

LEWIS BROTHERS
Limited

920-942 Bleury Street
MONTREAL

February 9th, 1938.

Mr. W. Rademacher,
27 Wellington St. E.,
Toronto, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

No doubt you have been notified in regard to new prices fixed by the Department at Ottawa on German made Crescent Pattern and Stillson Pattern Wrenches. The values set by the Department are considerably in excess of the prices you recently quoted us, and that means of course we would have to pay a dump duty on any goods that we imported. It is our intention to protest the ruling, and we would suggest that you do the same thing, and if possible show the Department authorities that the prices they have set are unreasonable and altogether too high. We have on file here quotations from several different makers (including yourselves), all of which are considerably below the Ottawa prices. Their procedure seems to be to select the highest prices obtainable and set them as a fair market value.

We will be glad if you will let us have your views by early mail.

Yours very truly,

LEWIS BROS. LIMITED

signed - H.V. Armstrong

HVA/VR

Vice-President.