

Philad<sup>a</sup> Nov: 1<sup>st</sup> 1816

Messrs E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co

Sirs

Your favour of the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst. has been received - Mr Read informs me that he wrote to Washington respecting the eprouvette immediately after the conversation he had with your Mr Dupont upon the subject - No answer has yet been received, but he has promised to communicate it to me as soon as it arrives - If directions are given to send the eprouvette to you, I will see that it is forwarded without delay -

Yesterday I had put on board the boat for you one barrel of Common Lamp Oil & a Cask with 5 gallons of Pharmacists Oil - The Brimstone has not yet arrived from Baltimore - It shall be forwarded without delay as soon as it appears -

I am respectfully  
Your Obedt Serv<sup>t</sup>  
Wm. du Pont

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Brother W. L. Galt

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