

CLEARING BEACH MINES.

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While conferences, debates and arguments continued in various parts of the world with Egypt as centre of discussion, all ^{was} ~~is~~ fairly quiet in the cease fire zone. Performing a dangerous but necessary duty on the former landing beaches near Gamil Airport, engineers nonchalantly ^{CARRIED} ~~carry~~ out the job of clearing the area of trip mines.

Here, on the edge of No Man's Land, ^{were} ~~are~~ men of the Royal West ~~XXXXXX~~ Kents --- some of the infantry that took over from the assault units of paratroops and commandos. Among other duties, they ^{HAD} ~~have~~ the job of checking in and out of their lines, the white trucks of the observers sent by the United Nations.