

Calcutta, 26th January. 1872.

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

Wilmington,
Delaware.

Dear Sirs,

We addressed you last on the 19th inst., and enclose herein press copy of our letter.

During the past week, Saltpetre has been in favor demand and the better sorts have advanced in value owing to the limited stocks of such qualities. We quote 5% refraction R^d 7:13⁰⁰ to R^d 7:14⁰⁰ per maund.

The "Arctusa" has not yet completed her loading but we believe she will get away early next month.

In Freights we have to report the "Sea" (Amⁿ) laid on for Boston at \$13 $\frac{1}{2}$ and the "Lizzie H." (Amⁿ) laid on for New York, at \$13 $\frac{3}{4}$. -

The "Jeyponi", Iron, has been chartered for New York at \$14 and the "Nelson", Iron, to arrive, also for New York at \$13 $\frac{3}{4}$. -

Exchange on London has further
advanced to $2/0 \frac{7}{16}$ to $2/0 \frac{1}{2}$ for first class credits
6^m/st. -

We remain, Dear Sirs,

Yours faithfully
Ashburner & Co

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