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# Daily AfricanCrisis News Digest for: Tuesday, 24th August 2010.

**[8 Pics] S.Africa: The airline with the best sense of humor in the world...**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [Kulula is a South African airline with a very distinctive, "laid-back" style. Their call centre agents even speak a "Kulula lingo".... This email was doing the round about Kulula. I don't know if all t (By Jan)...

**The ANC Has Not and Shall Not Wilt Under Criticism or Close Scrutiny (document)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Pallo JordanFreedom of expression, of which is Media Freedom an important dimension, is one of the fundamental rights South Africans secured through the democratic political revolution of 1994. Aft (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Inflation Rate Drops**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Bright MaderaHarare - For second month running, the year-on-year inflation rate has slackened, dropping 1,2 percentage points to 4,1 percent from 5,3 percent in June, the Zimbabwe Statistical Agenc (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Drug Mule Gets Five Years in Zambia**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Jeff KapembwaLusaka - Olivia Shilunga, a Namibian business executive, has been jailed for five years by a Zambian court for trafficking in drugs.Shilunga, 34, was sent to prison by Lusaka Chief Res (By News Poster)...

**F! rom Jan: Interesting conversations I've had including: What BLACKS think of a WHITE COUNTRY in Africa!!!!**
Wednesday 25-Aug-2010: I have had the most interesting conversations of late. I also don't know how it happened... but blacks at my work are debating politics second to none. The blacks are arguing with each other almost da (By Jan)...

**Six MPs Dead in Attack On Mogadishu Hotel (news)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Somalia's Islamist Shebab group carried out! a suicide attack on a hotel in Mogadishu Tuesday, killing at ! least 30 people including six members of parliament. Two Islamist militants disguised as govern (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Proposal to Acquire a Controlling Stake in Nedbank Group**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Old Mutual plc ('Old Mutual') wishes to announce that it has received a proposal from HSBC Holdings plc ('HSBC') to acquire a controlling shareholding in Nedbank Group Limited ('Nedbank Group') ('the (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: World-Famous Tuli Cattle Breeders Thrown Off Farm**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Bertha ShokoA lifetime of hard work by Len Harvey saw him establish a very popular indigenous breed of cattle that helped put Zimbabwe on the world map.The Tuli cattle are now a must-have breed for (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Set On Being Africa's Most Admired Bank**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Sure KamhungaJohannesburg - FROM operating in the shadows of its three larger rivals, Nedbank could by the end of November be catapulted into the big league, if HSBC succeeds in prising it away fro (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: ! Zuma in China to Boost Ties**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Pretoria - President Jacob Zuma has arrived in China for a three-day state visit to boost trade with China, South Africa's largest export destination by country.The visit forms part of a worldwide tou (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Old Mutual, HSBC Talk a Deal for 70 Percent of Nedbank**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Sure KamhungaJohannesburg - OLD Mutual yesterday ended market speculation about the future of

**[Cartoons] The Best Arizona Illegal Immigrant cartoons - I love Arizona...**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [These are fabulous! I got them from Jennifer. Jan] (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (Photo) (By Jan)...

**USA: disgraceful Military pay... Please show your support for American fighting men women...**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [Jennifer sent this. It's disgusting. Please show your support for these military people by spreading this around. Jan] Jennifer commented: It's a freaking disgrace what they pay our military. (By Jan)...

**ANC Strikes Out At Genocide Charges**
Wednesday 25-Aug-2010: South Africa's ruling ANC Party has dismissed genocide charges filed by an Afrikaner farmer at the United Nations as "ludicrous." "We think it is ludicrous in the extreme," spokesperson Themba Mase (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

**South Africa: Defence Force Loses Rocket Launchers, Assault Rifles**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Wyndham HartleyCape Town - Rocket launchers that can be used to stop tanks, mortars and automatic assault rifles are among a batch of weapons lost by the South African National Defence Force (SANDF (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Health Minister Warns of Murder as Staff Strike at Hospitals**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Khopotso BodibeGovernment got an interdict over the weekend ordering public service workers to return back to work. In the wake of the strike last week, public sector hospitals, which already opera (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Nation Becomes a Victim of its ARV Treatment Success**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Kerry CullinanDurban - Almost a million South Africans are already on lifelong antiretroviral (ARV) treatment and this number is supposed to triple in the next decade if the South African governmen (By News Poster)...

**Congo-Kinshasa: UN Confirms Reported Gang Rape of Women by Rebels in DRC Congo**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: A United Nations human rights team has confirmed that members of two armed groups in the volatile east of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) raped more than 150 women during an attack on a village (By News Poster)...

**Congo-Kinshasa: Naomi Campbell - Warrior As Model**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By O Wei LakemfaSUPER British model Naomi Campbell init! ially declined when invited to testify against former Liberian! preside nt, Charles Taylor at his ongoing trial at the United Nations special court (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Lwemiyaga MP Sekikubo Fights Police Again**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Dismus BuregyeyaKampala - Gunshots rocked Lwemiyaga in Ssembabule district yesterday when area MP Theodore Sekikubo and the Police engaged in running battles again.Deputy Police commander Charles N (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Wanted Terror Suspect Arrested in City Swoop**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Fred MukindaNairobi - Police are holding a man suspected to have masterminded the 2002 Kikambala bombing.Detectives are carrying out further tests to establish whether the suspect is Mr Issa Osman (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: National Bank Sets Deadline for Share Phase Out**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Mikias SebsibeThe National Bank of Ethiopia (NBE) ordered commercial banks to implement a new

Nedbank , by confirmi! ng talks with HSBC which could buy up to 70% of the bank in a ! deal pot entially wor (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Okada Riders - Victims of Extortion**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Lagos - No doubt, the controversy trailing the enforcement on the ban which stops motorcyclists, popularly called okada operating on expressways and major roads, carrying visibly pregnant women, schoo (By News Poster)...

**Burundi: Investigate Those Accused of Torturing Opposition Politicians**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Burundian authorities must investigate allegations that state security officials tortured 12 opposition politicians during the country's recent elections, Amnesty International said today.A Step (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Price War Looms As New Phone Firm Enters Market**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Samuel KamndayaMobile phone tariff wars are expected to rekindle as the latest entrant in the market starts operations next January. Armed with a Sh300 billion ($200 million) capital investment the (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: One Year of Sanusi Reforms**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: IT is a little over a year that Lamido S! anusi Lamido swept away eight bank chief executives, and some of their directors, in a move the Central Bank of Nigeria Governor said would sanitise the banks a (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Exports Boost Zimplow Revenue by 72 Percent**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Tawanda MusarurwaHarare - Zimplow Limited notched up US$3,4 million in revenue during the six months to June 2010, an increase of 72 percent from the previous comparative period.The performance is (By News Poster)...

**Sierra Leone: Bank of Salone in Shady Vehicle Loans**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Jariatu BanguraFreetown - The Auditor General's report has charged the Bank of Sierra Leone of breaching official policies in issuing out vehicle loans to staff.The 2008 report also indicated that (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Sasol Awaits Chinese Review**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Siseko NjobeniJohannesburg - EXPERTS appointed by the Chinese government to review the project application report that Sasol and the Shenhua Ningxia Coal Group have submitted for their proposed coa (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Open for Business-Zuma Tells Chin! ese /u>**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Pretoria - President Jacob Zuma has declared to Chinese's business executives that South Africa is open for business.Addressing a forum of business executives from China and South Africa on Tuesday on (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: UN Relief Chief Urges Unfettered Access for Aid Workers in Darfur**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: The top United Nations humanitarian official on Monday urged all parties to the conflict in the war-torn Sudanese region of Darfur today to e! nsure that humanitarian workers are free of harassment and (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Mob Justice Kills Three in Beira**
Wednesday 25-Aug-2010: Maputo - Three people died after being severely beaten by residents in the neighbourhood of Munhava, in the city of Beira, Sofala province. According to Radio Mozambique, the deceased were accused by (By News Poster)...

**Central Africa: Gun Trafficking Rampant in West Nile, Says Army**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Dradenya AmaziaKampala - Gidu showing the pistol he was arrested withThe UPDF has decried the increasing rate of gun trafficking in West Nile. The 4th Division army spokesperson, Capt. Peter Mugisa (By News Poster)...

**Ghana: 'State-Sponsored' Sakawa in Benin, 419 in Ghana And a Suicide in USA**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Benjamin Tawiah, Ottawa, CanadaIf you have ever regretted doing anything in your life, then you are directive that sets a timeframe for shareholders to reduce or relinquish shares they hold in excess of (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Children Crossing Borders in Search of HIV Treatment**
Tuesday 2! 4-Aug-2010: By Ignatius BandaA new type of migration is taking place in Zimbabwe. While in the past people crossed the borders into South Africa and Botswana seeking work and fleeing from their repressive circums (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Mogadhishu Fighting Leaves 11 Civilians Dead, 53 Wounded**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Somalia's Islamist Shebab group, which is linked to Al-Qaeda, launched an attack on government and African Union forces in Mogadishu Monday that left 11 c! ivilians dead and 53 wounded, medics said."Ele (By News Poster! )...

**Al-Shabaab Kill Lawmakers in Hotel Raid (news)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Somalia's Al-Shabaab fighters stormed a hotel in Mogadishu 's government-controlled area, killing many people including lawmakers and officials, Radio Garowe reports.The fighters, reportedly numbering (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Bank Index Shows Recovery Slowing**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Mariam IsaJohannesburg - SA's leading indicator of business activity fell for the second month in a row in June, reinforcing the view that the economy slowed in the second half of the year, officia (By News Poster)...

**K! enya: Go vernment Changes Tack On HIV Prevention, Treatment for Drug Users**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Nairobi - Intravenous drug users (IDUs) have been largely ignored by the government's HIV programmes on the basis that drug-taking is illegal, but a new policy is being drafted with the aim of reducin (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Proliferation of Arms Threatening Peace Accross Borders**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Proliferation of small arms and trafficking of light weapons across boarders in Africa! pose a serious threat to the security and peace of the continent, the Minister of the Interior, Mr Martin Amidu, (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Cotton Growers Miss Out of Rising Prices**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Dar Es Salaam - THOUSDANDS of cotton growers in the Western Cotton Growing Area-Shinyanga, Mwanza and Mara regions-are haplessly watching as the cash crop price escalates, reaching to levels that had (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Defence Ministry And Foreign Policy Pay-Offs (3)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By John AmodaTHIS is one side of the preventive diplomacy third party interventions. The other side of the prevention statecraft is one that addresses the task of developing strategies that facilitate (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Environment, World Food Supply Linked**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Tamar KahnCape Town - Food scientists should follow the lead of climate scientists and petition the United Nations (UN) to safeguard the environment so the world can produce enough food to feed its (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: PIB to Generate 30,000 Jobs Locally, FG**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Yemie AdeoyeTHE Federal! governm ent has announced that in view of the planning and strategies put in place to bring about a smooth passage of the Petroleum Industry Bill (PIB), investment inflow aft (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 500 Lose Houses to 'Loan Shark'**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Freeman RazembaHarare - Over 500 people - including politicians, musicians and businessmen - have allegedly lost their houses and residential stands worth millions of dollars to a local businessm (By News Poster)...

**East Africa: EAC Prone to Cyber Crime, Say Experts**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Mark MuhumuzaKampala - Computer systems in East Africa will continue to come under cyber-attacks

a perfect specimen for a typical Ponzi fraud or any 419 experiment. And if you would do things di (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Old Mutual 'To Cut Debt' With HSBC Cash**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Tim ! CohenJohannesburg - SA's largest insurance company, Old Mutual! , is set to gain a huge cash windfall relative to its size should global bank HSBC's bid for Nedbank transpire, a windfall that is (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: Armed Men Kill MPs in Mogadishu Hotel Raid**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Mogadishu - Armed gunmen with uniform of the transitional government of Somalia have attacked Muno hotel in Hamarweyne district in Mogadishu and killed more MPs and civiliasn and lastly exploded thems (By News Poster)...

**Shaduka Held Liable for Wife's Death**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Roland RouthWindhoek - Judge Kato van Niekerk yesterday found Lazarus Natangwe Shaduka not guilty of murdering his wife, but found him guilty on the lesser charges of culpable homicide and attempti (By News Poster)...

**Government Says No to Handouts (news)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Tendai MugabeHarare - Zimbabwe does not want handouts from the international community and only needs the illegal economic sanctions the West imposed to be lifted to achieve self-reliance, Foreign (By News Poster)...

**Liberia: Issa Sesay Denies Authorship of Letter Tendered in Eviden! ce By Charles Taylor**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Alpha SesayA letter that was tendered in evidence by Charles Taylor as being one written by the former interim leader of the Sierra Leonean rebel group that Mr. Taylor is accused of providing suppo (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Trafficking in San Children Alleged**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Tileni MongudhiPOLICE at Rundu have been accused of refusing to register a human trafficking case.A 14-year-old San girl went to the Rundu Police stati! on yesterday morning to lay a charge of human (By News Poster! )...

**South Africa: Nedbank Group Limited Announcement**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Nedbank Group Limited ('Nedbank Group'), the majority owned South African banking subsidiary of Old Mutual plc, released an announcement on SENS today. The following is the full text of Nedbank Group' (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Breastfeeding Dilemma for HIV-Positive Mothers**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: The new World Health Organisation (WHO) recommendation that HIV-positive mothers on antiretroviral therapy (ARVs) can exclusively breastfeed their babies for up to twelve months without infecting them (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabw! e: Bread Price to Remain Unchanged - Bakers**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Martin KadzereHarare - The Bakers Association of Zimbabwe says it will find a way of absorbing the effect of the 20 percent increase in global wheat prices to avoid passing the cost to consumers.BA (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: HSBC's Interest in Nedbank a Vote of Confidence**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Pretoria - Although no formal application has been received by the National Treasury, the offer made by HSBC Holdi! ngs to acquire a controlling interest in Nedbank is a vote of confidence in the countr (By News Poster)...

**Central African Republic: Lack of Funds May Force UN Agency to Cut Food Aid in Central African Republic**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: The United Nations World Food Programme (WFP) warned today that it may have to cut its feeding programme in the Central African Republic (CAR), where tens of thousands risk becoming malnourished unles (By News Poster)...

**Afrikaner Gives The "White" Perspective - And A Shoutout To Frank!**

if no proper law is put into place, the Uganda Communications Commission (UCC) has warned."As a regi (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Premature Babies in Danger Due to Strike**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Johannesburg - The ongoing strike by public servants is placing the lives of premature babies born at Gauteng hospitals in danger, Gauteng Premier Nomvula Mokonyane said on Tuesday.Addressing the Gaut (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Contract Farming Rescues Cotton Growing**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Masato MasatoDar es Salaam - THERE is a growing consensus among cotton stakeholders that contract farming, currently being piloted in Mara region, is a panacea for a myriad of problems that have fo (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Provision of ARVs Disrupted in KZN**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Pretoria - The disruption of provision of ARVs to critical patients and the intimidation and assault of! non-striking nurses are some of the ways in which hospitals a! nd clini cs in KwaZulu-Natal have be (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: U.S. Citizen Gets 14 Months for Attempted Smuggling**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Mikias SebsibeThe Federal High Court sentenced a United States (US) national to 14 months in prison for attempting to smuggle 100,000 Br in local currency out of the country, affirming the decision (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Committee Targets Rhino Poaching**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Jocelyn NewmarchJohannesburg - A NEW committee to co-ordinate the fight against rhino poaching was formed yesterday as environmental groups vowed to work together to conserve rhino at the Lead SA R (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Pepfar Recognises Counsellor**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Windhoek - The United States government has recognised a Namibian as the US President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) hero at the recently concluded International AIDS Society annual meeting (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: MDC Dismisses Zanu PF's Claims Over Sanctions**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Alex BellPrime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai's ! MDC-T party has dismissed claims by ZANU PF's Patrick Chinamasa that governors would be sworn in only when targeted sanctions against the Mugabe regime w (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Suspected Child Kidnapper Held**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Andrew BagalaPolice have arrested a woman who has allegedly been stealing babies to dupe her fiancées that she has delivered. The woman, 20, was arrested in Namugongo, Wakiso District, after (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Police Officer Jailed for Stealing Sh19 Million**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Edward AnyoliKampala - A senior Police detective attached to the Criminal Investigation Department has been jailed for stealing sh19m from a city businessman.Hope Atuhaire was recently sentenced to (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Petrosa Board Fires CEO, Gives No Reasons**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: By Siseko NjobeniJohannesburg - THE board of PetroSA yesterday fired CEO Sipho Mkhize with immediate effect, but did not give reasons for the dismissal.The dismissal is a continuation of the leadershi (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Confusi! on Over Diamond Revenue**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Ministry of Mines and Mining Development officials were yesterday tight-lipped on the amount of money realised from Wednesday's auction of diamonds from Chiadzwa, after Finance Minister Tendai Bit rev (By Jan)...

**Help for Afrikaaners - From Spain - Whites will become a minority in Europe - A Contact person...**

Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Afrikaner Andre from South Africa gives â€œThe White Perspectiveâ€ on what happened to South Africa, and a shout out to The Greak Frank from Queens, host of "Hello, Africa!". (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

**S.Africa: Eugene Terreblanche wanted the AWB to go GLOBAL... Attention: Russell Mallon...**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [I know Dr Peter Munns Personally. I would like him to elaborate more on his discussions with Eugene Terreblanche and their vision. I wrote an article a while back, where a reader mentioned that t (By Jan)...

**Help! Help! Does anyone know how to make Windows 7 talk to an XP network?**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: I need some help. Is there anyone out there with some experience with Windows 7 and XP? I have just bought a Netbook with Windows 7 on it, and I have a wireless network at Home which links to my L (By Jan)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (24-08-2010)**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: Howzit On Sunday, I wrote about the Zimbabwean girl, Gamu Nhengu, who entered the new "X Factor" series and blew away the judges. Now there are claims that the singer and others used voice corre (By The BeardedMan)...

Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [I know Peter Munns personally, and people are welcome to contact him directly. He liaises between various organizations. Below are his contact details. Jan] Subject: RE: Help for Afrikaaners - Fr (By Jan)...

**Germany: Cornfield Swastika Reaps Whining**
Wednesday 25-Aug-2010: The discovery of giant swastika in an upper Bavarian cornfield has led investigators to fear the symbol indicates a resurgence of right-wing activity. A photographer discovered the Nazi symbol in A (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

**Blast from the Past: S.Africa: Reader says: AWB needs to go global, upgrade its identity and core purpose**
Tuesday 24-Aug-2010: [I am reposting this because shortly you will see another short comment by Dr Munns who spoke to Eugene Terreblanche about this idea. Jan] Here is the original article: S.Africa: Reader says: AWB n (By Jan)...

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