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January 7, 1861: Robert Toombs Gives Farewell Speech
 Vocabulary

<u>Word</u>	<u>Part of Speech</u>	<u>Definition</u>
Zealously	Adjective	Very enthusiastic
Secession	Noun	the withdrawal from the Union of 11 Southern States in 1860-1861 that led to the formation of the Confederacy and the beginning of the Civil War
Falstaffian	Adjective	characteristic of the Shakespearean character Sir John Falstaff in being bawdy, pleasure-loving, given to outlandish bragging, and of great size
Orator	Noun	a giver of speeches, especially somebody skilled in giving formal, ceremonial, or persuasive public addresses
Antebellum	Adjective	belonging or relating to the time before the Civil War
Distinction	Noun	excellence in quality or talent
Huff	Noun	a brief mood of anger or resentment at something somebody has done
Pardon	Noun	the official release from any, or any further, punishment of somebody who has committed a crime or wrongdoing
Rubicon	Noun	The point of no return