member of the Federal Government, in concise form, when dealing with questions affecting Greater Canada.

That information cannot be obtained by appointing a Commission of men taken from Provinces east of Lake Superior, headed by a Judge, none of whom can have practical knowledge of the country or what is required of them. It will, in order to secure the proper information, be necessary to appoint men in the West who know the country and its requirements, who know all parts that have settlers, their nationality, whether they are suited to the location, how they are equipped for the work before them, schools, if any, the topography of the country, the flora, a synopsis of the surface geology, mineral deposits, if any, and a brief sketch of the natural history; the water supply and how obtained, and such information as may be deemed advisable in such a report.

## THE DANGERS TO BE AVOIDED.

There are many Americans now in the country, good settlers, and some of them well informed; in fact, in many instances, they have a better knowledge of the capabilities of the West and North, a more intimate knowledge of the readjustment of the tariff to so order things