

E. J. Dupont Esq^r

Fernandina de Jagua 1st March 1825

Dear Sir

I do myself the pleasure of forwarding You this by the Schooner Charles, Captain Coquin, who leaves this Place for Philadelphia this afternoon and of enclosing You a draft payable at sight, drawn by M^r L. Howard of this Place, upon Mess^{rs} Joseph Boyle & Co of Phil^a, for \$50.-, being for the payment of the last parcel of Powder you sent me and which Amount, I most sincerely regret, had been so long delayed being remitted you, from unavoidable circumstances - We have now with us, the founder of the Colony M^r de Clouet, who appears determined to exert himself and to do all in his power, to promote the interests of this Place. And after a perfect stagnation of business and being as it were cut off from the rest of the world, things begin to revive and there certainly now exists, a better prospect than ever, of the Colony prospering and I trust we may at last be in some measure compensated, for the long period of suffering - deprivations & exposure, which we have endured. By the return of this vessel, or by any other opportunity, if You should be inclined, I shall be glad to receive a small

Shipment of the same Article And you may depend upon the
Amount being punctually remitted you, either by a draft - money,
or Woods - It will be a source of great satisfaction to me to
have the former Intercourse renewed, which your Goodness commenced
to promote my Interest And for which I shall ever retain the
most lively Gratitude, but which was interrupted by the
situation we have been placed in And God knows we have
suffered And struggled through enough here. —

I most sincerely trust, that Mr. Davy will now be induced to
join me - for it is impossible to express the constant Anxiety which
I endure, by this Cruel Separation from her & my Daughter; —
I regret that Circumstances have not long since led them to me,
And I hope that this Separation with the painful Anxiety
I suffer will soon end. And if upon a trial of the Place, it
does not please her, she shall be perfectly at liberty to leave
it the moment she wishes — I hope to have the pleasure
of hearing from you by the first Opportunity And sincerely trust
that this will meet Yourself and all around You

in the enjoyment of every Happiness And sincerely repeating
my grateful thanks for your favours & kindness

I remain very respectfully
Y^r Mo^o Ob^t: Serv^t

Thomas Davy

Be pleased to give my kind remembrance to
Mr^r Williamson. I would give me great pleasure
to receive a line from him. - beg him to write me.

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E. J. Dupont - Esq

New Wilmington

Delaware

His Grace



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Genardina de Nequa