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The bill repealing the bankrupt act was discussed in the Senate without action.

The bill repealing the resumption act was resumed, and Gen. Gordon made a speech on it which was applauded in the galleries.

In the House a bill for a permanent government for the District of Columbia was up, but no result was reached.

BANKRUPT LAW REPEAL.

In the Senate, on Wednesday last, the consideration of the bill repealing the Bankrupt Law having been resumed.

Mr. RANSOM, Mr. President, the question now, I believe, is upon the amendment offered by the Senator from Ohio to the amendment offered by the Senator from Michigan.

The President pro tempore. The Senator is correct.

Mr. RANSOM. That amendment provides that this act shall not take effect until the first of January next, in substance. I feel very great anxiety upon the result of the vote of the Senate on this amendment.

Every Senator must have some doubt in his mind as to the propriety of the repeal of a law which has been in operation since 1867, eleven years, which has been of general benefit to the people of this country, and which has been of such great demand that it has stood now for eleven years.

Before the repeal of the law, the whole world that the result of the war destroyed everything like property in the Southern States, and upon the ruins of the plantations of that war fall more heavily than they did upon North Carolina.

Against the Bankrupt Law.—A movement is now on foot among leading New York firms, including Claflin & Co., Jaffrey & Co., Thurber & Co., to give public expression to their views on the whole subject of the bankrupt law.

The trial of the Worley case ended in Wayne Superior Court last Saturday evening in the conviction of the prisoners.

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A THREATENED AFFLICTION.

It is stated by the Washington correspondent of the New York Times that the Republican congressional committee have determined to make an energetic campaign in the Southern States, and that special attention will be devoted to those congressional districts in the Gulf States where colored people are in a preponderance.

It is presumed that, should the committee carry out its designs, North Carolina will hardly come within the scope of intended operations.

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