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From the following scraps that fetter our free-born reason.

Who is "Col Reeves," the spokesman of the North Carolina delegation...

THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE REVENUE LAWS.

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In this connection we take pleasure in referring to the reforms which Dr. J. Mott, collector of revenue for this district, has recently instituted in this service in this portion of his district...

It is no less to the advantage of the government than to the cause of justice and the good name of the people that the revenue laws should be executed with equal firmness...

THE WAR OUTLOOK.

The news from across the waters grows more and more interesting. The Turkish army, growing more and more footed as their star wanes and wanes...

THE WESTERN DISTRICT COURT.—We are told by the press dispatches that a strong lobby is in Washington in opposition to the bill of Mr. Waddell to abolish the United States District Court for the Western District of North Carolina...

SPEECH OF HON. A. S. MERRIMON, OF NORTH CAROLINA.

DELIVERED IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE, FRIDAY, JAN. 18th, 1878, ON THE PAYMENT OF GOVERNMENT BONDS.

I am not now prepared to state with precision the aggregate of the bonds issued subject to the operation of the legal tender act, but they amounted in the aggregate of hundreds of millions of dollars.

These bonds were sold for legal-tender notes and the Government received such notes in pay for them. At the time of the sale of such bonds the legal-tender notes received for them were not an average worth fifty cents in the dollar, gold or silver coin.

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observing mind, that the country is bearing and will continue to bear all the sacrifice and ruin incident to the resumption of specie payments...

The volume of the paper currency in circulation since the war has been virtually regulated by the government, and not by the business demands of the country, which latter is the legitimate object of any regulating act.

Table with 2 columns: Description of currency types and their values. Includes items like 'Certificates of debt', 'Compound-interest legal tender notes', etc.

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out a powerful and far-reaching cause. I will not say that the financial legislation to which I have referred, the attempt to restrain the payment...

I recognize and appreciate the great importance of having a fixed specie standard of value, a return to a specie basis for our paper currency, and a return to specie payments.

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Fernando Wood said derisively that he believed that a bill to make leather medals a legal tender would pass this House.

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