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### Africa: How the West Won Control Over Africa
Friday 08-Apr-2011: THE popular uprisings in north Africa affecting Tunisia, Egypt and Libya took Africa by surprise.Stunned by the events we watched unfolding on TV, and unable to quickly decide how we should respond, w (By News Poster)...

### South Africa: Trickle Up Instead of Trickle Down
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Glenn AshtonWith between 24% and 44% of the South African workforce out of work, joblessness and poverty are ticking time bombs we cannot ignore, especially given that more than half of 15 to 24 ye (By News Poster)...

### Zimbabwe: Tsvangirai Tightens Screws On Mugabe
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Dumisani MuleyaHarare - PRIME Minister Morgan Tsvangirai is tightening the screws on President Robert Mugabe within! the southern African region, further isolating him ahead of a! n antici pated extrao (By News Poster)...

### S.Africa: I am considering doing something totally illegal in the name of free speech and freedom of expression
Friday 08-Apr-2011: I have been busy and making progress on all my tasks. Then today I received a request which actually is illegal. If you think that the things I have done in the past will get me into trouble... th (By Jan)...

### Cote d'Ivoire: Refugees Report Murder, Rape, Abuse in Liberia
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Dakar - Ivoirians who have fled across the border to Liberia have reported incidents of rape, sexual abuse and murder to NGOs and human rights groups working in Grand Geddeh and Nimba counties.Childre (By News Poster)...

### Zimbabwe: Region Begins to Tell Mugabe 'Enough Is Enough'
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Cheryl HendricksOver the past decade Zimbabwe has been a constant feature on the SADC Organ on Politics, Defence and Security Co-operation's agenda. In September 2008, SADC was finally able to medi (By News Poster)...

### North Africa: North African Dispatches - Why Algeria is Different
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Imad MesdouaIn contrast to its North African neighbours, Algeria has yet to see sustained mass protests from a broad base of its population. Imad Mesdoua discusses why this is the case.He's gone! P (By News Poster)...

### Drugs: Drug Turns Crime Victims Into Zombies
Friday 08-Apr-! 2011: I post this abecause of the e-mail below I received. I did a search with Google, and below the e-mail is an article I found on the drug that is mentioned. (Grazy) This happened in Glenwood, Pretor (By Grazy)...

### Plaasmorde Attacks Rise Since ETB Murder
Friday 08-Apr-2011: A total of 77 attacks in which 51 people were murdered have taken place on farms across South Africa in the year since AWB leader Eugene Terre'Blanche was savagely killed, allegedly by workers on his (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

### Cote d'Ivoire: Manufacturing Côte d'Ivoire's 'Good Guy'
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By By Tendai Marima *London - As Côte d'Ivoire's bloody leadership contest draws to a close and the surrender of Laurent Gbagbo, the incumbent president, seems imminent, a long list of atrocitie (By News Poster)...

### Zimbabwe: Farming Community Mourns 'White African' Mike Campbell
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Alex BellZimbabwe's farming community is mourning the death of former Chegutu farmer, Mike Campbell, who passed away in Harare on Wednesday.Mike gained international recognition when he led a landm (By News Poster)...

### Uganda: How Banks Can Support Business Growth
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Andrew M. MwendaA great business can close in infancy, not because it is loss making but because it cannot get credit to overcome its initial cash flow constraints.Here is the performance of Uganda (By News Poster)...

### "Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (08-04-2011)
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... -o00o- I fully realise that news of Mike Campbell's death was on yesterday's posting, but I felt that this article was worth something as it gave (By The BeardedMan)...

### Nigeria: Violence, Threat to April Elections
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Kola OdepejuWe did warn severally and those of us who have for long been expressing concern about the threat which insecurity poses to the successful conduct of April polls, are now being vindicate (By News Poster)...

### Sudan: W. Equatoria an! d Lakes State Resolve to Deploy Neutral Force to Curb Clashes
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Yambio and Rumbek - An attack on the Jur community in Mvolo County in Western Equatoria state by a group believed to be Dinka Atuot from neighboring Lakes state on Tuesday 5 April has killed 11 people (By News Poster)...

### MDC-T Caught in Act
Friday 08-Apr-2011: SOME rowdy MDC-T youths who were part of a group that was unveiling tombstones at Warren Hills Cemetery ran amok on Wednesday afte! rnoon and attacked several mourners, including Zanu-PF support! ers who (By News Poster)...

### South Africa: Sandf Registering Successes, Says Sisulu
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Pretoria - A number of successes have been achieved in addressing the systemic challenges within the SANDF, says Minister of Defence and Military Veterans, Lindiwe Sisulu.Speaking at a lunch with the (By News Poster)...

### Zimbabwe: At Least 14 MDC Hospitalized After Cemetery Attacks By Zanu Pf
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Tererai KarimakwendaDetails have been revealed of how ZANU PF youths and "armed men in riot gear" brutally attacked innocent civilians on Wednesday, at a memorial service for five MDC members who w (By News Poster)...

### Africa: Will Swaziland Become the Next Tunisia Or ! Egypt?
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Peter KenworthyFayad Pro-democracy campaign groups are calling for an 'April 12 Uprising' in Swaziland. Peter Kenworthy assesses the potential impact of the campaign.Inspired by Tunisia and Egypt, (By News Poster)...

### Cote d'Ivoire: Sick, Wounded, Hungry Stranded in Homes
Friday 08-Apr-2011: As the political stalemate drags on in Cote d'Ivoire, the humanitarian situation in the countryside and in the main city, Abidjan, continues to deterior! ate. In Abidjan, especially, conditions have wor

**S.Africa: Fracking up the Karoo**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Are we trying to emulate the Americans in selling our souls for a few dollars? And if Shell is involved in all these 'dirty tricks'why havent they been charged in the World Court by now? - - - - - - (By Paul)...

**South Africa: SA Faces Tight Energy Supply**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Johannesburg - Public Enterprises Minister Malusi Gigaba says South Africa will do everything in its power to manage its tight energy supply to avoid outages such as those experienced three years ago. (By News Poster)...

**Remittances to Africa Hit U.S.$40 Billion in 2010**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Favour NnabugwuThirty million Africans across the globe have directly invested $40 billion into the continent economy in 2010.According to a survey carried by African Development Bank and the World (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Five Feared Dead as Residents Fight Evictors**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Fidelis ButaheFive people were feared dead yesterday following a clash between residents of Madale in Dar es Salaam and employees of a court broker on the outskirts of the city.The Kinondoni Region (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Britian Must Own Up Over Mau Mau**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Waikwa WanyoikeA number of Mau Mau Veterans are in London, England for! proceedings relating to their case for compensation for damages arising from the torture and serious human rights violations t (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Puntland Security Forces Apprehended PDRC Director Killers**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Puntland security forces nabbed in search operation two of the murders that killed the senior staff of Puntland Development Research Centre (PDRC), Mohamed Yassin Isse on 6th April, Radio Garowe repor (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Wi-Fi - Scottish Isles Meets Africa On the Same Road to Providing Service to Scattered Populations**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Russell SouthwoodLondon - Getting voice and data to Africa's remaining un-served citizens will be a tough nut to crack.Some mobile operators are already saying that 10-15% of their existing base st (By News Poster)...

**Wal-Mart Takeover Deal in Court's Hands**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Werner MengesA legal battle that could determine the fate of American retail giant Wal-Mart's planned multibillion-dollar takeover of South Africa's Massmart group was fought in the High Court in W (By News Poster)...

**North Africa: Arab Crises! to Affe ct Other Oil-Producing Countries**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Bamidele Ogunwusi With Agency ReportThe ongoing political and social crises in the Arab world have been described as a negative one with "dramatic" implications for energy markets in coming years.C (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Patients On Arvs Hard Hit By Drought, High Food Prices**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Nakuru/Isiolo - When IRIN/PlusNews recently visited Nuna Kahiro, 75, in Kenya's Rift Valley town of Nakuru, s! he asked the same question she asks everyone who visits: "Did you bring me anything to eat? (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: 'It Don't Matter If You're Black Or White'**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Christof MaletskyTHE latest Employment Equity Commission (EEC) report has shown that race is still a big issue in Namibia.This means racial tension will continue to rear its ugly head in the workpl (By News Poster)...

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**Niger: Crisis, What Crisis?**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Magaria - The evening meal will be stewed leaves tasting somewhat like spinach, which the women pick every morning, yet crops were standing tall before the leafhoppers flew into Zinder in Niger and de (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: EU, UK Pledge Support for SADC's Election Roadmap Plans**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Alex BellThe European Uni! on (EU) and the United Kingdom (UK) have this week both pledged to support plans for an election roadmap for Zimbabwe, drafted by the South African Development Community (S (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Hague Court Warns Polls Violence Accused Over Hate Speech**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Nzau MusauThe Ocampo Six face arrest if they continue to behave in a manner likely to trigger violence in Kenya.The ICC Pre-Trial Chamber II presiding judge Ekaterina Trendafilova issued the warnin (By News Poster).! ..

**Sudan: Hamas Official in Charge of Weapons Killed in Port Sudan Attack - Report**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Khartoum - The target of the air strike launched by an a foreign plane was a senior official in the Islamic militant group Hamas which controls Gaza strip, according to Al-Arabiya TV channel based in (By News Poster)...

**Djibouti: Govt Cracks Down As Country Goes to Polls**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: London - The government of Djibouti should immediately end its systematic crackdown on peaceful critics and the political opposition, Human Rights Watch said today.Presidential elections are scheduled (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Darfur Rebe! l Leader Condemns Killing of UNAMID Peacekeeper**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Khartoum - A Darfur rebel group condemned today the killing of a female peacekeeper in Darfur and accused Khartoum's supported militias of being behind this aatck.the female police adviser was killed (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: We Are Ready to Kill, GOC Warns Political Thugs**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Tunde Sanni and Segun JamesIbadan and Yenagoa - General Officer ! Commanding {GOC}, 2 Division of the Nigerian Army, Major General Muhammad Abubakar, has declared that soldiers have been ordered to s (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Aids T-Shirt Campaign Confronts Stigma, Silence**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: The Illinois Alliance for Sound Aids Policy ( IL ASAP ) , a project of the AIDS Foundation of Chicago ( AFC ) , has launched a year-long anti-stigma T-shirt campaign to confront the stigma and silence (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Government Identifies Victims of Air Strike on Coastal City**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Khartoum - The Sudanese government on Thursday unveiled the names of the two people killed in a car that was the target of an apparent air strike yesterday.The attack took place in an area known as Ka (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Local Elections Spark Ferment**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Richard PithouseThe local government elections are just over a month away and there is an astonishing degree of ferment. Various groups have announced a no vote position, others are running indepen (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: Crime ! - Does this bizarre sex crime really take place in South Afric! a? Do me n pay money to rape women?**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: I heard a most bizarre story from a former journalist who said that at one point in his career he did a story on prostitution in the Pretoria CBD (Central Business District - "inner city" as Americans (By Jan)...

**Africa: Why Africans Lose Faith in Elections and**

**Rwanda: The National Spirit Has Prevailed - Kagame**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Edwin MusoniKigali - President Paul Kagame, yesterday, said that the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi was an attack on 'Rwanda's body' of but the spirit of the nation never succumbed.The President w (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: ICC Warns Ocampo Six Over Hate Speech**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Nzau MusauThe Hague - The Ocampo Six face arrest if they continue to behave in a manner likely to trigger violence in Kenya.The ICC Pre-Trial Chamber II presiding judge Ekaterina Trendafilova issue (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Unknown Militiame! n Kills Government Soldiers**
Friday 08-Apr-2011:! Unknown gunmen overnight killed two Somali government soldiers in Darkanley district in Mogadishu, the capital of Somalia, Radio Garowe reports.Farah, a witness told Garowe Online "Militiamen shot two (By News Poster)...

**Comoros: Govt Wage Bill Balloons**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Johannesburg - The convoluted transition of the Comoros presidency could push the government's wage bill to more than three-quarters of its revenue, "exceeding [its] budgetary capacity", the Internati (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: More Leaders Suspected of Polls Violence Appear in Court**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Three senior Kenyan officials, including the deputy prime minister, today appeared before the International Criminal Court (ICC), which set 21 September as the date for the start of a hearing on the c (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Regional Bloc Not a Trade Issue**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Isolda AgazziGeneva - "IBSA what?" is the question you most often get in Geneva when enquiring about the India-Brazil-South Africa (IBSA) dialogue forum, established in 2003 between these three mul (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Police ! Trail Two Politicians for Arms, Violence**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Gbenga FaturotiOsogbo - Detectives from Osun State Police Command are on the trail of two prominent politicians on the platform of Peoples Democratic Party (PDP) for allegedly sponsoring violence a (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Turned Back At the Border**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Nairobi - Just when he thought he had found sanctuary in Kenya, Hassan Abdulle, 43, says he was ordered by security officials there to cross the nearby border back into the battle-scarred Somali town (By News Poster)...

**Libya: Opposition Struggles As Gaddafi's Forces Advance**Friday 08-Apr-2011: Forces loyal to Libyan leader Moamer Kadhafi shelled the edge of Ajdabiya on Friday forcing rebels to retreat. The assault comes a day after many insurgents and civilians stampeded out of the east cit (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Hague Prosecutor Wants Kenya Suspects Gagged**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Nzau MusauThe International Criminal Court Chief Prosecutor Luis Moreno Ocampo wants the six post-election violence suspects gagged and ordered t! o appear before the judges every six months.Ocampo a (By News ! Poster). ..

**Rwanda: Genocide Survivors Recount The Horror**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Dan NgabonzizaGatsibo - Trauma yesterday engulfed mourners in Murambi Sector, Gatsibo District as hundreds of residents commemorated the Genocide against Tutsi.At the Rwankuba Cell playground, home (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: SADC Plans Extraordinary Summit On Govt**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: AN extraordinary Sadc heads of state summit has been slated for next month as regional leaders move to decisively deal with Zimbabwe's protracted political stalemate, amid mounting diplomatic tensions (By News Poster)...

**Democracy**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Thalif DeenAs the resounding cry for multi-party democracy reverberates violently throughout the Middle East, the African continent, long k! nown for military rule and dictatorial regimes, is readyin (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: US Sterilisation Project Sets Sights On HIV+ Women**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Anso ThomA controversial US project that pays drug users and alcoholics to undergo sterilisation or long-term contraception, is setting its sights on women living with HIV in South Africa.Founder o (By News Poster)...

**Zambia: Recounting Agoa's Impact**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By James MuyanwaWHEN, in May 2000, the American Congress approved legislation of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA), the congress men and women might have not foreseen the impact the Act wo (By News Poster)...

**Britain Pledges to Fund Election Road Map**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Britain is ready to provide funding for the roadmap to Zimbabwe's elections and is working with the Southern African Development Community in that regard, the British Parliament heard this week.Britis (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 'Police Biased Over Political Violence'**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Tendai ZhanjeHarare - JOINT Monitoring and Implementatio! n Committee (Jomic) co-chairperson Opah Muchinguri blamed poli! tical pa rties for the escalation of violence in the country.Addressing delegate (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: GPA Parties Begin Formal Talks On Electoral Roadmap**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Tichaona SibandaThe three political parties in the Global Political Agreement (GPA) on Thursday began formal talks to draw up an electoral roadmap, that is hoped will pave the way for free and fair (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: The Morgues in the townships are over-full with dead bodies of blacks.... and...**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Another thing I heard from the former journalist, which he says was actually exposed by the journalistic TV program Carte Blanche was this. He said he saw morgues in the townships where there are s (By Jan)...

**Ghana: New Oil Contracts Cause Controversy**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Steve ManteawNatural resource contracting though essentially a procurement activity is not subject to the national procurement law.The situation, according to participants at a recently held roundt (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Nation Needs Vibrant Foreign Exchange Market That Limits CBK Interventions**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Jacob OduorThe currency debate is inviting any other day and that is why in the recent past analysts and policy mandarins have been tackling what the weakening Kenyan Shilling means for the economy (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Top Court Backs Free Speech in Key Case**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By JohannesburgThe Constitutional Court in a majority judgment on Friday upheld the Citizen newspaper's appeal in a defamation case against former Ekurhuleni metro police chief, Robert McBride.In the (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: High Court Orders Halt to Mass Grave Exhumations**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Lance GumaThe High Court ! in Bulawayo on Thursday ordered an obscure ZANU PF group, called the Fallen Heroes' Trust, to stop the exhumation of unidentified skeletons and bodies found in a disused mi (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Chinese Bid for Uranium Shares**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Desie HeitaWindhoek - Extracting the largest discovered uranium deposits in the country by Swakop Uranium requires N$12 billion, funds which Extract Resources, owners of the mine are confident they

**Li bya: Hundreds of Fleeing People Drown**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: UN High Commissioner for Refugees, Antonio Guterres and UNHCR Goodwill Ambassador Angelina Jolie expressed deep shock today at the reported drownings of 213 people in rough waters some 60 kilometres o (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Vaccine Fears Fuel Measles Outbreak**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Nairobi - The cause of a measles outbreak in Somalia has yet to be determined but doctors say initial suspicions point to "unfounded rumours" t! hat the vaccine could cause HIV/AIDS in children and inte (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Editors Welcome Top Court's Backing for Free Expression**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: The SA National Editors' Forum (Sanef) welcomes the majority decision of the Constitutional Court in upholding the Citizen newspaper's appeal in a defamation case against former Ekurhuleni Metro polic (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Scores injured in Pretoria train crash**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Pretoria - A man was killed and scores were injured when two passenger trains collided on a rail bridge above John Vorster Drive in Rosslyn, Pretoria, on Friday, paramedics said. Netcare911 paramed (By Grazy)...

(By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Alleged Fraudster to Apply for Bail**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: By Magreth NunuheWindhoek - Esmerelda Majiedt, the alleged mastermind of the N$71.3 million fraud case that crippled cement giant Afrisam will be kept at Wanaheda Police Station cells until April 19 f (By News Poster)...

**Libya: Rebels Flee Rumoured Advance in Ajdabiya By Loyalists**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: Libyan rebels and civilians are reported to be fleeing the eastern town of Ajdabiya on Thursday following rumours that forces loyal to leader Moamer Kadhafi were at the gates of the town. Families pac (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Africa ! Typical Governing Model Concept Rejected**
Friday! 08-Apr- 2011: Luanda - Angolan jurist and dean of the Law Faculty of the Agostinho Neto University (UAN), Raul Araújo, Wednesday in Luanda, rejected the typical models of Government for Africa, stating each (By News Poster)...

**ATTENTION: URGENT REQUEST FOR YOUR OPINIONS AND VIEWS ABOUT FORMING A RADICAL POLITICAL PARTY IN ZIMBABWE**
Friday 08-Apr-2011: People are suggesting that we launch a political party- (Front to liberate Zimbabwe) to resist ZANU PF decades of tyrannical rule, torture, murder and state starvation. With people succeeding in re (By Collen Makumbirofa)...

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