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TERRORISTS SET BAINEM FOREST ABLAZE NEAR ALGIERS

No competition known

Positive developed: 35 meters - 117 ft

300 acres of pine-wood forests in the ~~Bainem~~ eastern suburb of Algiers, at Bainem were ablaze on Monday afternoon, strong winds blowing the fire on the dry pine-needles and brush. several points where the fire was set were discovered when troops and firemen from Algiers and surrounding villages were called to fight the blaze.

Several houses were burned down in spite of efforts of fire-fighters who included many moslem inhabitants of the area. Happily not many victims were made by this criminal fire, only one soldier was killed and two wounded.

This forest-fire went on for hours, and is part of a new terrorist tactics to destroy all they can and make diversions of french forces by calling them on various points to help fight fires or rescue threatened areas.