

Calcutta, 13th August 1872

Mess^{rs} E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co.

Wilmington

Delaware

Dear Sirs,

Since we addressed you on the 23rd Ult^o we have received your favor of 25th June and its contents have our attention -

In our Saltpetre market we have no transactions of importance to notice, and quotations are nominally lower - Supplies of good quality are, we understand, on the way and may be expected shortly - The present quotation for 5% refraction is R. 8. 1, and as the quantity coming forward is reported to be large, a further decline must take place in prices unless the demand materially improves

We have to report the Charter of 6 vessels for the States by one Firm viz:

"Arundel Castle" Iron	1102 Tons	New York	at 12 1/2	Aug ^r	loading
City of York	" 1195 "	do	13	Sept ^r	" - "
City of Corinth	" 1220 "	do	13	Oct ^r	" - "
City of Sparta	" 1191 "	do	13	Nov ^r	" - "

and two other "Cities", to be named hereafter, for
 December and January loading. It is reported
 that 5 of these vessels are to be loaded with
 Jute Butts. -

The rate of exchange on London closes
 for this mail at $1/11\frac{3}{8}$ per £. for first class
 credits by St. -

We remain,

Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Ashburner & Co

13	1190	"	City of York
13	1220	"	City of London
13	1191	"	City of Bristol

and two other letters to be answered
in the month of January loading
of the accounts are to be
sent to the



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Messrs E. J. Rue Bond de. Messrs J. A.
Wilmington,
Delaware, U.S.



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