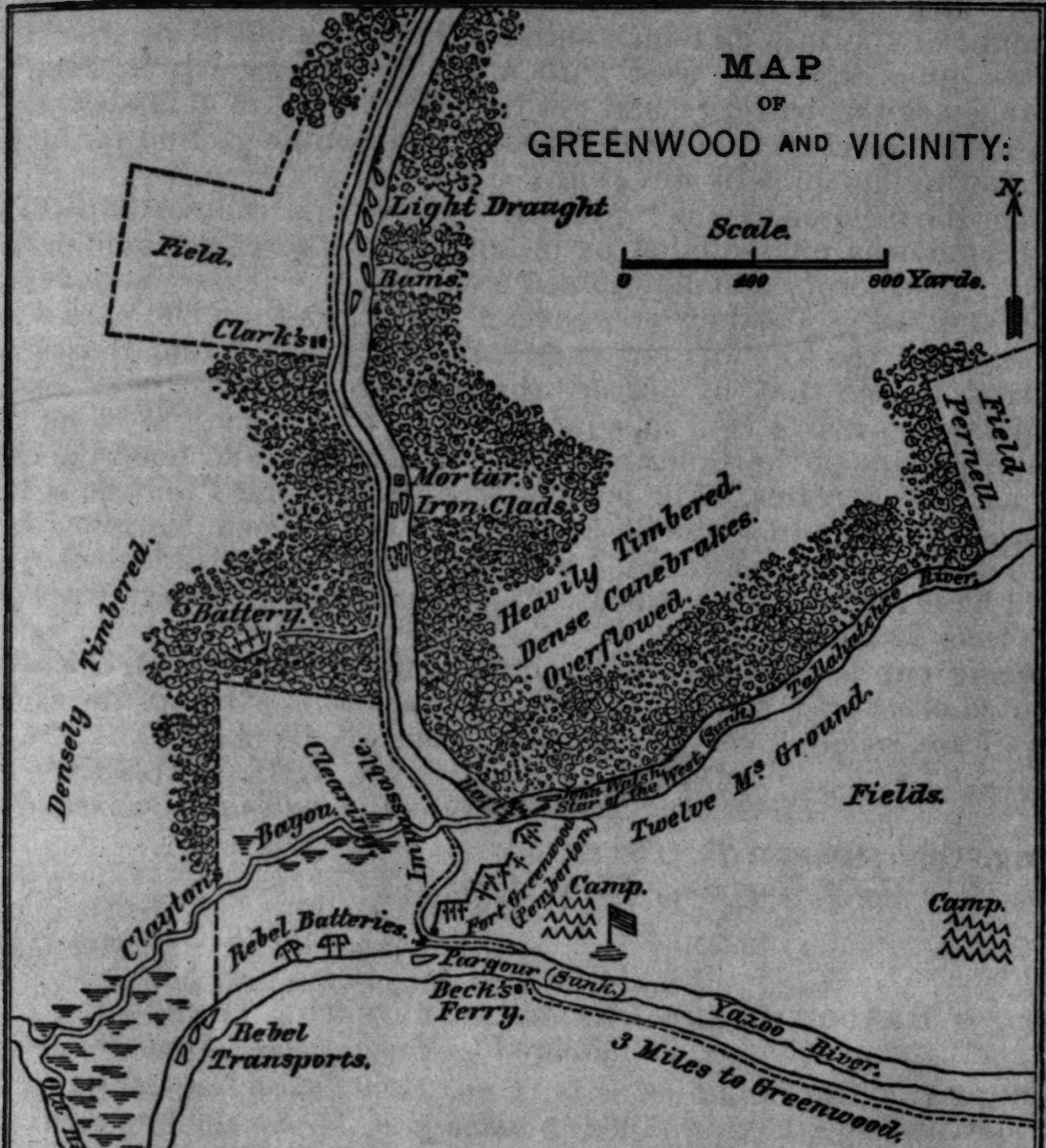
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ARMAMENT OF FORT GREENWOOD.—(Pemberton.)

- 1 6 4-10 inch Rifle (1).
- 2 8-inch Columbiad, (1) mounted night of 15th.
- 3 20-pdr. Rifle Parrott, (1).
- One battery of field pieces, rifles and smooth-bores, (1 Whitworth 10-pdr.)
- Waul's Legion, 2d Texas, 46th Miss., 20th Miss., all we could hear of, not to exceed 3500 men.

ARMAMENT OF ATTACKING FORCE.

- Land Battery, { 2 30-pds. Parrotts.
- { 1 8-inch Ship Howitzer.
- De Kalb, { 2 9-inch Guns.
- { 1 10 " "
- Chillicothe, 2 11 " "

NOTE.—The Cotton-bale Battery was a partly sunken Redan, 35 feet long, 8 feet relief, composed of cotton bales, (partly covered with earth,) two-tiers high, six tiers deep, embrasures one foot splay, revetted with sheet iron, which blew out soon. Cotton did not burn to any hurtful extent; kept wet by pouring water on. The platforms were 9 by 14, one foot below surface, four inches higher on the rear line.

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SOURCE War of the Rebellion, Official Records, Series 1, Vol. 24, Part 1, p. 389.

SCALE 1.5" = 800 yards

DATE 1863

4 REQUIREMENTS

TO BE INCLUDED ON ALL MAPS

1. PROPERTY BOUNDARIES
2. NORTH ARROW
3. UTM REFERENCES