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OUTLINES

Proceedings in Congress yesterday. Breckinridge campaign—a great meeting. California State Democratic Convention.

CONSULAR BILLS OF HEALTH.

Vessels from Foreign Ports Must Bring Certified Bills of Health. The Secretary of the Treasury has sent circulars to the Collectors of Customs concerning consular bills of health.

THE BEST PROTECTION.

How to Make a House Burglar-Proof—Cheap, Convenient and Effective. The STAR can testify to the efficacy of the plan stated below by a correspondent of a Southern paper.

SIXTH CONG. DISTRICT.

Democratic Convention at Lumberton—An Unusually Large Gathering of Delegates and Others Present—Intense Excitement but the Issues Good Feeling—Organization Perfect and Balloting Begun—Bellamy in the Lead.

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Harper's Bargain Day. Sweet Potatoes. Medicines bought of James D. Nutt. A New Thing! The Eclipse Bicycle.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted. The Central Democratic Committee will meet in Raleigh next Monday. The local forecast for to-day is: Rain; slightly cooler, light to fresh northeasterly winds.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To-Day—Base ball at Hilton. JAS. D. NUTT—Medicines cure. W. B. COOPER—Sweet potatoes. STR. WILMINGTON—Bargain day.

THE ORPHAN'S EXCURSION.

The Orphans of the Odd Fellow's home at Goldsboro, who have been in the city since Monday, returned yesterday delighted with their visit.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Spears, of Harnett, Nominated for Congress in the Third District. [Special Star Telegram.] CLINTON, N. C., August 22.—In the Republican Congressional Convention...

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., AUGUST 23. Meteorological data for twenty-four hours ending at 8 p. m. last night.

THE MAILS.

On and after Sunday, June 10, 1894, the Mails at the Wilmington, N. C., Postoffice, will close as follows:

THE MODERN SOAP.

Never Allow this Soap to Soak in Water. "Coal Oil Johnny's" Petroleum Soap is made by a novel process which is patented.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Portrait Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed. Mr. P. Heinsberger has returned from a visit to Catawba Springs. Miss Lida Wright is visiting relatives in Wilmington.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday. Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—58 casks spirits turpentine, 74 bbls. rosin, 107 bbls. tar, 15 bbls. crude turpentine.

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