

With the end of the war - the gigantic task began, of converting our first line of defence, the huge coastal mine-fields - into ~~their peacetime role of seaside beaches...~~ *the peaceful beaches once again.*

Thousands of mines were lifted and the sands left clear. Yet, <sup>even</sup> to-day - a danger still remains - the occasional mine that is washed ashore. A danger ~~recently~~ <sup>recently</sup> so tragically demonstrated on this beach, at Swanage, when five schoolboys lost their lives.

In an interview, Bomb Disposal Expert, Major Hartley (who supervised the clearing of the Swanage minefield) describes ~~THE~~ <sup>THE</sup> dormant killers <sup>THAT</sup> ~~may~~ <sup>may</sup>

~~STILL~~ lie hidden on the beach. / SOUND.

BEWARE

DANGER

~~parents - warn your children against~~ this hidden ~~mine~~ <sup>mine</sup>. If you see one

- tell the police. / SOUND TO END