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**S.Africa: 2010: 16 years after Apartheid Blacks say: The Apartheid houses for Blacks were BETTER than the ANC's RDP houses....**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: I forgot to tell you this little gem which I heard from a friend. This comes from the same friend who was chatting to the black lady about her little 3 year old kid singing: "Kill the Boer". See: (By Jan)...

**Zimbabwe: Boycotting By Day, Pestering By Night**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Dambudzo MapurangaHarare - IT is common cause that MDC-T is not only broke but has waning political fortunes, and its stunt against visiting Iranian leader, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, was nothing more th (By News Poster)...

**"We are now in the final days of white life in this country." - UK's Times Report**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: The gunman leant forward and pushed the pistol hard into Manie Potgieter's neck. "Listen, you white bastard," he whispered, his breath heavy with alcohol. "I have Aids. We are now going to rape your w (By JanOlifant)...

**20 Years of Namibia's Business Environment**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Johannes !gawaxabWHEN I look at my own children, I can't help but think "my, how time flies". It was not so long ago that this small child of mine was bouncing on my knee. Now this same child is ou (By News Poster)...

**Congo-Kinshasa: Small Bands of Rebels Can Wreak Havoc**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Niangara - They! may number as few as 100 men, women and adolescents, but Lord! 's Resis tance Army (LRA) units scattered across the forests of northeastern Democratic Republic of Congo's Orientale Provin (By News Poster)...

**Shock as Jobless Toll Increases to 25,2 Percent**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Mariam IsaJohannesburg - SA's jobless rate rose unexpectedly to a five-year peak in the first quarter. Officials blame this on seasonal factors and the end of World Cup preparations.The official un (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Jobs in Free-Fall Prompt Talk of Another Repo Rate Cut**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Mariam IsaJohannesburg - A SURPRISE leap in the jobless rate during the first quarter of this year has raised the odds of an interest rate cut at the Reserve Bank's policy meeting next week, analys (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Banks Reassure Investors With First Quarter Scorecards**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Kingsley IghomwenghianIt is no longer news that only few Nigerian banks could submit positive results for the year ended December 31, 2009, neither is the fact that even those who closed positive d (By News Poster)...

**Mob Justice Killed 78 People in 2009**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Maputo - Mob justice is still a cause of concern in Mozambique, with 78 people lynched in 2009 translated in 51 homicides, down from 68 recorded in 2008, leading to the initiation of 26 criminal proce (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Agriculture - a Lucrative Solution to the World Food Crisis**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Investment in Africa's agriculture is growing tremendously, with several p! rivate equity funds injecting capital in the agribusiness sect! or. The sector currently presents one of the biggest opportuniti (By News Poster)...

**Angola: Top Oil Official Raids His Company**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Rafael Marques De MoraisIn 2008, Manuel Vicente, the chairman of the board and director general of the Angolan state oil company, Sonangol, restructured

**South Africa: What is the True Role of Banks?**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Sim TshabalalaJohannesburg - WHAT is the true role of banks? Can they grow too fast for SA's good? These are the questions exercising the minds of many thoughtful people in the aftermath of the glo (By News Poster)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (06-05-2010)**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated. -o00o- I don't like to dabble in the politics of the United Kingdom, but, despite my emailing the party offices asking to be taken off their mailing (By The BeardedMan)...

**South Africa: Pitfalls of a Growing Appetite for Credit**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Michael BlebyJohannesburg - NOT QUITE CUT AND DRIED: Absa was recently found guilty of lending recklessly to an elderly couple and has not yet decided whether to appeal the decision. The bank says (By News Poster)..! .

**Africa: Wounded Kony Could Be Our Biggest Gift to Africa**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Charles Onyango-ObboJoseph Kony's Lord's Resistance Army has been back in the news again in recent times, killing civilians in eastern Democratic Republic of Congo.The LRA might still be alive and (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Congressman Calls on Obama to Shift Approach to Khartoum**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Office of Representative Frank WolfWashington, DC - Rep. Frank Wolf (R-VA), long recognized in Congress for his work on Sudan, today called for a change in how the Obama Administration deals with K (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: It's Amazing That We Can't Tell How Much Oil is Pumped Daily- Peterside**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Dr. Sofiri Ofiri Joab-Peterside, a lecturer at the University of Port Harcourt and Acting Executive Director of the Center For Advance Social Science (CASS), Port Harcourt, River State spoke recently (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Banks Reassure Investors With First Quarter Scorecards**
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**Namibia: Long Delay in Trial On Murder of German**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Werner MengesTHE two men accused of murdering and robbing a German flight instructor and then trying to burn his remains in Windhoek near the end of 2005 face a further wait of more than seven mont (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Serial Rapist Gets 20-Year Jail Term**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Werner MengesA WINDHOEK resident convicted of the violent rape of two women in the city's Goreangab Dam area in late 2005 and September 2007 was sent to prison for an effective 20 years on Friday.N (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Joint AU-UN Force in Darfur Still Lacking Crucial Equipment, Ban Says**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: The joint African Union-United Nations peacekeeping force in the conflict-affected Sudanese region of Darfur is nearing full capacity, Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon says in a new report in which he wa (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: One Killing T! oo Many**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Lagos - In what is becoming a feature of journalism in Nigeria, practitioners are being killed at an alarming frequency. The murder of Mr. Edo Sule-Igbagwu, the

the company and its main subsidiaries for hi (By News Poster)...

**Angola: Top Executive Takes Shares in State Oil Company**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Rafael Marques de MoraisIn 2008, Manuel Vicente, the chairman of the board and director general of the Angolan state oil company, Sonangol, restructured the company and its main subsidiaries for hi (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Sharia Banking Services Launched**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Muhidin Issa MichuziDar Es Salaam - SHARIA banking products were officially launched in Dar es Salaam on last night, with the government challenging bankers to strive for more education to the mass (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Michael Uredi, "My Wife Was Raped Because I Gave My Opinion to a Newspaper"**
Wednesday 05-May-2! 010: Cape Town - Michael Uredi, 37, a cabinet maker, came to South Africa from the Eastern Kivu region of the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) eight years ago. He is a member of the Bembe ethnic group, m (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Harnessing Continent's Potential Through Infrastructure Development and Entrepreneurship**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: The recent Fourth Annual Corporate Council on Africa (CCA) U.S.-Africa Infrastructure Conference brought together industry leaders from! all sectors and policymakers from the United States and Afric! a t (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Reserve Bank Review Welcome**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Johannesburg - THE decision by the Cabinet to launch a review of the Reserve Bank's legislative framework is to be welcomed. The act that governs the 90-year-old Bank has not been amended since 1989. (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: The Oil And Gas Law And Its Monitoring Board**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Lagos - A major outcome of the enactment of Nigeria's new Oil and Gas Content law is the setting up of the Nigerian Content Development and Monitoring Board (NCDMB), a body responsible for content reg (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: EU, UPDF to Train Somali Forces**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Henry MukasaKampala - THE European Union (EU) and the UPDF will train 2,000 Somali forces. The EU head of delegation, Vincent de Visscher, announced yesterday that 150 EU officers will conduct the (By News Poster)...

**Three Motorists Lose Cars to 'Clients'**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Harare - THREE motorists lost their vehicles to armed robbers who had hired them a! s taxis in separate incidents in Harare over the weekend.In one of the cases, the robbers used a toy gun to seize cont (By News Poster)...

**Africa: The Challenge of Organisation**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Fred Vubem TohMany doubted Africa's capability to host the world football jamboree but all is now set for the event.Owing to the huge economic benefits which go along with the organisation of the W (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Legislation on Zimbabwe Must Align U.S. Policy with Democratic and Reconstruction Aspirations**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Today Africa Action applauds three members of the U.S Senate for introducing legislation that confronts many of the challenges facing Zimbabwe today.U.S. Senators Russ Feingold (D-WI), Johnny Isakson (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Possible International Court List of Investigations Leaks**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Nairobi - Ahead of the arrival of the International Criminal Court Chief Prosecutor Luis Moreno-Ocampo on Saturday this week, The Star has obtained a list of people Ocampo might investigate.The leaked (By News Poster)...

**E! ast Afri ca: Fine Threatens Regional Bank**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Barbara AmongKampala - A Tanzanian firm, Blueline Enterprises Ltd, has won a staggering

Judiciary correspondent of The Nation N (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: New Gold Refinery to Boost Economy**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Ibrahim KasitaKampala - RUSSIAN investors have installed a $1.5m gold refinery, the first of its kind in the Great Lakes region, underscoring the Gover! nment's efforts to ensure valued-addition on a (By News Poster! )...

**Zimbabwe: Gono to Chair New Reserve Bank Board**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Lance GumaFinance Minister Tendai Biti on Tuesday announced the appointment of a new board, chaired by bitter rival Gideon Gono, to oversee operations at the Reserve Bank. The appointment is despit (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Mugabe and Tsvangirai Travel Separately to Tanzania**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Lance GumaPrime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai and President Robert Mugabe traveled in separate planes to Tanzania this week, for two summits whose agenda's were in complete opposition to each other. M (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Nigerian Navy Seizes Ship with Stolen Oil, Arrest Ten**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Nigerian navy, in a crackdown on a multi-million dollar smuggling racket, has arrested ten crew members comprising two Ghanaians and eight Nigerians and confiscate their Greek-flagged vessel carrying (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: U.S.$250 Million Loan to Boost Power Output**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Harare! - Government has signed a memorandum of understanding with the Export and Import Bank of China for a US$250 million loan to expand the Kariba Hydro Power Station, an official told New Ziana yes (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: New Liquidity Provisions 'Not Sensible' for Banks**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Edward WestJohannesburg - IT WAS unreasonable to expect local banks to implement the new liquidity provisions contained in the updated Basel 2 global banking convention proposals, Nedb! ank CE Mike B (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Police Deploy 6,000 Officers in Ekiti**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Yaqoub Popoola With Agency ReportAdo Ekiti - More than 6,000 policemen from five states are now in Ekiti to beef up security for today's judgment by the tribunal adjudicating the election dispute b (By News Poster)...

**Mozambique: Reconciliation in Country Was Among the People - Chissano**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Former Mozambican President Joaquim Chissano said in Maputo on Tuesday that the reconciliation in Mozambique, following the war of destabilization that ended in October 1992, was not between the gover (By News Poster)...

**Viewpoint: Helping Sierra Leone D! evelop/ a>**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Samura KamaraWith the strong support of the international development community, Sierra Leone is emerging from a legacy of conflict which has delayed hopes for a better future for millions of our p (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Firms Line Up for Agency Banking as CBK Sets Rules**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Victor JumaBusinesses with strong cashflows are set to benefit from the newly-introduced agency ba! nking, which will see financial institutions use companies to reach potential customers in underser (By News Poster)...

**Congo-Kinshasa: Gaston Mbali, 'When We Heard the Whistles, We Knew We Should Escape'**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Niangara - Since June 2009, when a Lord's Resistance Army (LRA) unit attacked his village, Gaston Mbali, 30, an agricultural trainer, has lived in a rudimentary camp for displaced people in Niangara, (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Tasks Before New NNPC Boss**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Lagos - THE new Group Managing Director (GMD) of the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation

$110m (about sh250b) court case against the East African Development Bank (EADB), which may cripple operation (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Eskom Eyes Billions From Private Buy-in**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Linda EnsorCape Town - Eskom is thinking of raising R40bn by selling minority stakes in existing power stations now that the disposal of! a 30% stake in the R144bn Kusile power station is looking in (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Anti-Islam Bashers Find Another Lightening Rod**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Aishatu UmarIt is really unfortunate that the menace of using nongovernmental organizations to attack Islam has arrived in Nigeria. NGOs have now become weapons of fighting Islam as part of the cur (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: New Board for RBZ**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Harare - FINANCE Minister Tendai Biti yesterday appointed a new board for the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe in yet another major step towards refocusing the bank to core functions and solving challenges it (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Banks Recover N1 Million From ATM Fraudsters**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Vincent UjumaduAwka - THE battle against Automated Teller Machines, ATM, fraud has yielded positive dividend in Anambra State with the recovery of N1 million in the last one month from fraudsters.T (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Minister to Strengthen Police Watchdog**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Luph! ert ChilwaneJohannesburg - A NEW legislative framework for the! Indepen dent Complaints Directorate (ICD) was envisaged as soon as July, Police Minister Nathi Mthethwa said last night.The idea wa (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: MDC Says Solution to Country Crisis Lies in Fresh Elections**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Tichaona SibandaThe deputy organizing secretary of the MDC-T, Morgan Komichi, reckons the only way to find a definitive solution to the crisis in the country is having fresh elections, once a new c (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: One of the Injured Civilians Dies in Kismayu**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Kismayu - One of the civilians injured in the blast targeted to a mosque in Kismayu town died for his injuries in the town in Lower Jubba region in southern Somalia, witnesses told Sabelle radio on We (By News Poster)...

**Winnie Mandela: Nelson Let Blacks Down**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: This one's a few months old, just stumbled across this the other day.... don't know if it's been posted already but it is interesting to say the least! -NG ---------- The ex-wife of Nelson Mand (By Peter the News Guy (TRP))...

**Africa: Aids Activists to Demand More Cash During WEF Meet**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Bernard Lugongo and Hellen NachilongoAs the two-day World Economic Forum (WEF) starts in Dar es Salaam today, African activists will be demonstrating around the conference centre to pressurise worl (By News Poster)...

**Tanzania: Gulf African Bank to Expand to Tanzania And Uganda**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Dinfin MuluphiGulf African Bank (GAB) has announced it is planning to enter Tanzania and Uganda by the end of the year. The plans follow the Islamic bank's successful launch and growth in the Kenya (By News Poster)...

(NNPC), Mallam Shehu Ladan, is bearing a heavy burden and how well or otherwise he carries the cross will d (By News Poster)...

**U.S. Senators Introduce Bill to Review Sanctions**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Violet GondaA bill to review the targeted sanctions imposed on members of the Mugabe regime (Zimbabwe Transition to Democracy and Economic Recovery Act) has been tabled in the US congress to try to (By News Poster)...

**Djibouti: Half Rural Population! Need Emergency Food Aid**
Wednesday 05-May-2010:! Nairobi - About half of Djibouti's rural population will need emergency food assistance this year due to the combined effects of drought, livestock losses, unfavourable livestock-to-cereal terms of tr (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Anxiety in Ekiti As Tribunal Delivers Judgment Today**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Gbenga AriyibiPanic and anxiety have gripped the residents of all the major towns and villages in Ekiti State as the election petition tribunal delivers its judgement today on the 24 April 2009 gov (By News Poster)! ...

**Uganda: Residents Chase Surveyors From Disputed Land**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Moses NampalaKampala - Angry residents on a disputed boundary between Tororo and Butaleja districts recently chased a team of surveyors trying to mark the boundary.The residents of Kirewa sub-count (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: State Aims to Attract R115 Billion Investment Within Three Years**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Linda EnsorCape Town - The government has set itself a target of attracting foreign and local investment of R115bn in the next three years, Trade and Industry Minister Rob Davies announced yesterda (By News Poster)...

**East Africa: Fuel Hits 3,150/- Mark**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Chris KiwawuloKampala - The price of petrol has hit the sh3,000 mark in the past few days as fuel shortages continued to worsen across the country.Dealers said shortages were being experienced acro (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: U.S. Reviews Harare Sanctions**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: By Kitsepile NyathiHarare - The United States is reviewin! g the decade old sanctions against Zimbabwe. But the measures ! are unli kely to end the travel restrictions and asset freeze imposed on President (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Finance Minister Rules Out Govt Pay Rises**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Harare - FINANCE Minister Tendai Biti has poured cold water on Prime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai's Workers' Day claim that Government salaries have not been frozen, insisting that civil servants' remun (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Sisulu Moots Idea for National Ser! vice**
Wednesday 05-May-2010: Cape Town - Defence Minister Lindiwe Sisulu has revealed a plan to set up a national service to provide training and instil discipline in youth.Briefing the media ahead of her Budget Vote speech on Tu (By News Poster)...

**Ethiopia: Dam Construction Stirs Up Controversy**
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