

# AVALON FABRICS LIMITED

Makers of Upholstery Fabrics

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December 1st, 1938.

Dr. A. Wagner,  
Commercial Attache,  
German Consulate,  
1440 St. Catherine Street, West,  
MONTREAL, Que.

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Dear Sir:-

I would very much appreciate it if you would send me a list of any eatables, which I may send as a present to my Parent in Germany. I had in mind sending several parcels of Canned Goods, and Cheese, from here, and would be glad to have a reply from you, advising me in this regard, and also forwarding list.

Thanking you for an early reply,  
I am,

Yours very truly,

*Hans Buscher*

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December 7, 1938.

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Messrs. Avalon Fabrics Limited,  
Stratford, Ont.

Dear Sirs:-

In reply to your letter of December 1, I beg to say that all Christmas parcels are dutiable in Germany according to their contents. There is to my knowledge no restriction regarding eatables being sent to Germany as a gift, if the value does not exceed RM 25.<sup>*per parcel*</sup> It would be advisable to have the word "Liebesgaben" written on the outside of the parcel and to inform your parents that a parcel is on its way with gifts for Christmas, for their own use.

Permit me to say that you could doubtless save yourself the extra cost of freight etc., by buying so called 'Giftmarks', obtainable from the offices of the Hamburg American Line-North German Lloyd. The rate at present being approximately RM 4.20 for one Dollar.

Eatables could be bought with these <sup>*in parcels*</sup> Giftmarks just as good and at nearly the same prices.

Yours very truly,

The German Consul

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