

BP gets cap on oil well

They got the cap on, but not clear how much oil it is going to stop. But that was good enough to be breaking news for The Washington Post.

News Alert: Gulf Coast oil cap in place over blown-out well
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A cap is in place over the Gulf of Mexico gusher, live video footage provided by the company showed Thursday night, but the spewing oil made it very difficult to tell if the cap was fitting well.

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Search term: oil cap on well This is not a very 'clean' stream. I tried several alternatives, and this was the best I could get. But there are messages from before this announcement.

The first search found 1050 tweets. More than half were written in anticipation of the attempt to cap.

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