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1030 First Avenue N.E.,  
April 5th 1933.

Right Hon. Senator Meighen,  
Ottawa, Canada.

Bear Mr. Meighen:-

I have received word from Ottawa that the position about which I wrote you a month ago, has been narrowed down to five applicants, of which I was not fortunate to be one.

However, there is another position vacant, that of Dominion Appraiser for the Jewellery and Kindred Trades, and from what I can gather there are well over a hundred applications in for it, although the position has not yet been temporarily filled nor advertised. Not knowing just how to apply, or to whom, I did not put in an application. This happens to be a splendid position, and well worth going after, and on this account it lookd as though one would need influential assistance at Ottawa to be recognized at all.

The attitude of the Government so far, has been that they should try to fill the position from the ranks of the Civil servants, but as it calls for one with a thorough knowledge of the jewellery business it will be necessary to go outside.

I wrote Mr. Beynon in this regard, and suggested that you might be inclined to assist him. I hope you will not think I am infringing on old times, but the Jewellery business, - well you know where it has gone to.

Yours very sincerely,

*R. L. Smith*

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