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EAST AFRICA

Kenya

State urged to boost security after attack

Leaders from Garissa have called on the national government to intensify security along the border with Somalia that the al Shabaab militants use to enter the country. Garissa governor Ali Korane, senator Yusuf Haji, woman rep Annab Gure and Ijara MP Sophia Abdinoor were reacting to Friday's....

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https://www.the-star.co.ke/news/2018/09/17/state-urged-to-boost-security-after-attack_c1819345

Somalia

AMISOM to use modern technology in securing gains made in Somalia

The African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM) will enhance its use of modern technology during the transition period to ensure gains made in securing the country are not eroded. The Deputy Special Representative of the Chairperson of the African Union Commission (DSRCC) for Somalia, Simon Mulongo,....

shabelle 11:49:00 AM CEST

<http://radioshabelle.com/amisom-to-use-modern-technology-in-securing-gains-made-in-somalia/>

Efforts underway to free 18 Iranian fishermen kidnapped by Somalis

A lawmaker has said that efforts are ongoing for the freedom of 18 fishermen from Chabahar, who are detained by thieves and terrorists in Somalia. "Of the 18 fishermen detained by the Somalis, 4 are detained by different pirate groups and 14 are detained by Al-Shabab terrorist group," Abdolqafur Iranejad said, ICANA reported on Sunday.

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<http://radioshabelle.com/efforts-underway-to-free-18-iranian-fishermen-kidnapped-by-somalis/>

Ethiopian airstrike kills 70 al-Shabab in Somalia

A new report says Ethiopia's air force has killed about 70 al-Shabab extremists in an airstrike in neighboring Somalia. The airstrike was meant to thwart an al-Shabab attack

on an Ethiopian contingent of the multinational African Union force. The report says "two vehicles packed with weapons" were destroyed.

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<http://www.waltainfo.com/news/national/detail?cid=42482>

70 membres des Shabab tués dans un raid

16 Septembre 2018. Mogadiscio, Somalie, 16 septembre (Infosplusgabon) - Environ 70 membres du mouvement Shabab ont été tués dans un raid aérien mené par des avions éthiopiens en Somalie, a annoncé, samedi, Radio Shabeelle de Somalie. Deux véhicules remplis d'explosifs appartenant aux Shabab ont été....

infosplusgabon 16 Sep 2018

<http://www.infosplusgabon.com/index.php/actualites/submenu-1/16038-2018-09-16-17-23-45>

Somali MP fighting for life after car bomb attack

Somali Prime Minister Hassan Ali Khayre (centre) visiting lawmaker Mohamed Mursal Borow at the Erdogan Hosital in Mogadishu on September 15, 2018. The MP was seriously injured in a car bomb explosion that killed his driver on the spot. PHOTO | SOMALIA OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER A bomb attached....

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<http://www.theeastafrican.co.ke/news/africa/Somali-MP-fighting-for-life-after-attack/4552902-4762674-12o6ry/index.html>

CENTRAL AFRICA

Burundi

Attaques à la frontière

Des rebelles burundais installés dans l'est de la République démocratique du Congo (RDC) ont attaqué vendredi soir un poste frontière entre les deux pays, a rapporté samedi l'armée congolaise qui affirme avoir tué deux assaillants en repoussant leur assaut. L'attaque a eu lieu aux environs de 21h00.

arib-info 12:40:00 PM CEST

http://www.arib.info/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=18633&Itemid=1

Chad

After Boko Haram

Boko Haram has targeted Chad since 2015 with attacks and suicide bombings but the country, in alliance with its neighbours, waged war on the terrorist organisation, seriously weakening it. Many Boko Haram fighters have put down their arms and wish to return to normal civilian life posing a new....

timesofmalta 12:56:00 PM CEST

<https://www.timesofmalta.com/articles/view/20180917/arte/watch-after-boko-haram-arte.689061>

WEST AFRICA

Burkina Faso

L'armée pilonne des bases terroristes à l'est

L'armée burkinabè a, dans un communiqué reçu lundi à APA, annoncé avoir mené « des frappes aériennes et des ratissages contre des bases terroristes » à Pama et à Gayeri (est), où plusieurs militaires et civils ont été tués ces dernières semaines par des assaillants.

journaldebrazza 1:31:00 PM CEST

<https://www.journaldebrazza.com/burkina-larmee-pilonne-des-bases-terroristes-a-lest/>

Liberia

Muslims Resolved to Promote Peace, Fight Extremism

Guest lecturers, members of the Foundation-Liberia branch and leaders of various Muslim organizations posed shortly after the symposium ended. A two-day symposium, held at the Monrovia City Hall under the theme, "the Values of Tolerance in Islam, Moderation of Islam, and its Impact on Global Peace,"

allafrica 15 Sep 2018

<https://allafrica.com/stories/201809120322.html>

Mali

Les jihadistes exigent la reprise de circulation des motos (Autre presse)

A Boni dans le cercle de Douentza, les jihadistes exigent les populations à reprendre la circulation des engins à deux roues et les tricycles. En attendant la réponse des autorités, le village de Boni est sous menace d'embargo. Interdite depuis janvier 2018, la circulation des motos et tricycles dans le village de Boni peine à reprendre chemin.

abamako 11:07:00 AM CEST

<http://news.aBamako.com/h/196369.html>

Nigeria

Five killed as Boko Haram terrorists ambush troops in Borno

Olaleye Aluko, Abuja. Five alleged Boko Haram terrorists were shot dead on Sunday after the insurgents ambushed troops of the Nigerian Army along Bama Road in Maiduguri, Borno State. Our correspondent learnt that the troops of 222 Battalion, 21 Brigade, were on a clearance patrol in support of....

punchng 11:10:00 AM CEST

<https://punchng.com/five-killed-as-bharam-terrorists-ambush-troops-in-borno/>

Army tightens noose against Boko Haram terrorists

He spoke in an interaction session with journalists at Mongunu after he personally monitored and coordinated onslaught against the insurgents locked in between troops' locations in the area. The News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) reports that the recent attacks recorded in the area, particularly at....

dailytrust 16 Sep 2018

<https://www.dailytrust.com.ng/army-tightens-noose-against-boko-haram-terrorists-buratai.html>

NAF destroys Boko Haram vehicles along Gudumbali-Tumbun Rego, axis in Borno

The Nigerian Air Force says the Air Task Force (ATF) of Operation LAFIYA DOLE, has tracked and destroyed some Boko Haram Terrorists (BHT) vehicles as they were attempting to launch fresh attacks on ground troops locations at Gudumbali and Damasak in Borno.

onlinenigeria 16 Sep 2018

<https://news2.onlinenigeria.com/news/general/764460-naf-destroys-boko-haram-vehicles-along-gudumbali-tumbun-rego-axis-in-borno.html>

ASIA

Saudi Arabia

Saudi Strike on Yemen Kills at Least 7 including Women, Children

At least seven civilians have been martyred in an airstrike by the Saudi-led coalition waging war Yemen, an official and Saba news agency reported Monday. The strike hit

a house in the Huran district of central Yemen's Bayda province on Sunday, leaving one man, four women and two children dead, an official said, adding that 8 others were wounded.

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<http://english.almanar.com.lb/580945>

‘Pas de négociations avant la victoire à Hodeïda’, prétend Abou Dhabi. Madrid défend une vente d’armes à Ryad

Les Emirats arabes unies ont ouvertement annoncé que le processus de négociations ne sera pas repris avant leur victoire dans la bataille de Hodeïda (ouest). Dans une lettre adressée au conseil de sécurité de l’Onu, les Emirats ont assuré que « la libération de Hodeïda est devenue nécessaire afin....

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<http://french.almanar.com.lb/1044529>

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