AMERICAN TELEGRAPH.

Editors' Correspondence.

[From our Baltimore Correspondent.]

BALTIMORE, May 21—10 p. m.

The Whig State convention, which assembled here yesterday, did itself much credit by harmonizing and going straight forward with business—beginning and finishing on the same day. As was known and previously understood, the convention expressed its decided preference for Mr. Fillmore. Maryland is, perhaps, the most thorough Fillmore State in the Union. There was, however, in the mountain boys a pretty strong indication of which way the wind may yet blow. Their voice is potent. They are the kind of politicians who are not to be overlooked, and, if I mistake not, at no distant day will muster a mighty army of such. They will pour in from the mountains, valleys, and hill-tops until the National Convention in June will roll up a tremendous multitude. In these kind of hardy mountaineers the old hero of Lundy's Lane and of Chepultepec will find voters as innumerable as Egyptian locusts or Florida mosquitoes! They will rise up on the day of election!

I presume there is no good American Whig who would not rejoice to see Mr. Fillmore re-elected. If, with a certainty, my vote would accomplish this object, he should have it. Nor is there a Whig in the country who did not feel so in regard to Mr. Clay. But there are matters of expediency to be considered; and if it is believed that the present noble incumbent cannot be reinstated in his high position, it is too much of a risk to try him when the signs of the times plainly indicate that General SCOTT can. He is, perhaps, the only Whig now living who could successfully stand up against and triumph over the present powerful organization of the Democratic party.

I observed in our city, to-day, Mr. Heart, the accomplished editor of the Charleston Mercury. He is on a flying visit.

Strangers are already beginning to flock into the city. I learn that a large majority of the rooms in our principal hotels have already been engaged ahead for the approaching Convention.

CHESAPEAKE.

Democracy of Science.

BY JOSIAH HOLBROOK.

No. 2.

The elements of science are purely democratic. They are in all places at all times, and obedient to their own laws, never swerving an iota. Each renders aid to all the rest—together making a perfect and glorious whole.

One of these elements constitutes about half of our globe—the animal, vegetable, and mineral kingdoms. This most abundant element is also the most powerful agent in the workings of science. It is in all and for all created things, or nearly so. It heaves our lungs; lights and fans our fires; decks our forests and all creation with their beautiful hues; shivers mountains into rocks, and crumbles rocks into soils; converts soils into the majesty of a forest, the verdure of a plain, and the richness of a garden; changes the products of forests, plains, and gardens into beasts of the field, birds of the air, fishes of the sea, buzzing insects, and all creeping things; with the whole of animate nature, embracing the lords of this lower creation, having dominion over the whole.

This same element and agent in our vast creation assimilates things the most diversified and opposite, and again separates into atoms things assimilated by the most intimate and perfect union. It is constantly performing services the most dissimilar and opposite in character, and yet always in perfect harmony, completely carrying out the great designs of the Creator of all. In most of the wonder-workings of this wonderful world, this one agent is always present, and always active, but can only act with and for all kindred agents, however diversified their offices or dissimilar their work. It yields strict obedience to its own laws, and yet is dependant upon the same obedience from all the rest, in their respective agencies, for accomplishing the grand work of this created universe. If such is the abundance of one element, and such the power of one agent, and both one and the same, who can doubt but the knowledge of it should be as widespread as its existence or its power?

How strange, then, how mysterious, that those professing to mould pliable young beings by the elements of science, so wisely designed for them by the Author both of the beings and the science, should have them in charge, month after month and year after year, and not once exhibit to them the most abundant element, or even name one office of this most powerful agent! The mystery is more mysterious when it is known, as every one must know, by the avidity with which every young spirit drinks in such knowledge, that the highest possible delight is added to the richest and most enduring instruction, by a supply to their bodies, minds, and souls of food so evidently and so abundantly provided for them.

But thanks be to science and to humanity that a mighty change is coming over our country and the world in the kind of knowledge taught, and the modes of teaching it. Instruction is in a rapid transition from words to things, from signs of ideas to ideas themselves; from shadow to substance; from saying to doing; from speculation to production; from consolidation to diffusion; from a few to the whole.

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JOHN LECONTE, Prof. of Nat. Phil. et Chem.
UNIVERSITY OF GA., October 8, 1850.

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THIRTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

Term commences March 4, 1851, and terminates March 4, 1853.

The First Session opens on Monday, December 1, 1851.

SENATE.

The Senate consists of two Senators from each State. Since the admission of California, there are thirty-one States, represented by sixty-two Senators. The Senators who held over from the 4th of last March were forty-one, viz: eighteen Whigs and twenty-three Democrats. Of the twenty-one new Senators, three are yet to be elected from the following States:

Connecticut, (one vacancy)—Democratic legislatnre just elected.

SENATORS HOLDING OVER AND ELECT.

Whigs in italic; Democrats in roman—those marked F. S. are Free-soilers or Abolitionists; U., those elected as Union men; S. R., those elected as Southern or State Rights men.

	Term Expires.		Term Expires.
ALABAMA.		MICHIGAN.	
Jeremiah Clemens	1853	Alpheus Felch	1853
Wm. R. King (S. R.)	1855	Lewis Cass	1857
ARKANSAS.		MISSOURI.	
Wm. K. Sebastian	1853	David R. Atchison	1855
Solon Borland	1855	*Henry S. Geyer*	1857
CONNECTICUT.		NEW HAMPSHIRE.	
Truman Smith	1855	John P. Hale (F.S.)	1853
—— ——	1857	Moses Norris, jr.	1855
CALIFORNIA.		NEW YORK.	
Wm. M. Gwin	1855	*Wm. H. Seward* (F.S.)	1855
John B. Weller	1857	*Hamilton Fish*	1857
DELAWARE.		NEW JERSEY.	
Presley Spruance	1855	*Jacob W. Miller*	1853
James A. Bayard	1857	Robert F. Stockton	1857
FLORIDA.		NORTH CAROLINA.	
Jackson Morton	1855	*Willie P. Mangum*	1853
Stephen R. Mallory	1857	*George E. Badger*	1855
GEORGIA.		OHIO.	
John McP. Berrien	1853	Salmon P. Chase (F.S.)	1855
Wm. C. Dawson	1855	*Benjamin F. Wade*	1857
INDIANA.		PENNSYLVANIA.	
James Whitcomb	1855	*James Cooper*	1853
Jesse D. Bright	1857	Richard Brodhead, jr.	1857
ILLINOIS		RHODE ISLAND.	
Stephen A. Douglas	1853	*John H. Clarke*	1853
James Shields	1855	Charles T. James	1857
IOWA.		SOUTH CAROLINA.	
George W. Jones	1853	R. B. Rhett (S.R.)	1853
Augustus C. Dodge	1855	A. P. Butler (S.R.)	1855
KENTUCKY.		TENNESSEE.	
Joseph R. Underwood	1853	*John Bell*	1853
Henry Clay	1855	*James C. Jones*	1857
LOUISIANA.		TEXAS.	
Sol. U. Downs (U.)	1853	Sam Houston	1853
Pierre Soule (S. R.)	1855	Thomas J. Rusk	1857
MAINE.		VERMONT.	
Jas. W. Bradbury	1853	*William Upham*	1853
Hannibal Hamlin	1857	*Solomon Foote*	1857
MASSACHUSETTS.		VIRGINIA.	
John Davis	1853	R. M. T. Hunter (S.R.)	1853
Chas. Sumner (F.S.)	1857	Jas. M. Mason (S.R.)	1857
MARYLAND.		WISCONSIN.	
James A. Pearce	1855	Isaac P. Walker	1855
Thomas G. Pratt	1857	Henry Dodge	1857
MISSISSIPPI.			
Stephen Adams	1853	*Walter Brooke*	1857

Messrs. Foote and Davis, of Mississippi, have resigned.

Of the members elect, and those holding over, thirty-four are Democrats, twenty-one are Whigs, and four Free-soilers. Of the Free-soilers, Hale and Seward were elected by a union of Whigs and Free-soilers; Sumner and Chase were elected by Democrats and Free-soilers combined. Dodge, (Democrat,) of Wisconsin; Fish, (Whig,) of New York; Foote, (Whig,) of Vermont; and Wade, (Whig,) of Ohio, are also put down by some as Free-soilers.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House consists of two hundred and thirty-three members and four Territorial delegates. These delegates, however, have no vote. Annexed are the names of the

MEMBERS ELECT.

ALABAMA.
1 John Bragg, (S. R.) 5 George S. Houston
2 *James Abercrombie* 6 W. R. W. Cobb
3 Samp. W. Harris, (S. R.) 7 *Alex. White*
4 William R. Smith

ARKANSAS.
1 Robt. W. Johnson, (S. R.)

CONNECTICUT.
1 *Charles Chapman* 3 C. F. Cleveland
2 C. M. Ingersoll 4 O. S. Seymour

CALIFORNIA.
1 Edward C. Marshall 2 J. W. McCorkle

DELAWARE.
1 George R. Riddle

FLORIDA.
1 *Edward C. Cabell*

GEORGIA.
1 J. W. Jackson, (S. R.) 5 E. W. Chastain, (U.)
2 James Johnson, (U.) 6 Junius Hillyer, (U.)
3 David J. Bailey, (S. R.) 7 *A. H. Stephens*, (U.)
4 Charles Murphy, (U.) 8 *Robert Toombs*, (U.)

INDIANA.
1 James Lockhart 6 Willis A. G