

...sacrifice of her husband's life, who, she de-
clares, will never surrender the place, but
rather fall in its defence.

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 19.

Judge Hardy, commissioner from Missis-
sippi to Maryland, addressed an audience
of about 5,000 citizens to-night in the
Maryland Institute. He advocated the
right of separate secession, which was re-
ceived with considerable applause. He
strongly recommended the southern states
to secede before Lincoln's inauguration,
and asserted that all the southern states
were determined to do so. He wanted
the entire North to join them, and then
to form a compact; that until they should
be guaranteed all southern rights, their
institutions would not be respected. The
South would never be in a position to de-
mand her rights under Lincoln's adminis-
tration. They could afterwards in solid
phalanx, or separately, present an ultima-
tum to the North, and again reunite, if
possible, with the present Constitution
properly amended, on amicable terms.
His propositions received unexpected ap-
probation. The meeting was orderly
and attended by many of the best citizens.

MOBILE, Dec. 20.

The secession of South Carolina was cele-
brated here this afternoon by firing of 100 guns
in the cheer of the people, and a military pa-
rade. There is much rejoicing.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Dec. 20.

The secession of South Carolina is greeted
with great enthusiasm here. A salute of 100
guns is being fired in honor of the event.

MONTEAGUE, Ala., Dec. 20.

Gov. Moore has ordered 100 guns to be
fired at noon to-morrow, in honor of the seces-
sion of South Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 20.

The bill to arm the state passed its second
reading in the House yesterday. An effort to
take it up to-day was overruled. The commis-
sioners from Alabama and Mississippi were
publicly received to-day. The sentiment here
is for the Union, but submission never. The
North must concede, or the South goes out.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 21.

A large meeting of citizens was held at Ash-
land Hall last night. Resolutions were adopted
recommending the holding of National and
State Conventions, opposing coercion, favor-
ing the arming of the state, and declaring
against the opening of the African slave trade.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 19.

The Methodist Conference of this state pas-
sed resolutions in favor of secession.
Ex-Gov. McDonald died at Marietta, Mon-
day night.

New cases of small pox occurred last Tuesday.

New York, Dec. 21.

The Tribune Washington correspondent tele-
graphs at three o'clock this afternoon that a
despatch was received in the House informing
the United States that they are minus one state,
but astonishing and almost incredible as it
may appear to the seceders, the news created
no excitement whatever. Mr. Garnett of Vir-
ginia announced the fact to the House.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.

A report that South Carolina has passed
an ordinance of secession, was brought to
the House this afternoon. It produced
intense excitement among the members,
and for a long time confused the proceed-
ings.

The Senate in executive session to-day
confirmed the appointment of Edwin P.
Stanton as Attorney General, and those of
Deputy Postmasters and other minor offi-
ces.

Among the most active workers in the
House to-day for the passage of the Pacific
Railroad bill were Dr. Robe and Mr. Far-
well, editor of the *Alta-Californian*.—
Senator Baker, of Oregon, was also busy
engineering the bill through.

About \$7,500,000 of the \$10,000,000
loan has been paid in. Some of the large
bidders for from \$100,000 to \$200,000
have deposited the entire amount.

The Select Committee of Thirty-three
have as yet done nothing which excites
particular interest, nor does there appear
to be any curiosity respecting their secret
movements.

About eighteen young ladies, just seceded
from the seminaries of Pennsylvania
and New York, passed through Washing-
ton to-day on their return south.

The report of the proceedings of the late
Philadelphia Union meeting was presented
by Mr. Florence in the House to-day, and
was referred to the Select Committee.

[New York Times Correspondence.]—
Orders have been issued to Maj. Anderson
to surrender Fort Moultrie if attacked. I
am reliably informed that Maj. Anderson
telegraphed here that he had surrendered
a large number of arms which had been
removed from the Arsenal at Fort Moultrie,
to the authorities of Charleston, on a de-
mand being made for them. This was
done in obedience, as he says, to the spirit
of orders he has received from Washing-
ton.

An official dispatch giving information
of the passage of the ordinance of seces-
sion was received here this afternoon by
President Buchanan. A number of south-
ern men were with him at the time, and I
learn that he exhibited much agitation on
hearing the news. The passage of the or-
dinance produced intense excitement in
Congress. To-day, when the dispatch came,
and it was announced that South Carolina
had passed the ordinance of secession and
it was privately reported that the South
Carolina members remaining had prepared
a farewell address to be delivered to-morrow
morning for the purpose of going out in a
body, and creating an impression. The
Republicans immediately renewed the
proposition to adjourn, and carried it. So
the South Carolina members must wait
till Monday to make their demonstration.

[Tribune Correspondence.]—Our city
is quiet—even southern men are indiffer-
ent. Everybody expected that South Car-
olina would secede. Some interest is felt
about her future action.

In the House Committee of Thirty-three
very little was done to-day. The main
feature was the speech of the Hon. Charles
Francis Adams, of Massachusetts. He
showed the impossibility of the Republican
party, in this advanced age, passing an

amendment to the constitution countenanc-
ing slavery.

Mr. Rust's proposition will be voted on
to-morrow. The probabilities are that it
will not pass.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.

Arrangements are making at the Treas-
ury for paying the interest on the public
debt, on the 1st of January, in coin.

A Trip to Little Falls.

On last Monday forenoon in company
with Mr. Babbitt, of Minneapolis, we left
St. Cloud for a short visit to Little Falls.
Although the sleighing was bad, we reached
our destination at 3 o'clock P. M.—a dis-
tance of over 30 miles in less than five
hours.

Little Falls is the county seat of Mor-
rison County, and is situated on a beauti-
ful prairie. It contained, by the last cen-
sus, about 250 inhabitants, principally
Americans. The streets are wide and well
laid out, and the houses neat and regu-
lar. A little East of the main portion of
the town, a large Court House has been
erected, but not entirely finished. In the
south-west corner of the building, a room
has been finished and furnished, and is
now occupied by N. Richardson, Register
of Deeds of Morrison County. For the
erection and completion of this building,
\$8,000 in bonds were issued by the Coun-
ty; but they have more to show for that
amount than we of Stearns County have
for our \$13,000 issued for the same pur-
pose. In the center of the town, is a very
large and commodious hotel—we know
not the name—two-and-a-half stories high.
It appeared to us to be larger than the ne-
cessities of the place demanded; but it is
well-furnished, the proprietor sets a good
table, and we can cheerfully recommend it
to travelers. Four or five well-filled stores
are situated in different portions of the
town, and appeared to be doing quite a
brisk business.

The Little Falls Manufacturing Com-
pany have erected a large saw mill, but on
account of the dam being swept away by
the freshet last spring, it has not been
running lately. Eighteen or twenty men
have been employed for the past month
repairing the fracture; but when we ar-
rived, found that eight or ten of them had
been on a strike for the past few days.—
Arrangements were made, however, by
which they should return to work on
Tuesday morning. We also found a tin
and blacksmith shop, each well supplied
with the necessary instruments and stock
for their business, and the proprietors
busy.

The first person we met upon our arrival
was N. Richardson, Esq., Register of
Deeds. He was elected to this post by five
majority over his Democratic opponent,
while Douglas received a majority of thirty
in the county. This speaks well for
his popularity with his neighbors. We
were indebted to him for numerous favors
received during our stay. We next had
the pleasure of meeting Levi Wheeler,
Esq., our Representative elect, and who
was the only candidate elected on the Re-
publican Legislative ticket in this Dis-
trict. We remained but a short time, yet
have no hesitation in saying that the peo-
ple of this district have in Mr. Wheeler a
representative of whom they need not feel
ashamed. He has now a contract for
supplying Fort Ripley with fresh pork
and beef, and will be busily engaged until
the sitting of the legislature in purchasing
stock to supply this demand. We also
saw Mr. Le Sage, recently elected County
Auditor. He and Mr. Richardson were
the only Republicans elected County offi-
cers in that County. He is of French ex-
traction, and possesses great influence with
his countrymen. In manner he is some-
what reserved, though very gentlemanly.
Great confidence is placed in his capacity
to discharge the duties of his office.

On Saturday afternoon a knock-down
took place between two Frenchmen. It
appears that Frenchman No. 1. had been
making unfavorable remarks concerning
Frenchman No. 2's wife—for whose hand
he had formerly been a suitor, but had
been rejected—which coming to the ears
of Frenchman No. 2., the latter took oc-
casion upon meeting No. 1. to administer a
sound thrashing, which was pronounced to
be no more than he deserved.

On Sabbath morning we attended Epis-
copal service—Rev. Peak officiating. We
noticed in this gentleman a fault somewhat
prevalent among public speakers; viz. that
of fixing the eyes upon the ratters or an
upper corner of the room and making their
remarks apparently oblivious to the pres-
ence of an audience. This makes a dis-
course very tedious. Otherwise the ser-
mon was very good.

On Monday afternoon, we started to re-
turn to St. Cloud, highly pleased with our
visit. Little Falls is a pleasant, thriving
little town; and will, when the mill is in
operation, transact a large amount of bu-
siness. Success to it!

VERY LATEST.

New York, Dec. 22.

The Herald's Washington correspondent tele-
graphs that Senators Davis and Wigfall re-
ceived dispatches this afternoon stating that
the Forts would be taken in less than 24 hours.
Mr. Davis immediately communicated this to
the President and Cabinet, who, together with
several leading Southern Senators, have been
in council. It has not yet transpired what
course the Government will pursue. A naval
fleet will probably be forthwith despatched to
Charleston.

The Committee of Thirty Three were in ses-
sion to-day 6 1/2 hours, considering serious
propositions to arrest the progress of Disunion
and give peace to the country. The amend-
ments to the constitution proposed by Mr.
Crittenden to settle the controversy between
the North and the South finally and forever,
by a division of the country from ocean to oc-
ean, on the parallel of the Missouri line, was
the great subject of discussion. After a long
debate it was lost under the rule of the Com-
mittee requiring a majority of both Democrats
and Republicans; the latter voting in the neg-
ative. Several other propositions were made,
but without acting on them the Committee ad-
journed till Monday.

New York, Dec. 23.

[Times Correspondence.]—The Senate Com-
mittee of 13 will report to-morrow, when Sen-
ator Tombs will speak in denunciation of the
Republican party, and will repudiate any fur-
ther efforts at reconciliation.

Mr. Tombs sent this evening the following
address to the people of Georgia:

"I came here to serve your Constitutional
rights, and to demonstrate to you that you can
get no guaranty for rights from your Northern
confederates. The whole subject was referred
to a committee of 13 in the Senate. I was
appointed on the Committee, and accepted the
trust. I submitted propositions, which so far
from acceptance by a single member of the
Republican part of the Committee were all
treated with derision or contempt. A vote was
then taken in the Committee, on amendments
to the Constitution, prepared by Hon. J. J.
Crittenden, and each and all voted against
unanimously, by the Black Republican mem-
bers of the Committee. In addition to these
facts a majority of the Black Republican mem-
bers of the Committee, declared distinctly that
they had no guaranty to offer, which was al-
lenty acquiesced in by the other members of
the Black Republican part of the Committee,
and the representative men of that party and
section, and to the extent of my information,
truly represent the course of the 'thirty-three.'
On Friday they adjourned for a week without
coming to any vote, after solemnly pledging
themselves to vote on that day. It is contended
by the black Republicans, your enemies, who on-
ly seek to amuse you with delusive hopes un-
til your election. If you are assailed by them
it shall not be my fault. I have put the test
fairly and frankly. It is decisive against you.
Now I tell you upon the faith of a true man
that all further looking to the North for secu-
rity for your Constitutional rights in the Union,
ought to be abandoned. It is fraught with
nothing but ruin to yourselves and your pos-
terity. Secession by the 4th of March next
should be thundered from the ballot box by
the unanimous voice of Georgia, on the 2d
day of January next. Such a vote will be
your best guaranty for liberty, security, tran-
quility and glory."
R. TOMBS.

Gen. Cushing went to South Carolina at the
request of the Supreme Court to counsel with
the leaders touching secession. He reports
that State as acting with a view to cooperation
of all the Slave States. The report that Gov.
Pickens had threatened an attack of Ft. Moul-
trie if the Revenue Cutter was not withdrawn
from Charleston harbor is a fabrication. The
Committee from South Carolina are expected
on Wednesday, when President Buchanan will
send a special message to Congress communi-
cating the fact. It is now generally understood
that the Committee will not be admitted to the
floor of the House or Senate, nor be recognized
by either branch.

New York, Dec. 24.

Tribune's Washington Correspondence says
if the South Carolina Forts are retaken in a
body, as expected, Mr. Holt will at once give
public notice that no mails for South Carolina
will be made up, because they cannot be de-
livered at their destination. All such will be
sent to the dead letter office after a certain
time, to be delivered to the parties sending the
letters.

The Union Convention met at the office of
Mr. Richard Lathers, on Saturday last, when
a letter was received from Hon. Millard Fill-
more. The Committee do not deem themselves
at liberty to make the letter public without
Mr. F.'s consent, which, though written for,
has not been received. No other business has
been transacted.

Thermometrical Record.

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Dec.	20	7 A. M.	12 M.	5 P. M.
	21	75°	80°	82°
	21	16	0	2
	22	16	4	2
	22	15	8	4
	24	7	8	8
	25	4	18	18
	26	18	22	24

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MISCELLANEOUS

THE AMALGAMATION OF LANGUAGES.—There
is a growing tendency in this age to appropriate
the most expressive words of other languages,
and after a while to incorporate them into our
own; thus the word Cephalic, which is from
the Greek, signifying "for the head," is now
becoming popularized in connection with Mr.
Spalding's great Headache remedy, but it will
soon be used in a more general way, and the
word Cephalic will become as common as Ele-
ctrotype and many others whose distinction as
foreign words has been used away by common
usage until they seem "native and to the man-
or born."

'ardly Realized.

Hi 'ad 'n 'orrible 'eadache this hafternoon,
hand I stepped into the haphoceries hand
says hi to the man, "Can you hease me of 'an
'eadache?" "Does it heche 'ard," says 'e.
"Hexceedingly," says hi, hand upon 'e
'e gave me a Cephalic Pill, hand 'pon me 'oner,
it cured me so quick that I 'ardly realized I 'ad
'an 'eadache.

HEADACHE is the favorite sign by which
nature makes known any deviation whatever
from the natural state of the brain, and viewed
in this light it may be looked on as a safe-
guard intended to give notice of disease which
might otherwise escape attention, till too late
to be remedied; and its indications should
never be neglected. Headaches may be classed
under two names, viz: Spontaneous and
Idiopathic. Spontaneous Headaches exceed-
ingly common and is the precursor of a great
variety of diseases, among which are Apoplexy,
Gout, Rheumatism and all febrile dis-
eases. In its nervous form it is sympathetic
of disease of the stomach constituting sick
headache, of hepatic disease constituting bilious
headache, of worms, constipation and other
obstructions of the bowels, as well as renal and
uterine affections. Diseases of the heart are
very frequently attended with Headaches; An-
emia and plethora are also affections which
frequently occasion headache. Idiopathic
Headache is also very common, being usually
distinguished by the name of nervous headache,
sometimes coming suddenly in a state of
apparently sound health and prostrating at
once the mental and physical energies, and in
other instances it comes on slowly, heralded
by depression of spirits or acerbity of temper.
In most instances the pain is in the front of
the head, over one or both eyes, and sometimes
provoking vomiting; under this class may also
be named Neuralgia.

For the treatment of either class of Head-
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and safe remedy, relieving the most acute pains
in a few minutes, and by its subtle power erad-
icating the diseases of which Headache is the
unerring index.

BRIDGE.—Misses wants you to send her
a box of Cephalic Glue, no, a bottle of Prepared
Pills,—but I'm thinking that's not it just
nathier; but perhaps ye'll be ather knowing
what it is. Ye see she's nigh dead and gone
with the Sick Headache, and wants some more
of that same as relieved her before.

DRUGGIST.—You must mean Spalding's Ce-
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BRIDGE.—Och! 'sare now and ye've sed it,
here's the quarther and give me the Pills, and
don't be all day about it aither.

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headache?

Mrs. Jones. Gone! Doctor, all gone! the pill
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them handy.

Physician.—You can get them at any Drug-
gists. Call for Cephalic Pills, I find they never
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Headache.

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CURE

Nervous Headache

All kinds of

Headache

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commands a more ready sale than any other
article of its kind, giving in almost every in-
stance entire satisfaction. A clergyman, resi-
dent in a neighboring town, who had for years
suffered from a burning sensation in the head,
with an occasionally dry, itching humor, which
prematurely turned the hair gray, and latterly
causing it to come off rapidly, leaving the
crown nearly bare, seeing the advertisement in
the Gazette, was induced to try it, and now,
after the use of two bottles only, his hair has
turned quite dark and is very soft, the scalp
clean, and the recently bald spots covered with
a beautiful growth of silky dark hair, the sight
of which, with his commendation of the Res-
torative, will command an increased sale. We
would state to any who may wish to know, that
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portant cities of our glorious Union; and whereas,
his lordship will probably pass through
Clearwater on his way to the English Posses-
sions in the North west; and whereas, all good
citizens are anxious to manifest their friend-
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