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The Sailor Cap fire began August 23 at approximately 1400, on the Twin Falls District in Idaho. This fire is in the proximity of the Clover fire of 2005 which burned close to 200,000 acres. Two minor injury incidents occurred on this fire.

The first incident occurred at approximately 1730; an engine crewman while working the fire had his lower foot run over by an engine. He was transported to the hospital, treated and released. The foot was bruised and he is currently on light duty.

The second incident occurred at approximately at 1830 the District Duty Officer was notified of a contract dozer operator had received some light burns while unloading his dozer. He was taken to the hospital treated and released.

A state investigation team has been mobilized and is in the process of investigating these two separate incidents.