

Calcutta 28th March 1872.

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

Wilmington

Delaware

Dear Sirs,

We addressed you last on the 22^d instant and have now the pleasure to enclose Invoice of 1120 Bags Saltpetre of^r "Thos Stephens" for New York amounting to Rs 25197. 9. - for which we have taken our reimbursement on Mess^{rs} Brown Shipley & Co London in the sum of £ 2539. 8. 10 as of^r Memo:

at foot. - This shipment consists, with the exception of one lot, of Saltpetre refracting under 5% and will we trust prove satisfactory. Good Saltpetre continues very scarce. -

The Charters for the States since the date of our last Circular have been the "Thomas Stephens" Iron at \$13 $\frac{1}{4}$, the "Dinapore" Iron for at \$13 $\frac{3}{8}$ and the "County of Elgin", composite, to arrive at \$13 of^r Ton, all for New York. -

Yours faithfully

Ashburner & Co

Enclosed

Invoice of 1120 Bags Saltpetre for "Thos Stephens" Rs 25,197.9.-

Memo: of Reimbursement

Out 3 Bills of this day at 6^{mos} to order on
Mess^{rs} Brown Shipley & Co of London viz:
Under Credit No I 1916 dated 9th Aug^r 1871.

No 270 for _____ £1201.18.2

Under Credit No I 2017.

dated 2nd Jan^y 1872

" 271 for £498.1.10

" 272 - " - " 839.8.10. " 1337.10.8

£2539.8.10 at 2/03/16 of PR - Rs 25,197.9.-

Accompanied by B/L
for 1120 Bags Saltpetre
for "Thos Stephens" to
New York.

