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# Daily AfricanCrisis News Digest for: Tuesday, 28th December 2010.

**Zimbabwe: Very Important: Eddie Cross: The situation is at its most dangerous point - My comments - Without Whites Zim would be nothing**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: [Let's have some deeper discussions about Zimbabwe and its current situation as it prepares to go to the polls in 2011 in a landmark election. It is good to see Eddie Cross writing from Zimbabwe. He a (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: Smuggling Thrives Along Borders**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Abuja, Port Harcourt, Uyo, Sokoto, Kebbi, Calabar, Ilorin, Lagos - Smuggling is the clandestine transportation of goods or persons past a prohibited point, in violation of applicable national laws or (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Gifts From Africa for Malaria, TB And HIV/Aids/! u>**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Comfort UmorenRecently, Frie! nds Afri ca gathered together corporate executives in Lagos to intimate them on the need to be part of the continental drive to eliminate the three pandemic diseases in A (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Jos Killings Continue**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Seriki Adinoyi and Senator Iroegbu in AbujaJos - There has been a resurgence of killings in Jos, Plateau State in reprisal against the multiple explosions, which occurred on Christmas Eve, killing (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: Winds of Change**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Vergnet, a French company, is installing the first wind farm, which will have the capacity to generate 120MW of electricity, in Ashegoda, located 20km from Mekelle, Tigray Regional State. Marc Vergnet (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Group Claims Responsibility for Jos Bombings**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Imam ImamLagos And Seriki Adinoyi in Jos - A previously unknown group, Jama'atu ahlus-Sunnah Lidda'awati wal Jihad, yesterday claimed responsibility for the Christmas Eve bomb blasts in Jos, Platea (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Boko Haram Suspects Attack Ch! urch, Kill Six**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Ndahi MaramaMaiduguri - IT was a black Christmas in Maiduguri, the Borno State capital, as 30 suspected Boko Haram armed members attacked Victory Baptist Church, Alamderi, and Sinimari Church of Ch (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Firming Rand Cited As Prices Soar**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Paul NyakazeyaPRICES of basic commodities have spiralled by about 14% since January owing to the firming of the South African rand against the US dollar whil! e a surge of crude oil on the world mark (By News Poster)...</! td>

**Nigeria: Xmas Tragedy - Four Killed in Ibadan**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Dele OgunyemiIbadan - IT was a tragedy at Gbekuba community in Apata-Ganga area of Ibadan Oyo State capital as four persons were shot dead during a raid by armed robbers.Several other residents of (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Website Claims Jos Bombings, Death Toll Revised to 86**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: A website claiming to belong to an Islamist sect has posted that the group carried out bombings in central Nigeria on Christmas eve, but police doubt the claim.The death toll from the bombings and an (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Haarkapper se lyk in kar voor winkel gekry. Hairdressers body found in front of shop**

**S.Africa: Liberal Businessman: Scientific method Theory: Your book is the only explanation of S.Africa southern Africa's situation**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: [Over the Christmas period I had a request for the e-book version of Government by Deception. The reader bought the book and read through it ! at a frenetic pace and came back to me very shortly thereaf (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: Bombings - Calm Returns to Jos**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Achor Abimaje, Gonji Palang and Abiodun OluwarotimiJos and New York - Business activities have picked up and normalcy is gradually returning to the city of Jos, the Plateau State capital, following (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: We Can Exhume the Corpses and Count, Says JTF Commander**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Jimitota OnoyumeAs Commander Joint Task Force, Operation Restore Hope, JTF, General Charles Omoregie is saddled with the task of ridding the area of hoodlums, sea pirates, illegal bunkers and other (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: In Search of Power Solution Through Natural Means**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Peter Onochie-IgbuduAbuja - With epileptic power supply in Nigeria; nature has provided solar/wind energy, which is practically the alternative we need as a nation to drive our economy.It is on rec (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: The Reality of Terrorism**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Sam Nda-IsaiahIt looks like Nigerians will now have to look forward to every Christmas wit! h bated breath. On Christmas Day last year, we all woke up to ! the very sad news that a 23-year-old Nigerian (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Soldiers Foil Fresh Explosions, Death Toll Rises to 80**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Taye ObateruJos - A FRESH attempt to bomb some parts of Jos was foiled, yesterday, after the Special Task Force which is maintaining security in Jos intercepted a group of people who were trying to (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Discriminatory, Unfair Land Ownership**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Eric BlochYET again the hierarchy of Zanu PF has expounded on that party's entrenched belief that Zimbabwean land is wholly and exclusively for the country's indigenous population. That racialistic (By News Poster)...

b>South Africa: Verkeersman op Kersdag gevang weens veediefstal. Traffic cop arrested on Christmass for cattle theft.
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: A farm worker who stole the cattle told the farmers about the traffic cop and the way he goes about it, because the cop did not pay him. 2000 cattle were stolen in the areea in the last month. The far (By Grazy)...

**Nigeria: 15-Man Robbery Gang Invades Shopping Mall, Kills Cop**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Godwin OritseA Gang of Dare devil armed robbers stormed Grocery Bazaar, the biggest shopping mall in Alimosho Local Government Area of Lagos State, killing one Policeman and shooting another on the (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 'Market-Friendly Policies Key to Growth'**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Shame MakoshoriZIMBABWE's economy registered positive growth in most sectors in 2010 riding on the success that started last year when government liberalised the ma! rket. In this interview with The (By News Poster)...

**Indian Firm Strikes Power Deal**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Dumisani NdlelaAN Indian firm has

Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Let us do the murder articles in the Afrikaans media that are not in the English media for today. Fast writeup: It looks like the guy was attacked at his home/hair salon, and driven to a autobank w (By Grazy)...

**Côte d'Ivoire: Political Impasse Sparks Food Price Hikes**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Abidjan - While political rivals in Côte d'Ivoire trade barbs, diplomats make declarations and regional groups issue warnings, many Ivoirians are eating less so they can feed their children, as (By News Poster)...

**Liberia: -Pro-Taylor Elements Still A Force To Be Reckoned With**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Tuesday, 10 March 2009, 12:51C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTION 01 OF 02 MONROVIA 000188SIPDISEO 12958 DECL: 03/10/2019TAGS PREL, PGOV, UNSC, PHUM, KCRM, LISUBJECT: PRO-TAYLOR ELEMENTS STILL A FORCE TO B (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Armed Forces Issues Statement On Its Attack On Alliance of Rebel Movements**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Khartoum - The spokesman of the Armed Forces, Lt. Col. Al-Sawarmi Khalid Saad, announced that the Armed Forces Friday evening attacked the alliance of the rebel Justice and Equality Movement and Sudan (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Another Journalist Killed in Jos Crisis**
T! uesday 28-Dec-2010: By Raymond GukasJos - Plateau State Council of Nigeria Union of Journalists (NUJ) has regretted the death of one of its members, Mr. Augustine Sindyi, a photo Journalist with Nigeria Standard Newspape (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Army Condemn Blasts in Jos, Say is Terrorism,Review Strategy**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Jimitota OnoyumePort Harcourt - The army has condemned Christmas eve's bomb blast in Jos which reportedly claimed the lives of some persons.Describing the incident as an ac! t of terrorism, the Chief (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Bankers Warn Over External Reserves**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Victor Ahiuma-YoungLagos - BANKERS in the country, weekend, said there was no justification for the nation's external reserve to plummet from US$62 billion in 2008 to the presentUS$34 billion at pr (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Fuel Queues, Black Market Resurface in Byo**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Nqobile BhebheFUEL queues resurfaced at filling stations in and around Bulawayo as prices went up, resulting in the re-emergence of the black market due to low supplies in the city.After a respite (By News Poster)...

**WikiLeaks Set To Reveal US-UFO War In Southern Ocean**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By: Sorcha Faal, and as reported to her Western Subscribers A new report circulating in the Kremlin today prepared for President Medvedev by Russian Space Forces (VKS) 45th Division of Space Cont (By Grazy)...

**Mozambique: Policeman Murdered in Beira Port**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Maputo - A police inspector died after he was severely beaten last week inside the police post in the central Mozambican port of Beira, according to a report on the independent television station, STV (By News Poster)...

**Côte d'Ivoire: Serap Petitions ICC Over Killings**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Omololu OgunmadeSocio-Economic Rights and Accountability Project (SERAP), has petitioned the International Criminal Court (ICC) to commence investigation into allegations of killings, rape and othe (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Crude Oil Price! Hits 2-Year High, Now $94**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Ndubuisi Francis With Agency ReportAbuja - Oil rose to a two-year high in New York on speculation that China's monetary tightening will sustain economic growth in the world's largest energy user, B (By News Poster)...

**Côte d'Ivoire: Crisis is an Object Lesson in the Perilous Politics of Exclusion**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Jenerali UlimwenguNairobi - The first president of Cote d'Ivoire, Felix Houphouet-Boigny, a committed Franc! ophile, was a minister in the French government in the mid 194! 0s, the first African to ser (By

been contracted to operate and maintain a local thermal power plant under a one year contract likely to be extended based on performance.Although official confirma (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Three D! ays Left Till Zim Deadline**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Nthambeleni GabaraPretoria - The final bells for the registration of illegal Zimbabweans living in South Africa are tolling, with only three days left before the deadline of 31 December 2010 as set (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Dealing With Corrupt Police Officers**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: EVERY Nigerian policeman, for uncountable reasons, believes he is a victim of the society he serves. A police refrain for years is! that each society deserves the police it gets. Nigeria cannot! be an e (By News Poster)...

**Diasporans Keen to Invest in Economic Revival**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Brian ChitembaZIMBABWE has lost millions of its skilled and experienced manpower to the diaspora and, if given a chance by government, they have the potential to help the country's economy revive.F (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: HIV/Aids Strategy in Country**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Winifred OgbeboAbuja - The National Agency for the Control of AIDS NACA, on the 25th of March this year, publicly presented five National HIV strategic documents including the National HIV policy r (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Tsvangirai to Remain at the Helm of MDC**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Faith ZabaT leader Morgan Tsvangirai will remain at the helm of his party after its national council reached a consensus last week not to challenge him at the party's congress to be held by May 30 (By News Poster)...

**Togo: COAS - JTF Has Committed No Genocide in Niger Delta**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Muhammad Bello And Omon-Julius OnabuPort Harcourt/Warri! - Chief of Army Staff, Lt.-Gen. Azubuike Ihejirika has denied that the Joint Military Task Force (JTF) in the Niger Delta committed genocide (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Bloemfonteiner met klippe doodgeslaan. W-man fron Bloemfontein stoned to death**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: The man was ambushed at the gate to his plot after he fetch mony from his filling station business. The killers stoned him and drove away with his Peugot 407, but rolled the car near the place where (By Grazy)...

**Nigeria: Diamond Bank Reiterates Commitment to SMEs, Development**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Peter EgwuatuDiamond Bank Plc has declared that for the country to achieve the desired economic development there is need to grow the Small and Medium Scale Enterprises (SMEs).The Bank said it will (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Bill 'will make farmers wary of hiring'**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Ja well, as we3've seen, the blacks feel themselfs entiteled to kill if they are fired already. 2010-12-28 09:42 Johannesburg - Proposed changes to the laws on security of land tenure and the e (By Grazy)...

**Kenya: Pupil Shot At Anti-Drugs Protest Rally**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Mwakera MwajefaNairobi - Chaos broke out at an anti-drugs demonstration in Kisauni, Mombasa on Monday.A 16-year-old pupil was among four protesters who were seriously injured when unknown people at (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Terrorists Are Invading the Nation - CAN**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Etaghene EdirinPRESIDENT of the Christian Association of Nigeria, (CAN) Pastor Ayo Oritsejafor yesterday urged the federal government to fish out those he called agents of terrorism who are out to (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Armed Youths Block Bid to Resettle IDPs**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By George SayagieNairobi - Armed Maasai youths continued to keep vigil at the controversial 2,400-acre Rose Farm in Mau Narok to prevent government surveyors from sub-dividing it.A contingent of secur (By News Poster)...

News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Crowd Kills Policeman in Cabo Delgado**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Maputo - A group of youths in a village in northern Mozambique attacked and killed a policeman on Christmas Day.According to a report in the independent daily "O Pais", the incident occurred in Matamb (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Commodity Dealers Optimistic of Another Good Run in 2011**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Allan OdhiamboKenyan horticulture, tea and coffee growers are upbeat the upturn in global economic recovery that lifted commodity prices in 2010 will be sustained next year, but lingering economic (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: The Bar Loses a Gem**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Jude IgbanoiA few hours to Christmas last week, the Nigerian Bar went into mourning with the painful demise of Mrs. Sylvia Shinaba SAN on Thursday evening.Many remember her as the consummate defend (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Man bloei 6 ure ná skoot**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: A pensioner, Mr. Willie van Zyl (58), Has been shot in the face b! y 4 attackers in a house robbery. He lie bleeding for 6 hours, but is alive in hospital. 2010-12-27 21:49 Hilda Fourie 'n Pensioe (By Grazy)...

**Somalia: Overnight Fighting Kills Five in Mogadishu**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Mogadishu - At least 5 people have been killed and more than 10 others wounded after government forces backed by African Union peacekeepers attacked by fighters loyal to Al shabaab movement, witnesses (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Freda Rebecca Earns U.S.$13.5 Million**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Bernard MpofuFREDA Rebecca realised US$13,5 million from gold sales after output reached a targeted 30 000 ounces as Zimbabwe's gold industry maintains last year's upward trend.Unaudited results fo (By News Poster)...

**East Africa: Nation's Coffee, Tea and Mineral Exports Rise**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Berna NamataNairobi - A large increase in Rwanda's exports is expected to narrow the country's widening trade gap this season.The gap between exports and imports is expected to end with a moderate (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: Brehan's First-Year Loss Lower Than Other Newcomer Banks**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Hailu TeklehaimanotA newcome! r to the banking industry, Berhan International Bank (BIB) declared a 5.9 million Br loss after its first nine months of operations; it amounts to half and one third of (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Severed arm found on golf estate**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: I just had to include some comments here down below. (Grazy) 2010-12-28 11:18 Pretoria - A severed arm was found on the river bank of a golf estate at the Irene Country Club in Centurion, Gaute (By Grazy)...

**Nigeria: Jonathan Lacks the Will to Solve Niger Delta Problems - Princewill/! b>**
**Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By James UmePrince Tonye Princewill was a gubernatorial candidate of the ACN in the 2007 general elections in Rivers State. In this interview with James Ume he spoke with a burning passion about the N (By News Poster)...**

**Jonathan, West African Leaders Meet Over Ivory Coast (news)**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: West African leaders held emergency talks yesterday in Abuja on the Ivory Coast crisis with the United States searching for more UN troops and France of! fering Laurent Gbagbo a final chance to step asi (By News Post! er).../td>

**Nigeria: Middle Belt Condemns Jos Bomb Blasts**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Luka BinniyatThe Middle Belt Dialogue, MDB, made up of all ethnic minorities of Northern Nigeria, over the weekend, condemned the multiple bomb blasts that rocked Jos town, Plateau State, leaving s (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Grand Graft - PCCB Tilting at Windmills**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Hours after my piece titled 'Graft war: if Hosea's right on this, then we're finished!' was out on December 19, I received an email on it! I love it when someone somewhere gets back to me on a message (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: 'My Abductors Beheaded Six Persons in my Presence'**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: ! By Baba YusufA kidnapped victim, Miss Ihedioha Joy, said her abductors beheaded about six other victims kept in the same room with her.Miss Joy was later found in an unconscious state around Apo round (By News Poster)...

**Gambia: Managing Director of AMRC Testifies Before Lands Commission**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: By Lamin SanyangThe Managing Director of AMRC, Mr Abdoulie Tamba testified before the Lands Commission at the High Court in Banjul on the 23rd December 2010 on the allocation and demarcat! ion of State, (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Branchless Banking Opportunities Excite Experts**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: The planned introduction of branchless banking in Nigeria by 3Line Card Management in partnership with some Nigerian banks has excited experts in the industry.The company is set to unveil light bankin (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: 20 killed in Eastern Cape over weekend**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: 2010-12-28 11:18 East London - At least 20 people were murdered in the Eastern Cape over the long weekend, police said on Tuesday. Thirteen of them were in the Lusikisiki area and three were vi (By Grazy)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (28-12-2010)**
Tuesday 28-Dec-2010: Howzit It actually snowed for about thirty minutes yesterday, but it didn't settle. It rained overnight, washing any stubborn snowfall away and it remains very cold here in Derby. We have been warn (By The BeardedMan)...

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