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December 23rd, 1937.

A. Wagner, Esq. c/o The German Consulate, 45 Richmond St. W. Toronto,

Dear Sir,

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A short time ago we called up and were talking to the German Consul desiring to learn as to whether it would be legal to purchase Kentucky Bluegrass in the United States and ship it to Germany.

A German House seems especially desirous of buying about
Twenty Thousand Kilograms of Kentucky Bluegrass, but explains that
apparently payment at the present time cannot be made to the United
States. In fact he says "For your information I beg
to inform you that it is not possible now to make purchases of Kentucky
Bluegrass from a firm in the United States, as there does not exist any
possibility of rendering payment. For this reason I wish to try
to buy from a Canadian firm, in Canadian Currency, and have the seed
shipped through a Canadian Port to Hamburg. However, before
business can be closed I have to secure Permit from the Department of
Foreign Currencies of the German Government in Berlin."

As you may know, on this side of the Atlantic, Kentucky Bluegrass is an exclusive United States product. We ourselves import considerable quantities each season, and what we wanted to learn was, as to whether were we to purchase in the United States on behalf of the German House, it being of United States production, would its entry be permitted into Germany.

We wish you would advise us so we can get in touch with our correspondent in Germany, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Wm. Rennie Seeds L I M I T E D,

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