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**Africa: Why Horn of Africa is Starving**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: With the history of food emergencies in Africa, the revelation that 40 per cent of the continent's population are at the risk of starvation, is a cause of concern. 40 per cent of Africans suffer starv (By News Poster)...

**Uga! nda: Political Violence is a Threat to National Security**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Felix KulayigyeKampala - The Chief of Defence Forces, Gen Aronda Nyakairima, was right to make a statement on national security.Chapter 12 of the Constitution deals with defence and national securi (By News Poster)...

**Somalia: On the Ground - a Rape in Kenya**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: As told by Meghan Rhoad, women's rights researcher: Nasra, a petite Somali woman wearing a navy blue hijab ! and long skirt, rocked her sleeping baby in her arms as she to! ld me th e story of how, two an (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Land - Best Empowerment Tool**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Harare - JEFRY GUNDANI left Zimbabwe soon after independence to pursue studies in geology at a university in Russia.He had won a scholarship in a programme that allowed him to take his immediate famil (By News Poster)...

**Africa: Inviting Africans to G8 Meeting 'Is Just Window-Dressing'**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Stephanie NieuwoudtQuestions are being asked about whether the Group of Eight invitation to seven African states to attend its summit in Ontario, Canada, reflects its concern about the litany of un (By News Poster)...

**Zimbabwe: Zimbabwean PM Reshuffles Party's Posts in Cabinet**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Kitsepile NyathiHarare - Zimbabwe Prime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai has dropped four ministers and redeployed others in response to the declining confidence in the unity government he formed with Pr (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Minister Must Try to Hold Nuclear Power Skills**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - WITH the majorit! y of its employees likely to leave after the government earlier this year slashed its budget, the Pebble Bed Modular Reactor (PBMR) project is coming to the end of its l (By News Poster)...

**Southern Africa: EU Trade Pact in Place Before Year-End - SADC**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Jo-MarÉ DuddyTHE cluster of the Southern African Development Community (SADC), including Namibia, which is negotiating a drawn-out trade pact with the European Union (EU), has agreed to sign an ! "in (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: 600,000 whites descending into poverty**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Submitted by Old Owl: AfriForum Youth Ernst Roots 22 June 2010 Ernst Roots invites Young Communists to visit white squatter camp Young Communists invited to visit white squatter camp Af (By JoAn)...

**Uganda: Kayumba Leaves South African Hospital**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Daniel K. KalinakiJohannesburg - Exiled Rwandan top military officer, Lt. Gen. Faustin Kayumba Nyamwasa was yesterday discharged from hospital in South Africa after the doctors at Morningside Clini (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: There Should Be Oil Sovereign Fund, Says Utomi**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Lagos - Professor Pat Utomi, Chairman of the Social Democratic Mega Party has opined that only $30 of the value of oil sold should go into the Federal Allocation Account, FAAC.The rest of the money sh (By News

**South Africa: United For Africa - Making it Last**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Perhaps Africa's World Cup began in earnest on Jun. 16, when a despondent green and gold-clad crowd began leaving the Loftus Versfeld stadium even before the end of South Africa's heavy defeat to Urug (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Grenades in Rally Explosions Linked to Military**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Kamore MainaNairobi - The grenades that exploded in Uhuru Park during a church rally on June 13 are suspected to have been stolen from the Kenya Army, the Star has established.Kenyan bomb experts h (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Hidden Toll From TB**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - Shocking results from a study involving post-mortem examinations at a hospital in KwaZulu-Natal Province have revealed the extent to which tuberculosis (TB) is taking a toll on the live (By News Poster)...

**Gambia: Military Leaders Charged for Treason in Connection With 2006 Coup**
Wednesday 23-J! un-2010: By Fabakary B. CeesayLieutenant General Lang Tombong Tamba, the former Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) of The Gambia Armed Forces (GAF), and Rear Admiral (Commander) Sarjo Fofana, the former Chief of The (By News Poster)...

**Uganda: Seven Arrested Over Kidnap of Baby**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Kampala - The kidnappers of Khan Kakama, a one-and-a-half-year-old baby, wanted to extort money from the parents, the Police said yesterday.Although the parents paid a sh30m ransom ! to the kidnappers, (By News Poster)...

**Angola: End Case Against Cabinda Rights Defenders**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: The Angolan government should drop politically motivated criminal charges against three prominent rights advocates who go on trial on June 23, 2010, in Cabinda, Angola's oil-rich province, Human (By News Poster)...

**Sudan: Security Council Deplores Deadly Ambush of UNAMID Peacekeepers**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: The Security Council has joined the chorus of United Nations condemnation of yesterday's ambush by unknown assailants in Darfur in which three soldiers serving with the African Union-United Nations pe (By News Poster)...

**Africa: World Leaders Are Called Upon to Take Action Against Aids Funding Crisis**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: A statement by Stephen Lewis, Co-Director of AIDS-Free World released at a press conference in Toronto, June 22, 2010.At the Gleneagles G8 Summit in 2005, the G8 countries committed themselves to prov (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: Refugees Fear Renewed Violence**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Lucas BarasaNairobi - Kenya internal refugees have expressed fears of renewed chaos in the post-election violence hotspots following inflammatory remarks by politicians in the ongoing referendum ca (By News Poster)...

**Angola: Ghana Set Technical Meeting for August**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Accra - The presidents of Angola a! nd Ghana, José Eduardo dos Santos and John Evans Atta Mils, respectively, agreed to hold in August this year in Luanda, a technical meeting of preparation of t (By News Poster)...

**Cameroon/South Africa: Cry My Wounded Lions**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Robson SharukoJohannesburg - THE spectacular fall from grace of the Indomitable Lions of Cameroon - Africa's most successful team in the World Cup - was confirmed here on Saturday night when they b (By News Poster)...

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**Sierra Leone: Oil Industry Endorses Fuel Price Increase**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Moses A. KargboFreetown - Oil marketing companies in the country have announced another increase in the pump prices of all petroleum products as government withholds all subsidies on the products w (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Petroleum Industry Bill - Shell Withholds $40 Billion Investment**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Lagos - Nigeria's biggest petroleum industry player, Shell, is s! till playing it hard on the country following the dispute over propositions in the Petroleum Industry Bill (PIB) the passage of which is (By News Poster)...

**Congo-Brazzaville: Deforestation Threatens South With Famine**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: The trees are falling in Pool, and there are plenty of people to hear the sound. In a painful irony, the end of armed conflict in 2003, has signaled the wholesale devastation of forests in this southe (By News Poster)...

**Yellow Card for World Cup Refs**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Robson SharukoBloemfontein - JUST about every World Cup has its fair share of refereeing howlers from that controversial decision to allow Geoff Hurst's goal, which gave England a 3-2 lead in the f (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Legislators in Scuffle**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Tordue SalemThe House of Representatives yesterday literally became a house of commotion when age-long acrimony between a group of 11 lawmakers known as "Progressive-Minded Legislators" and those l (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Impact of Acid Rain On Crops, Food Availability**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Tina A. HassanAs the call! to batt le hunger in the world continues to grow, another dimension to the battle against climatic forces has emerged in Nigeria in the form of acid rain threat.Acid rain p (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Uduaghan Seeks Criminal Investigation of Oil Spills**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Asaba - Delta State Governor, Dr Emmanuel Uduaghan, has called on the Federal Government to begin criminal investigation into oil spill in the Niger Delta, caused by oil companies that has virtually d (By News Pos! ter)...

**Zimbabwe: State Threatens to Pull Out of Kimberley Process**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Violet GondaZimbabwe has threatened to walk away from the Kimberley Process (KP), if it does not get approval from the international diamonds trade watchdog to export rough diamonds from Chiadzwa i (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Outside Stadiums, Formal and Informal Economies Square Off**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - Off the pitch, the FIFA World Cup has seen a tense standoff between South Africa's formal and informal economies as they compete for their share of the spinoffs, but declaring a winner (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Land Dispute At Oshivelo**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Oswald Shivute and Absalom ShigwedhaA LAND dispute that erupted last year over the ownership of the King Kauluma Settlement - about 7 km north of Oshivelo in Oshikoto Region - between the residents (By News Poster)...

**Country's Economy On Your Fingertips**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: THE 2010 edition of the popular 'Guide to the Namibian Economy' is now available.The book, written by economist Robin Sherbourne! and published by the Institute for Public Policy Research (IP! PR), has b (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria/South Africa: O Day... Deadly Day**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Paul BasseyNever knew this day will come, so soon as it were. Rather I knew it will come but now that it has come, I do not know what to make of it. Today, The Super Eagles of Nigeria will go for a (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: European Bank to Put Sh24 Billion Into**

**South Africa: Study Points Way Towards Workable Land Reform**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Hopewell RadebeJohannesburg - A RANGE of agricultural business models can bring benefits to small-scale farmers and protect their land rights, while ensuring returns to companies, says a new study. (By News Poster)...

**Witness Never Saw Or Heard of Taylor's Support to the RUF (news)**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Alpha SesayA witness for Charles Taylor said today that she neither saw nor heard any evidence that the former Liberian president provided support to Sierra Leonean rebels during the country's 11-y (By News Poster)...

**Zimba bwe: Maize Producer Price Up**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Elita ChikwatiHarare - Government has increased the maize producer price by US$10 to US$275 per tonne with effect from April 1, 2010.This is the minimum price that the Grain Marketing Board will bu (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: Major Boost for Economy During World Cup**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Nthambeleni GabaraPretoria - The South African economy is receiving a massive boost from international tourists who are in the country for the 2! 010 FIFA World Cup.This is according to the latest ne (By News Poster)...

**Sim Card Registration Raises Growth Fears**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Harare - THE directive by the Postal and Telecommunications Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe requiring all mobile phone subscribers to be registered by August 31 may curb telecommunications' spectacul (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Lawyer Condemns Violence in House of Representatives**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Davidson IriekpenLagos - Lagos lawyer Femi Falana also condemned yesterday's violence in the House of Representatives and dismissed the suspension of some members as "illegal".He faulted the sancti (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Uutoni Warns Police Against Bribery**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Toivo NdjebelaWindhoek - Deputy Minister of Safety and Security, Erastus Uutoni, has warned members of the national police force against accepting bribes while executing their statutory obligations (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Fight Breaks Out in House of Reps**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: The crisis rocking the Ho! use of Representatives recorded a parliamentary disaster yeste! rday as it resorted to use of brutal force in dragging some of its members out of chamber for allegedly violating (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Jos - Another Face of the STF**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Mahmud LaloJos - The Special Task Force (STF) set up to check the incessant civil disturbances in Plateau state is quietly doing a lot of beneficial work among the communities recently shaken by th (By News Poster)...

**Hunters' Body Probes Lion Killing**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Denver KistingIN addition to the criminal charges that professional hunter Keith Wright faces after the recent killing of a protected lion, the Namibia Professional Hunters' Association (NAPHA) has (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: The Off-Pitch World Cup Competition**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Johannesburg - Off the pitch, the FIFA World Cup has seen a tense standoff between South Africa's formal and informal economies as they compete for their share of the spinoffs, but declaring a winner (By News Poster)...

**Namibia: Community Group Helps Cops Fight Crime**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By John EkongoWind! hoek - Tired of seeing criminals roaming freely in their constituency on a daily basis, two residents of the Katutura East Constituency have resolved to establish a community safety (By News Poster)...

**South Africa: New Twist in 'Snatched' Sishen Mine**

**Infrastructure Projects**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Geoffrey IrunguEuropean Investment Bank (EIB) will provide nearly Sh24 billion for upgrading of infrastructure projects in Kenya, entrenching its role as one of the country's leading financiers.The (By News Poster)...

**Kenya: High Prices, Low Stocks Pull Fish Off the Menu**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Abiud Ochieng'Nairobi - Fish has long been a delicacy for many Kenyans. And Lake Victoria was the never-depleted granary where fishermen would cast their nets and land a bumper catch.Not any more. (By News Poster)...

**Heartbreak Nation**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Robson SharukoBloemfontein - BAFANA BAFANA made their! country proud, with their best performance of this World Cup against a pathetic France yesterday, but their hearty show was not enough, in the (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Uduaghan Wants Oil Spills in Northern Delta Probed**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Ufomba UzuegbuLagos - Delta State governor, Dr. Emmanuel Uduaghan has called for criminal investigation into the oil spill in the Niger Delta caused by oil companies which has virtually destroyed t (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Police Discover Illegal Arms Market in Benue**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Joseph WantuMakurdi - The fight against crime in Benue State has yielded more positive result with the state police command's discovery of an illegal arms market and seizure of 16 AK 47 rifles.The (By News Poster)...

**My Trip to the USA: My Lost Passport... finally found... and other excuses... I pee off a former CIA officer**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Sorry I did not post anything in the last day. I'm just trying to find my feet a bit. At home I had piles of paper and files all over the show, and as I "reconstruct" my house - packing, repacking and (By Jan)...

**Lessons from ! my work: Even my users refer to me as a magician...**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: I had a nice boost to my ego today. I was called down to help a coloured man with a problem. After some time I sorted it out. I had a good chuckle when an Indian lady sitting next to him referred (By Jan)...

**"Zimbabwe Today" by Robb WJ Ellis (23-06-2010)**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Howzit Foreign currency mid-rates updated... Of course, the exchange rate for the Zimbabwean dollar is very much a misnomer since the local currency was replaced by the pound, the rand and the p (By The BeardedMan)...

**Rights Saga**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Tim CohenJohannesburg - EVIDENCE has emerged that suggests the application by Imperial Crown Trading 289 for a prospecting right over Kumba Iron Ore's Sishen mine, potentially worth ! billions of ran (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Bilateral Trade Between Country and China, Increased by 76.3 Percent**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: By Naomi UzorThe Consul General of the people's Republic of China in Lagos, Mr Guo Kun said that the volume of bilateral trade between Nigeria and China in 2009 grew steadily to $6.373 billion.In a pa (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Gen. Agwai awarded international peace and security award**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Nigeria's former Chief of Army Staff, General Martin Luther Agwai, was today awarded the “Visionary Award” by the US-based Africa Center for Strategic Studies at a ceremony in Lisbon (By News Poster)...

**Nigeria: Diamond Bank Boosts Msmes With Another N5 Billion**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: Buoyed by the impact of its past funding support to Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMES) in the country, Diamond Bank has set aside another N5 billion for lending to the sub sector before the e (By News Poster)...

**Broker, Trader, Lawyer, Spy: The Secret World of Corporate Espionage**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: [Here is a fascinating analysis of a new book. Jan] The Secret World of Corporate Espionage by Eamon Javers • Wherever billions in revenue are at stake, corporate spies are sure to follow. • (By Jan)...

**USA: Stock Markets... My Technical Indicator: the bear market rally running out of steam?**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: I have been meaning for the last few days to discuss the stock market rally at this time. I was getting a bit concerned because the rally is reaching a point where my Technical Indicator would issue a (By Jan)...

**Is something sneaky and big brewing in the Middle East?**
Wednesday 23-Jun-2010: I have some personal contacts with some people... elsewhere. And various things recently are making me wonder if something is up in the Middle East. I have this uncomfortable feeling about "someth (By Jan)...

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