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**[6 Pics] S.Africa: AWESOME Young white guy shoots 3 armed Black professional criminals who tried to hijack his parents...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: [Here is a really cool story. This gang of 3 black professional criminals had their reign of terror brought to an end by a young guy who fought back – with only 17 rounds. They say the gang was armed (By Jan)...

**[Pic] S.Africa: Yale discontinues one of its coolest little security gadgets...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: This is a really cool security gadget which at one time I was toying with selling on my website. It is produced by Yale in South Africa, whom I must say produce really quality security products. Th (By Jan)...

**[2 Pics] S.Africa: My Pics: The Secret Tunnels under Johannesburg...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Take a look at these 2 photos I took one day while going between buildings in the Johannesburg CBD (Inner City). What you are seeing is private and no open to the public because it is owned by a busin (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: Queen of Battle Comes of Age**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Reuben BuhariLagos - The Nigeria Air Force was established in 1964 as a child of necessity. Since then however, it has grown into maturity, breaking new grounds in many areas as a recent Air Expo i (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Political Violence - a Death Knell for National Hea! ling**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Wongai ZhangazhaA BID to woo World Cup teams to train in the country and shore up tourism credentials has provided the clearest sign of how Zimbabwe's national healing and reconciliation processes (By News Poster)...

**[4 Pics] S.Africa: Johannesburg - My Pics - Time Freight - The Black driver who couldn't make a turn...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: I took these 4 photos in Strijdom park in Johannesburg in recent weeks. These photos are in no particu! lar order. This large truck, driven by a black guy, drove half! way acr oss this narrow area and the (By Jan)...

**Nigeria: Sultan Cautions CBN On Banking Reforms**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Goddy Egene and Kunle AderinokunAbuja - The Sultan of Sokoto, Alhaji Muhammed Sa'ad Abubakar III, yesterday advised the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) to tread cautiously with ongoing banking reform (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Zuma Backs Green Economy**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Johannesburg - President Jacob Zuma has thrown his weight behind calls for green technologies and industries that will ensure the country responds to the impact of climate change.Government will also (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Urban Renewal Reduces Crime in South African Township**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Kristin PalitzaKhayelitsha - Neatly paved walkways, regularly spaced streetlamps, well-designed public squares and multi-functional, modern public buildings: this kind of thoughtful town planning i (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Why Eight Rescued Banks May Not Hold AGMs**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Kingsley Igho! mwenghianThere were indications at the weekend that the eight banks whose executive managements were sacked by the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN) may not hold any annual general meeting (By

**South Africa: Army Not the Solution to Raging Social Decay**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Meshack MabogoaneJohannesburg - THE staggering social problems that have overwhelmed the country in the wake of a licentious "human rights" environment (and its sinister manipulation) are receiving (By News Poster)...

**[2 Pics] S.Africa: 2010: CRIME IN SOUTH AFRICA POSTER - My Pics: A Great Crime Advert: Wake up before its too late...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: I was driving around Johannesburg last Saturday when I spotted this advert on the side of the road. I thought it was an absolutely brilliant security company advert. It is for a company called SECURIT (By Jan)...

**S.Africa: Kill the Boer, Kill the! Boer - Eugene Terreblanche trial... Teaching Julius Malema to be a better thief**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: I hear from a friend of mine that at the trial of the murder of Eugene Terreblanche that blacks were outside singing Kill the Boer, Kill the Boer. Interesting. These blacks want this type of racia (By Jan)...

**Uganda: LRA Rebels Kill Three Sudanese Officials**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Cyprian MusokeKampala - Three Sudanese officials were shot dead on Monday after their car was ambushed by remnants of the Lord's Resistance Army (LRA) in the Southern Sudan state of Western Equator (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Put All Rape Victims On Medical Regimen**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Harare - THERE have been several cases in Zimbabwe of girls and women being infected with HIV by a rapist even though there are effective ways of minimising this terrible extra burden that a victim of (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Protect, Don't Punish, People with HIV - Remove Discriminatory Measures from New Bill**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Uganda's parliament should amend a proposed law on HIV/AIDS to remove punitive and discriminatory provisions and to ensure that the rights of people living with HIV/AIDS are protected, Human Rights Wa (By News Poster)...

**Africa: HIV Testing and Treatment to! Prevent TB**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Johannesburg - Diagnosing HIV early and starting antiretroviral (ARV) treatment could be the most important weapons in the battle against HIV-associated tuberculosis, but this would need a huge inject (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 'Black Gold' Mined for a Song**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Nelson ChengaHarare - SURROUNDED by more than a dozen gigantic skillfully cut cubes of black granite rock, a green monstrous crane majestically towers 25 metres into t! he sky. The winch's location, (By News Poster)...

**Burundi: Country Faces Major Test as Poll Season Begins**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Kezio-Musoke DavidBujumbura - Last week a supporter with an opposition political party in Burundi was shot dead, sparking off protests. Thereafter an international human rights organisation said po (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Bennett Speaks Out**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Brian Mangwende and Clemence ManyukweHarare - ROY Bennett's legal and political woes are set to persist following the office of the Attorney-General (AG)'s decision to appeal against the Movement f (By News Poster)...

News Poster)...

**Kenya: Farm Schools Boost Food Security, Prevent GBV**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Burnt Forest - Rural Kenyans affected by the post-election violence in 2008 are among thousands of beneficiaries of a programme that aims to improve food security and incomes and reduce women's vulner (By News Poster)...

**Liberia: Greaves - "Corruption a Big Problem "**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: The dismissed Managing Director of the Liberia Petroleum Refining Corporation (LPRC), Mr. Harry A. Greaves, Jr., has now conceded that "corruption is a big problem" in the government hindering develop (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: NNPC Management Swaps - Stakeholders Hopeful On Sustainable Fuel Supply**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Sopuruchi OnwukaLagos - New Minister of Petroleum Resources, Mrs. Diezani Allison-Madueke, recently reshuffled the key management personnel of agencies under her ministry, especially in the Nigeria (By News Poster)...

**Madagascar: Hunger is a Hard Sell**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Androka - No mother would ever want to be told her child has "severe acute malnutrition", but in parched southwestern Madagascar, 27-year old Donasine, mother of nine and four months pregnant, welcome (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: MDC-T Expels Five Youths Over Intra-Party Violence**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Lance GumaThe MDC led by founding President Morgan Tsvangirai on Sunday endorsed the expulsion of 5 youths, allegedly b! ehind the assault of a party official at its Harvest House hea! dquarter s.A stat (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Mozambican Police Support Security for World Cup**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Maputo - Mozambique is to send a number of police officers to join their South African counterparts in actions to guarantee security during the football World Cup that will take place in South Africa (By News Poster)...

**Sierra Leone: Mogbindi Echo-Nassit Ferry Money Into Deep Hole**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Pel KoromaFreetown - The pace at which the scourge of corruption is gaining approval in the APC era is incredible. It is unfortunate that President Koroma has endorsed the criminal action of the pe (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Ready to Reopen Markets After Rift Valley Fever Under Control**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Hopewell RadebeJohannesburg - THE government was talking to Namibia and China to plan the reopening of the multibillion-rand meat and wool markets, which were closed because of an outbreak of Rift (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Rift Valley Outbreak Confirmed**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Denver ! KistingLABORATORY results have confirmed that Namibia is indeed fighting an outbreak of Rift Valley fever.So said Dr Alec Bishi, a State veterinarian in the Ministry of Agriculture, Water an (By News Poster)...

**Libya: Libya Cautions OPEC On Quotas, As Oil Price Picks**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Ajibola Abayomi With Agency ReportLagos - Libya has advised the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) to watch the market before deciding on any action over the drop in oil prices.Th (B! y News Poster)...

**Sudan: Ban Stresses Need for All Sides to Adhere to Ceasefire in Darfur**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon today expressed concern over continued recent reports of a military build-up and violence between armed groups and Government forces in the war-wracked Sudanese region of (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Fate of Missile Group in Government's Hands**

**T anzania: CAG - Tanesco in Trouble**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Sadick MtulyaThe Controller and Auditor General (CAG), Mr Ludovic Utouh has warned that Tanzania Electric Supply Company (Tanesco) faces bleak future.The CAG, Mr Ludovic Utouh, sounded the warning (By News Poster)...

**S.Africa: The 2010 FIFA World cup is a BIG FLOP - Some hotels could lose up to 60% of business...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: [Take a look at this news report. For once it seems Mugabe's mouthpiece is saying s! omething close to the truth. We did post this before, but I'm going to repost it. We knew it would be a flop in t (By Jan)...

**Zimbabwe: Diamond Mine Lawyer Briefly Detained**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Violet GondaJonathan Samkange, the lawyer representing Africa Consolidated Resources CEO Andrew Cranswick, was briefly arrested by police in Harare on Monday, in a move the outspoken lawyer says is (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Power - Locals Enjoy 14 Watts of Electricity Per Person Annually, Owelle**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Ebele OrakpoDr. Patrick Owelle, a solar photovoltaic researcher and chief executive officer of PSC Industries Limited has called on the Federal Government to integrate renewable energy into the nat (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Constitution-Making Merry Fizzles Out**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Levi MukaratiHarare - A CLOUD of excitement engulfed the country as thousands of Zimbabweans from all walks of life jostled to take part at the historic All Stakeholders Constitutional Conference h (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Government Faces Multi Million Dollar Lawsuit over Land 'Reform'**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: The government is facing yet another multi-million dollar lawsuit over its illegal land 'reform' programme, in a renewed case in the regional human rights court.The case has been filed in the Southern (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Army Behind Political Violence in Manicaland**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Lance GumaThe Member of Parliament for Makoni South, Pishai Muchauraya, has accused members of the Zimbabwe National Army (ZNA) of leading a campai! gn of violence and intimidation in the Manicaland (By News Po! ster)...

**Kenya: Alarm as Arms Cache Fished Out of Sea**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Daniel NyassyNairobi - A Malindi fisherman chanced upon a cache of arms on Wednesday, triggering a major security operation in the coastal town. The fisherman was setting nets to catch octopus in t (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: M-Kesho Heralds a New Dawn for E-Commerce**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Victor JumaThe introduction of a seamless mobile bank account product by Equity Bank and Safaricom on Tuesday promises to open up electronic commerce -- and mobile commerce in particular -- to the (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Leaders Stall Mediation Process**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Njabulo NcubeHarare - SOUTH African President Jacob Zuma's mediation in the Zimbabwe crisis has been stalled by the unavailability of the three principals to the Global Political Agreement (GPA) wh (By News Poster)...

**Africa: New UN Report Calls for 'Green Revolution' by Continent's Small Farmers**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: A "green revolution" led by Africa's sm! all farmers, and harnessing the latest technologies and innovations, is vital if the continent is to reduce extreme poverty and hunger by 2015, just two of the e (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: One Killed, 10 Injured in Land Dispute**

Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Julius BaumannJohannesburg - MISSILE group Denel Dynamics' financial future remains in the hands of the departments of defence and public enterprises, pending a decision on whether it may sell an e (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Minister Misihairabwi 'Forced' to Give Up Late Husband's Estate**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Violet GondaPriscilla Misihairambwi-Mushonga, the Minister of Regional Integration and International Co-operation, has said she has been forced to abandon her late husband's estate, including their (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Clone Gang Hits ATMs**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Murray WilliamsA sophisticated gang has raided the bank accounts of scores of ! Cape ATM bankers using hi-tech cloning devices and tiny mounted cameras.According to a police expert, the devices are " (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Let Rural Ruling Be the Start of New Tradition**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Sindiso MnisiJohannesburg - LAST week's Constitutional Court decision in the challenge by four rural communities against the Communal Land Rights Act of 2004 joins the ranks of four welcome judgmen (By News Poster)...

**Drug Rehab Needs Funds to Stay Open**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: In the heart of Observatory, cheek by jowl with narcotics dealers, is a drug rehabilitation centre that has been helping addicts kick their habits for 10 years.But a lack of funding could mean that Be (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: East African Dev Bank Posts Shs3.7 Billion Profit After Years of Losing Money**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Walter WafulaKampala - The East African Development Bank has reported a net profit of Shs3.7 billion from its business in 2009, after posting losses for two consecutive years.In 2008, the bank post (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: New Wage Hike Offer Could End Damaging Rai! l Strike**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Alistair Anderson and Julius BaumannJohannesburg - A NEW wage offer of 10% from the Passenger Rail Agency of SA (Prasa) could bring an end to this week's devastating rail strike if Prasa and employ (By News Poster)...

**Rwanda: 23 Died From Gender Based Violence in Rusizi Last Month**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Lillian NakayimaRusizi - At least 23 people died last month due to Gender Based Violence (GBV) in Rusizi district, according t! o a Police report.The report released on Tuesday during the launch of t (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Rights Groups Demand Justice for Victims of Operation Murambatsvina**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Alex BellAn international human rights organisation is leading demands for justice for the victims of Operation Murambatsvina, five years after the mass evictions took place.Amnesty International a (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Pearls, Swine and Windmills**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Chris SmithSO the price of electricity is going to increase enough to cover the cost of hiked South African power, but not enough to finance or attract new investment.I am sad as indecision and lac (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Vuvuzela's Critics Secretly Love This Plastic Trumpet**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Mninawa NtlokoJohannesburg - OH, YOU have got to love the vuvuzela. Never has a piece of plastic managed to excite and annoy so many people as effortlessly as this beloved instrument has done in th (By News Poster)...

**Nig! eria: President Jonathan's Dilemma**
Wednesday 19! -May-201 0: The question on the lips of many Nigerians today is whether President Goodluck Ebele Jonathan will run for the presidency in 2011 by taking advantage of his control of the apparatchik of power or whet (By News Poster)...

Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Ayegba Israel EbijeMinna - One person,Yakubu Tswagba, has been killed in Kpatsuwa village in Mokwa area of Niger State in a land dispute between the community and its neighbouring village, Ndafu. A (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: 700,000 forcibly evicted still ignored five years on**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: The government of Zimbabwe must take action to protect hundreds of thousands of people left to survive in substandard settlements five years after a program of mass forced evictions, Amnesty Internati (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Prime Minister Denies Harassment of Opposition**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Maputo - The Mozambican government is committed to ensuring "the free and inalienable exercise of the rights of citizens, regardless of their political affiliation, religious beliefs or ethnic origin" (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Ruling! Party M isses 'Deadline' to Sell Stake in Firm**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Siseko NjobeniJohannesburg - THE African National Congress (ANC) has missed a self-imposed deadline to divest from its stake in Hitachi Power Africa through its front company, the controversial Cha (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Maize Meal Up 13 Percent**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Denver KistingELECTRICITY, fuel and now maize meal - announcements of price hikes for these commodities are what the Namibian consumer has had to stom! ach the last week.From the end of May, Namib Mi (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: 2011 - Edo Politician Arrested for Drug Trafficking**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Ime AkpanLagos - A politician, Eme Zuru Ayortor, who is vying for a seat in the Edo State House of Assembly in 2011, has been arrested by officials of the National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLE (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Over 100 Million Dollars a Year Invested in Electricity**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Maputo - Investment in Mozambique's national electricity grid is currently running at more than 3.5 billion meticais (over 100 million US dollars) a year, Energy Minister Salvador Namburete told the M (By News Poster)...

**Hello, Africa! Guest Fabio Polenghi Killed In Thailand Riots**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Freelance Italian photographer, Fabio Polenghi, who was a guest on The Right Perspective's Hello, Africa! show, was shot and killed Wednesday in anti-government clashes engulfing Bangkok, Thailand. Ne (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

**Zimbabwe: Deadline for Proposals on ! Indigeni zation Law Extended**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Lance GumaA deadline by which all businesses operating in Zimbabwe have to submit proposals on how they will increase black ownership in their companies, has been extended by a month. Youth and Emp (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Sultan Cautions Sanusi Over Bank Reform**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Ese AwhotuAbuja - The Sultan of Sokoto, Alhaji Muhammad Saad Abubakar III, yesterday cautioned the Governor of the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN), Malam S! anusi Lamido Sanusi, to stop exposing Nigeri (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Bol Manyiel, 'I Can Still Buy More Guns with My Remaining Cattle'**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Juba - After raiders struck Tonj area of Southern Sudan's Warrap state, stealing four of Bol Meen Manyiel's 18 cattle, he and a relative pursued the raiders to neighbouring Cueibet county in Lakes Sta (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Oyo Set to Tackle Food Scarcity**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Oladele OgunsolaIbadan - To tackle the problem of food scarcity in Oyo State, the government has distributed about N20 million seedlings of high-yielding varieties of pepper, vegetables and onions (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: SPYL Condemns Power Hike**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: THE Swapo Party Youth League (SPYL) has condemned the Electricity Control Board's approval of an 18 per cent increase in NamPower's bulk power price and called for the decision to be reversed.The SPYL (By News Poster).../! td>

**South Africa: Visas, Border Security Ready for World Cup**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Cape Town - With 22 days till the kick off of the FIFA World Cup, South Africa was on track to issue free visas to soccer fans and process the thousands of visitors expected in the country next month. (By News Poster)...

**America: SUDDENLY Everyone is not just a BEAR... they are predicting MASSIVE Stock Market crashes....**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: [This article was posted by one of our volunteers on AmericanCrisis and I thought it is worth revisiting. I'm watching the markets imploding with great interest. I think some people are over-doing the (By Jan)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (19-05-2010)**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... -o00o- I am not really looking forward to today as I have a very late appointment at City Hospital on the other side of town this afternoon to che (By The BeardedMan)...

**South Africa: Transnet Strike Negotiations Continue Tomorrow**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Pretoria - Transnet and labour are to meet again at the Commission for Conciliation, Mediation and Arbitration (CCMA) in efforts to end a 10 day strike at its operations.Transnet spokesperson John Dlu (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: New Mobile Banking Product Launched**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: By Dinfin MulupiA ne! w mobile banking product, targeting rural areas, has been laun! ched in Kenya.Kenya's largest mobile operator, Safaricom, and fastest growing bank, Equity Bank, have unveiled M-Kesho (By News Poster)...

**[3 Graphs] My Technical Indicator - Stock Markets collapsing, waves of panic growing - NOTE: Govt SILENCE - In the midst of a 2,000 point drop?**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Serious things are afoot. I am going to be a bit brief, but I really must attempt by tomorrow to post a more complete analysis showing the technical sta! tus of the markets. I just wanted to show yo (By Jan)...

**[2 Pics] S.Africa: My Pics: Gorgeous large model sailing ship...**
Wednesday 19-May-2010: Don't be fooled by these photos. This model ship is large - it is several feet long and about 3 feet high. It fills a table. I spotted it at an auction room I was walking around. It turns out its not (By Jan)...

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