By telegraph from Fort Monroe

Head-Quarters Military Division of the Mississippi,

~~In the Field~~ 186

Savannah, Dec 22 1864

To his Excellency,
President Lincoln,

I beg to present you as a Christmas Gift the City of Savannah, with (150) one hundred and fifty heavy guns and plenty of ammunition, & also about (25000) twenty five thousand bales of cotton

W. T. Sherman
Maj Gen.

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T. A. Dodge