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saurant.
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It seems as though the year-
ly transition of forest fires in the
Blue mountains and the state of
Oregon too, for that matter,
would teach the careless to be
more heedful of fire. The
amount of damage incurred
yearly by forest fires is almost
incalculable. Timber, that will
some day be worth almost its
weight in gold, goes up in smoke,
residents of these timbered
sections often find themselves
homeless with nothing but their
clothes they wear to call their
own. Still the waste goes on.
It is in some cases an accident
that a fire starts but too often it
is gross carelessness on the part
of campers in the mountains.
Sometimes in the endeavor to
clear the underbrush a moun-
tain farmer loses control of his
fire and also loses his valuable
timber. However they start an
effort should be made to get
them under control as soon as
possible and if necessary call
out the available men in the
neighborhood to assist.

There is a time coming when
wanton waste of timber will
not be tolerated. Some method
must be made by the govern-
ment or state to prevent these
fires if the timber areas are to be
saved.

140 CONTESTS

The Journal of Portland, Ore-
gon reports that there are now pend-
ing in the land office of that
district 140 contests against
homestead and other land claim-
ants. The way the U. S. Land
offices are now being shaken up
by the authorities at Washing-
ton for loose methods of pro-
cedures, by way of letting
people secure public land with-
out complying with law, is en-
couraging to honest homeseek-
ers, but discouraging to the land
grabbers, who have come to be-
lieve that the guide in making
affidavits in U. S. land office is
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hundreds of school children and
the school year will have com-
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alone concern the children, but
is of vast importance to the
citizens in general. Every pat-
ron of the schools should make
it a point to visit the schools
and thereby encourage the
teachers and pupils. It is a
duty you owe to your self, the
teachers and to the children.
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and after you are once within
the school room and see how
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