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Gov. Nikki Haley News

Military voters get flexibility

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Gov. Haley to speak in Aiken on Tuesday

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RedState gathering to be held this weekend

<http://www.postandcourier.com/news/2011/aug/12/redstate/>

Perry to Announce Presidential Run in Charleston

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Perry to announce candidacy in S.C.

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Scott, Hasner among 'conservative rock stars' headed to RedState fest

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Struggling S.C. gives up its own cash - Hicks (Editorial)

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New Copper Theft Law Takes Effect Next Week

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Cabinet Agencies

SC tourism indicators show industry recovering

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Aiken Tech, North Augusta company create apprenticeship program

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SC Budget Board Raises State Health Care Premiums

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SCDOT extends closure of Wappoo Bridge

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Federal Delegation

Make Medicaid gender neutral

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Graham in Rock Hill: Debt debate 'messier in person' than on TV

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Graham addresses deficit at Winthrop

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Lindsey Graham Working to Repair Rift with Tea Party

<http://www.wltx.com/news/article/147164/2/Lindsey-Graham-Working-to-Repair-Rift-with-Tea-Party>

Graham asks for bipartisan help on jobs

<http://www.charlotteobserver.com/2011/08/12/2521193/graham-asks-for-bipartisan-help.html>

Earmark may be only way to get money for port

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DeMint, tea party half right on deficit (Editorial)

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Clyburn chosen for debt panel

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Rep. James Clyburn Named to Debt Super Committee

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Clyburn named to debt supercommittee (AP)

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<http://www.nytimes.com/2011/08/12/us/politics/12panel.html>

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South Carolina GED testing program bests national passing rate for the first time
<http://www.independentmail.com/news/2011/aug/11/south-carolina-ged-testing-program-bests-national/>

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Bin Laden film stirs intel fears

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