

slopes of the Rocky mountains, and even if all the mines in the province drew their supplies of mining timbers from this source it would not be possible to use more than a small percentage of the total. "Assuming that the next seven or eight years will see an increase of 100 per cent. in coal

production," says Mr. Finlayson, "something like a half-billion feet of board measure will suffice for coal mining operations until 1925. The question of a market for the bulk of Alberta's dead timber therefore still remains for future consideration."



Results of a Severe Forest Fire in 1906 on Head of Dungarvon River, New Brunswick.
Timber and Much of the Soil Destroyed. The only Reproduction
Yet Starting is Soft Maple.

—Photo by G. H. Prince.