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A Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce, writing March 4th, says: "Major General Benton will leave tomorrow morning for the field of his military and diplomatic relations in Mexico."

His whole force will not number 1,000 men. There had been no news at Santa Fe of General Wool's movements. Lieut. Col. Mitchell had left Santa Fe with 100 picked men, to open a communication with Chihuahua.

Two men were found on the prairie, half starved and frozen. Two more were found this side of Council Grove dead, lying at the foot of a tree—the bark of which they had eaten all round the trunk—no doubt starved to death.

The question of "License," or "No License" was carried in favor of the former by an overwhelming majority. This strange and shameful reversion of the decision of last year upon this subject might indicate to those not familiar with the facts among us, that a great change had taken place in the minds of our citizens.

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Robert Owen publishes in the National Era, his plan for the abolition of slavery, viz that all slaves born after the 1st of January, 1850, shall be educated by the State governments, and prepared to become good and useful citizens, and after serving an apprenticeship equal to their assessed value to their owners; they shall be colonized in some territory set apart for them by the government; those in servitude at the date named, to remain in servitude, or otherwise, at the pleasure of the owners.

The Irish of New York sent their suffering countrymen across the water, during the year past, \$808,000!

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Teachers' Institute. Notice is hereby given that a Teachers' Institute for Washtenaw County, will be held at the Court House, in Ann Arbor, on the 23rd day of March instant, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Young Men's Association. The following resolution will be discussed at the Court House, on Tuesday evening, March 16th, at 6 1/2 o'clock: "Resolved, That aside from Revelation there is not sufficient evidence in nature to warrant a belief in the immortality of the soul."

COMMERCIAL. ANN ARBOR, March 12, 1847. The Wheat market is not very lively at present. Buyers are offering 70 cts. But many farmers are anticipating continued high prices on account of the scarcity in Europe, and prefer waiting.

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