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Messrs E. J. Dupont de Nemours & Co

Gentlemen

The Boat laden with Powder reached here in safety on Tuesday morning, and is all stored in Magazine — On Examining the F Powder I find it much finer than your sample of F sent me sometime ago, I have enclosed you some of each, that you may see the difference. I have been exhibiting the samples of F and been told that it is the sized grain most generally used, consequently ordered the larger proportion of it, how the F you have sent me will do I cannot tell but I fear it is too fine, and may consequently have a difficulty in selling it — if the F Powder sent me corresponded with the sample of F, I have no doubt I could have sold all of it in a short time — I think perhaps there has been a mistake made in sending me the 1000 lbs. of a different kind than you intended to send, it being so much finer than the sample sent me

Yours respectfully

A. W. Seisming

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