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**South African Whites: To Be or Not To Be - by Mike Smith - The murder of 3,100 Farmers**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [Mike used to be a regular visitor to AfricanCrisis. It is good to see him writing whenever he gets the opportunity. Many times I have sat and thought to myself that *I* have as much right to live (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: Rape - What You Need to Know About It**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Monica Saleh DanbauchiRape is when one person wants, and pursues, a sexual act on another person who does not want to participate, and who does not fully and freely consent to take part in the act. (By News Poster)...

**USA:Good News For Our Side!!! - Americans are buying AR-15 rifles at unbelievable pace...**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [One of our staunch supporters in the USA, Michael Dean Miller sent us this awesome report. I find it interesting that American citizens probably buy more weapons - and I'm talking serious rifles - (By Jan)...

**Africa: Twenty-two Percent of Sub-Saharan Africa's HIV/Aids Rate Down**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Twenty-two of the most affected countries in sub-Saharan Africa have reduced new HIV infections by more than 25%New UNAIDS data show significant progress towards Millennium Development Goal 6: to halt (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Kenyan Activists At Risk of Torture**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Two Kenyan activists working on the cases of suspects charged with terrorism for the July 11, 2010 Kampala bombings have been illegally detained in Uganda and are at risk of abuse, Human Rights Watch (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Oyo - Tokyo Escapes Death**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Dele OgunyemiIbadan - Reinstated Chairman of the National Union of Road Transport Workers (NURTW), Oyo State Council, Alhaji Abdul Lateef Akinsola Oloruntoki a.k.a. Tokyo, escaped death by the whis (By News Poster)...

**The Salvation Army and Saatchi Saatchi Use Unusual Tactics to Inform ! SA Public and Raise Awareness on the Horrors of Human Trafficking**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [A Reader in Cape Town sent this. I suspect that the Salvation Army is desperate. I used to donate a lot of my personal income years ago, but in the last 15 years I stopped completely. I am sure that (By Jan)...

**Somalia: Insurgency Undermines Kenya's Security Too**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Garissa/Mandera - The Islamist insurgency in Somalia has had a spillover effect on security in the nor! theast of neighbouring Kenya, affecting livelihoods and the de! livery o f services, say residents an (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Gukurahundi Called 'Genocide' by Watch Group**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Tererai KarimakwendaThe Gukurahundi massacres that saw tens of thousands of innocent Zimbabweans killed by soldiers loyal to the Mugabe regime in the mid eighties, were on Thursday classified as ge (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: FG Blames Soludo Over Bank Crisis**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Lagos - Federal government yesterday hit back at the former governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) Prof. Chukwuma Soludo, saying that his economic policies created the current financial crisis (By News Poster)...

**Net Closing in On Corrupt Police**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Pretoria - Deputy Police Minister Fikile Mbalula has warned that the days were numbered for police officers who abused the positions and dabbled in crime.Speaking

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (17-09-2010)**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... -o00o- For a change, there is quite a bit of news on Zimbabwe today, and I have no idea just how long this posting will be. So let's get to it. (By The BeardedMan)...

**Tsvangirai Meets Zuma Over Poll Roadmap**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Harare - Prime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai has met Sadc mediator in Zimbabwe Jacob Zuma to push for the immediate implementation of the regional bloc's roadmap towards free and fair elections in the co (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Land Invaders Burn Down Farm**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Alex BellA farmer in Chegutu has become the latest victim of the continued onslaught against the commercial farming community, after her property was burned down by land invaders this week.Catherin (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Nation Still One of Least Competitive Economies**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Paul NyakazeyaA recent report says Zimbabwe has become one of the world's least competitive economies, but analysts foresee growth if the relative stability brought about by the formation of the co (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: U.S. Gives 'Thorough' Study to Appeal for More Peacekeepers**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Susan RiceStatement by Ambassador Susan E. Rice, U.S. Permanent Representative to the United N! ations, at a Security Council Debate on Somalia, September 16,! 2010.Th ank you, Mr. President. Let me al (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Competition Watchdog Slams Steel Producer**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Linda EnsorCape Town - In terms of the agreement between Kumba Iron Ore and ArcelorMittal SA at the time of the unbundling of Iscor about 10 years ago.The high steel prices charged by ArcelorMittal (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Hunger Drops Mere Half a Percent over Last Decade**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Matthew O. BergerWashington - Ten years after setting the goal of halving the proportion of people suffering from poverty and hunger by 2015, only mixed success can be found for the U.N.'s Millenni (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Body Part Thieves Hit Mortuary**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Vincent Agoya/Maxwell MasavaNairobi - Panic struck relatives of the dead with reports of yet another corpse found mutilated at the Nairobi City Mortuary.Dozens of relatives thronged Kenyatta Nation (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Business Seeks Five-Year Election Freeze**
Friday 17-Sep-201! 0: By Bernard MpofuHarare - The Employers Confederation of Zimbabwe (Emcoz), a national grouping of private business leaders, has appealed to principals in the inclusive government to put a five-year mor (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Tsvangirai Will Not Rule, Even if Elected, Says Minister**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Tichaona SibandaZANU PF will never handover power to MDC leader Morgan Tsvangirai, even if he wins next year's elections, Presidential Affairs Minister Didymus Mutasa said on Wednesday.'Who! is Tsva (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Storm Over Veterans' Benefits**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Toivo NdjebelaWindhoek - A storm is brewing between the Ministry of Veterans Affairs and a section of former liberation struggle combatants who were captured by

at an Anti-Crime Summit in Pretoria o (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Govt Halts Pebble Bed Modular Reactor Project**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Pretoria - Government has decided to no longer invest in the Pebble Bed Modular Reactor (P! BMR) project, says Public Enterprises Minister Barbara Hogan."Without going into too much detail right now, go (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Critical Engagement Needed in Runup to January Referendum - Salva Kiir**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Washington, DC - Keynote Address on the Occasion of the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation 40th Annual Conference Foreign Affairs Brain Trust Event at the Washington Convention Center by Gen Salva (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Return of Banks Will Lead to Dog Fight - Tetrad**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Bernard MpofuThe re-emergence of more Zimbabwean banks will result in a serious dogfight over deposits as banking institutions struggle to sustain operations, a Tetrad Group report says.A weekly ma (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Cont! ract Row Threatens 1,000MW Alaoji Power Plant**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Ejiofor AlikeLagos - Nigeria's power sector roadmap, a comprehensive plan to ensure adequacy of electricity supply in the country recently unveiled by President Goodluck Jonathan, has come under a (By News Poster)...

**Niger: France Suspects Al-Qaeda Holding French Hostages**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: France suspects that seven people kidnapped while working for French companies in Niger are in the hands of Al-Q! aeda and are now being taken to a remote part of Mali, accordi! ng to Fo reign Minister Ber (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Govt Blames Former Central Bank Chief For Poor Economy**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Kunle AkogunAbuja - Former Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) Governor Chukwuma Soludo's warning of an impending economic crisis for the country yesterday drew the flaks of the Federal Government, which (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Elites Meet in Bid to Guard Country From 'Predator State'**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Franny RabkinJohannesburg - SA's political tumult loomed large at Liliesleaf Farm in Johannesburg yesterday as a group of business, legal and intellectual leaders came together to form a new civil (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Pollution Law Will Add to Landowners' Costs**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Jocelyn NewmarchJohannesburg - RESIDENTIAL and industrial property owners and polluters will soon be forced to clean up contaminated land when new sections of the National Environmental Management: (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: N5.2 Billion Alleged Fraud - CBN Clears Spring Bank's GMD**
Friday 17-Sep-2010! : By Kelvin EgerueLagos - Reprieve may have come the way of managers of Spring Bank Plc as authorities of Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) yesterday exonerated them of any complicity in the raging N5.2 bil (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Former Crimes Commission Boss Declares Presidential Bid**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Imam Imam, Paul Obi And Chineme OkaforLagos/Abuja - Former Chairman of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFFC), Mallam Nuhu Ribabu, has finally confirmed his intention to contes! t in the (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 'No Regrets Over Land Reform'**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By George Maponga in MasvingoHarare - Government does not regret embarking on the land reform programme to address historical land ownership imbalances in Zimbabwe, Minister of State for Presidential (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Family - 'Kano Murder Suspect Forced to Confess'**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Jaafar JaafarKano - A new twist was added to the story of the slain assistant director of State Security the then South African forces and ar (By News Poster)...

**Ageing Politicians Manifest Leadership Renewal Failure**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Leonard MakombePicture this: Zimbabwe's top three politicians, President Robert Mugabe and his two deputies Joice Mujuru and John Nkomo, have been in senior government posts for a combined total of (By News Poster)...

**Nullification and Sece! ssion - Rebellion in America**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [Michael Dean Miller in Florida sent us this. Jan] REBELLION IN AMERICA 5th state exempts guns. Is Washington noticing? 'I think they're going to let it ride, hoping some judge throws out case' (By Jan)...

**South Africa: Union Call for Weaker Currency Sparks Debate**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Mariam IsaJohannesburg - OF ALL the proposals put forward by the Congress of South African Trade Unions (Cosatu) this week, the call for measures to curb rand strength will trigger the most debate. (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Electoral Observatory Calls for Smaller CNE**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Maputo - The Electoral Observatory, Mozambique's main coalition of domestic election observers, on Thursday called for the National Elections Commisison (CNE) to be slimmed down to no more than seven (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Call to End Child Deaths From HIV**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Khopotso BodibeInternational donors and African governments have been called upon to commit financial resources for the elimination of HIV infection in children, which still remains high. In South (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: NNPC Acquires 55 Percent in Shell's Oil Blocks**
Fri! day 17-Sep-2010: Abuja - The Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation (NNPC) through its subsidiary, the Nigeria Petroleum Development Company (NPDC) has acquired 55% of Shell Petroleum Development Company's (SPDC's) o (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Hwange Power Station to Raise Generating Capacity**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Golden SibandaHarare - Zesa Holdings' Hwange Thermal Power Station is expected to raise its suppressed power generating capacity to 920 megawatts by June! next year.The power plant is currently unde (By News Poster).! ..

**Nigeria: Eight Killed As PDP, ANPP Supporters Clash in Zamfara**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Gusau - Eight people were killed and several others injured as supporters of Governor Mahmuda Aliyu Shinkafi of Peoples Democratic Party (PDP) and those of Senator Ahmed Sai Yarima of All Nigeria Peop (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Spring Bank Denies Fraud Allegations**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Lagos - Spring Bank Plc has debunked fraud allegations against its current management saying that the bank is on the desired platform for recovery.A recent report had alleged involvement of Spring Ban (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: UN Envoy Urges Authorities to Complete Remaining Tasks**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: With less than two years to go before the end of the transition period in Somalia, a top United Nations official on Thursday stressed the need to consolidate the fragile peace in the Horn of Africa na (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Govt Snubs Africa-Europe Energy Indaba**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Nqobile BhebheVienna - Zimbabwe blew an opportunity to lure international e! nergy investors when it snubbed the first high-ranking Africa-European Union Energy Partnership (AEEP) meeting in Vienna, (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Thousands Protest Corruption Body's Actions**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Dennis NakuPort Harcourt - At least 10,000 indigenes of Rivers State stormed the Port Harcourt office of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission

Service (SSS) who was murdered in Kano alongside his wife and three children when family mem (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Trust Bank Se! t to Rol l**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Bright MaderaHarare - Trust Banking Corporation Limited, which recently got back its banking licence, says it will start operating in January next year.Group company secretary, Mrs Florence Matambo (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Rescued Banks - CBN Will Not Accept Some Bids - Sanusi**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Amaka Ifeakandu With Agency ReportLagos - The governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN), Malam Lamido Sanusi Lamido, has! said that the apex bank had received bids for some of the nation's rescu (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Cabinet Approves 'Shoot to Kill' Bill**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Nickolaus BauerJohannesburg - Cabinet has rubber stamped a controversial law that will enhance the power the South African Police Service (SAPS) has in using lethal force when arresting suspected c (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: Boat Migration Season Off to Deadly Start**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: The United Nations refugee agency reported today that one person has been killed and others have drowned crossing the Gulf of Aden to start new lives in Yemen, indicating that mixed migration across t (By News Poster)...

**Man Repeatedly Rapes Stepdaughter**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Helvy ShaanikaOshakati - Police in the Omusati Region have arrested a man from Ondukuta village for raping his stepdaughter on numerous occasions.The grandmother of the 13-year-old victim opened a (By News Poster)...

**Sex Trade Thriving**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Alvine KapitakoWindhoek - The number of girls and women that enter the sex trade has increased s! o much that the prices they charge clients have decreased terr! ibly, a Roman Catholic Priest, Father H (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Supply Hitches Push Pump Prices to Two-Year High**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Zeddy SambuPetrol prices have touched the Sh100 mark - last seen in October 2008 - as a biting fuel shortage hits Kenya following a supply constraints arising from contamination of storage tanks in (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Forest Fires Destroy 250 000 Hectares of Land in Kavango**
Friday! 17-Sep-2010: SOME 250 000 hectares of land was scorched by forest fires raging in various parts of the Kavango Region since last week.The fires were fought at places like Ncuiba in Ndiyona Constituency, at some vi (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Judges Among Corruption Accused**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Wongai ZhangazhaHigh Court Judges are among judicial officers who could be receiving bribes, according to a senior Anti-Corruption Commission official who has revealed that graft has pervade! d virtu (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: News Anchor Beaten to Death With Metal Bar**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: On 13 September 2010, Dickson Ssentongo was waylaid by unidentified metal-bar welding men in Nantabulirirwa village. They reportedly beat him to death at 5:00 a.m. while he was on his way to his radio (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: 'No HIV Drugs, No Vote' Campaign On**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Ephraim KasoziKampala - People living with HIV have started a "no HIV drugs, no vote" campaign ahead of the 2011 general elections to propel candidates to prioritise HIV/Aids treatment in their man (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: The Po! litics o f Beans**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Just as President Hifikepunye Pohamba was launching the Agriculture Investment Conference in Windhoek on Wednesday, a group of farmers in Epukiro was meeting councillor Brave Tjizera on the same day t (By News Poster)...

**[Pic] S.Africa: A banner from a strike by Teachers...**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: A friend sent me this. This seems to be a banner that was displayed at a strike by teachers. So many

(EFCC) protesting the alleged commission's inte (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Communist Party Backs Nationalised Mines 'If Majority Benefits'**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Bekezela PhakathiCape Town - South African Communist Party (SACP) general secretary Blade Nzimande yesterday said the party supported the nationalisation of mines "as long as it benefits the overwh (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Mogadishu Clashes Kill 15**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: At least 15 people were killed and 50 other injured Thursday when fired mortar exchanged between government troops and Somali insurgents around the government buildings and Main Bakara market in Somal (By News Poster)...

**SK Moyo Adverts Raise Furore in Zanu Pf!**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Dumisani MuleyaA political ! row has erupted in Zanu PF over controversial newspaper adverts placed in the local and South African press by party chairman Simon Khaya Moyo.The issue has raised disqui (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Big Brother Africa - the Fast And the Furious!**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Natasha UysEISH BBA peoples, what's going on in this season of Big Brother Africa? Seems like almost all of the housemates either have some serious issues or they need to go for anger-management co (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Kidnapping - FG Mulls Strike Force**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Kingsley NwezehAbuja - Following rampant kidnappings and threats to national security ahead 2011 general elections, Federal Government said yesterday it was considering setting up a strike force ou (By News Poster)...

**OPEN LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT OF RWANDA**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [An African student in the UK sent this to us. Jan] OPEN LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT OF RWANDA Your excellence Mr.Paul Kagame Appeal on behalf of Pr. Peday Ntihanabayo I wish to tha (By Jan)...

**Rwanda: Rwamucyo Release Disrespectful - Ngoga**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Edwin MusoniKigali - Prosecutor General, Martin Ngoga, has said Wednesday's decision by a French court to release Eugene Rwamucyo, suspected of involvement in the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi, i (By News Poster)...

**Mali: Kidnap Threat Throws Spotlight On Local Aid Staff**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Dakar - A kidnap threat blocking Western aid workers from travelling to parts of Mali is hampering aid operations and underscoring the importance of local NGOs, humanitarian experts say.Several intern (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Global Institutions Must Be Reformed - Minister**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: Cape Town - The world's global financial institutions as well as UN organisations must be overhauled if developing nations are to tackle poverty, says the Minister of International Relations and Coope (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: 'In China, Soludo Would Have Been Shot'**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Oloruntobi OmotolaAbuja - The Movement for Defence of Nigerian Econ! omy (MDNE), being led by an elder statesman, Alhaji Shehu Ahmed, has blamed the former governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria (CB (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Former Anti-Corruption Official Enters Race for President**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: By Abdulmutallib a AbubakarThe race for the presidency of the Federal Republic widened yesterday with the formal entry of former chairman of the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission [EFCC] Malam N (By News Poster)...

**[2 Pics] S.Africa: Two excellent Obama posters modified for Jacob Zuma Julius Malema**
Friday 17-Sep-2010: [Jason, thanks a stack for this. Its excellent. Well said on both of those. Its the truth, especially the one about Malema. COSATU and the South African Communist Party are talking HARD COMMUNISM at t (By Jan)...

strikes have gone on .. I los! e track of it all. I don't even notice
these things any more. Everybo (By Jan)...

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