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Inquest Tuesday In Death Of Fire Fighter

Regional forest service officials and a coroner's jury Friday investigated the first fatal accident of the year for region No. 1. Lloyd Francis Moore, 19, of 1815 South Fifth street, was injured fatally when a timber snag which had burned through at the roots fell on him as he was fighting a fire late Thursday night on Sawyer creek, northeast of Seeley lake.

C. Byers, assistant supervisor of the Lolo national forest, who, with Regional Safety Officer Clyde Blake investigated the accident, said that the timber which struck Moore was a dead lodge pole pine about 65 feet long and 11 inches through at the base.

