PREFATORY NOTE.

In this bulletin an attempt has been made to record the forest fires which occurred during the season of 1908, and the loss resulting therefrom. It is far from complete, especially in regard to the province of Ontario. Incomplete as it is, however, it gives an idea of the damage done by these forest fires in the one season throughout the Dominion of Canada, and it is hoped that it will do its share to attract public attention to the seriousness of the situation.

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