

In order to carry out this plan, it will be necessary to secure authority to proceed and to secure the assistance of intelligent local collectors, such as medical men and police officials. Sir Wilfred Grenfell has promised, in general terms, what assistance he can give and I am in communication with him at present. I have asked him for the names of Medical Officers who might be willing to assist in this project (a copy of his letter is attached hereto. This will only cover a part of the area to be surveyed: and it will, I think, be necessary to secure the cooperation of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for the remainder. The demands made on their time will be slight and the results obtained should be of considerable value to their Service and to the Dominion.