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THE WAR'S FIRST GUN. It Was Not the Famous "Shot Heard Round the World."

TOLD BY A MAN WHO WAS THERE. How the Star of the West Was Driven From Fort Sumter and the Secret Leaked Out.

In the smoking room of the Astor house the other evening two grizzled Grand Army men sat chatting with a middle-aged Virginian. Their talk drifted to the stirring events of the spring of 1861, in which all three had taken part, says the New York Star.

"By the way," broke in the elder of the two union veterans, "do-morrow will be the anniversary of the firing of the first gun of the war. Did you happen to see the flash of that famous shot?"

"Yes," replied the ex-rebel, "I was only a youngster then, but I remember the scene as distinctly as if it were yesterday. On the night of April 10, twenty-nine years ago, I was with that battalion of artillerymen who slept expectantly behind the low sand hills of Morris island, on the opposite side of Fort Sumter. We were aroused about two hours before daylight next morning to take part in the bombardment for which we had been getting ready during many days."

A SLOOP PAIR. How a Peculiar Bridgroom and His Bride Worked a Portland Hotel. One day last week a man connected with a logging camp near Kalama came to the International with a very good looking young lady and took rooms. After supper he developed a very anxious countenance and asked landlord Lewiston if he thought the county clerk could be found at that hour.

MEN AND WOMEN. M. Tissa, the Hungarian ex-premier, is said to have smoked more cigars than any other man in Europe. He smokes incessantly and is so shrewded up and withered that he looks to be seventy-five or eighty years of age, although only sixty.

Seized Seal Skins. The Alaska Commercial company's sloop St. Paul brought down from Ounalaska 194 seal skins consigned to United States Marshal Porter of Alaska, who is now in San Francisco.

Candidates in New York. New York has a law that compels candidates for office to make a sworn report of their campaign expenses. Either this keeps the expenses down very low, or else some of the expenses are of such a character that the candidates would rather commit perjury than reveal them.

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A QUEEN'S CAPRICES. How Her Royal Signature Looks.

Strolling into Bedfern's, the ladies' tailor of New York, the other day to have a glance at his latest inspiration, I happen to notice on his desk a small rather seamy-looking scrap book. Of course that proverbial feminine curiosity with which the men are always twittering us, and which (between you and me) is really quite as much an attribute of their sex as ours, would not let me rest until I at least tried to get a peep at its contents.

Her royal highness the princess of Wales, wishes to see you about some cool summer frocks, and also about a mantle and coat for the empress of Russia. To Mr. Redfern. From the Queen herself, comes the following: "WINDSOR CASTLE, 12th April, 1880. Her majesty wishes Mr. Redfern to send in her account."

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