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EAST AFRICA

Ethiopia

Oromo Activist, 23 Others Face Terrorism Charges

Addis Ababa Ethiopia has filed terrorism charges against 24 individuals including Jawar Mohammed, a prominent Oromo opposition figure known for his open and strong criticism against Prime Minister Abiy Ahmed. This was announced Saturday by the office of the attorney-general in a post on its official Facebook page.

allafrica 3:27:00 AM CEST

<https://allafrica.com/stories/202009210026.html>

Kenya

Kenyan soldiers kill 5 al-Shabab fighters in border region

Kenyan soldiers on Monday killed five al-Shabab militants after the terrorists ambushed the military convoy in Mandera County near the common border. The convoy of Kenya Defence Forces was on Lafey - Alungu - Elwak Road when it came under attack at about 6.45 a.m., witnesses and police in the region said.

xinhuanet_en 21 Sep 2020

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2020-09/21/c_139385682.htm

How Security Sector Has Grown in War on Terror

Described as Al-Shabaab's first complex terror attack on the Kenyan soil since the 2010 Kampala bombings, the September 2013 four-day siege at Westgate Mall that claimed 67 lives and left hundreds injured changed the country's national security approaches for good.

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<https://allafrica.com/stories/202009210805.html>

Somalia

12 dead in clashes between troops, al-Shabaab in Somalia

At least 12 people have been killed in a series of clashes and attacks in south and central Somalia, sources said on Monday. Eight militants and two Somali soldiers were killed in clashes in the central Galgaduud region, said military official Masuud Warsame.

dailytrust 21 Sep 2020

<https://dailytrust.com/12-dead-in-clashes-between-troops-al-shabaab-in-somalia>

Somalia says army kills 12 Shabab militants

At least 12 Shabab militants were killed on Sunday in a military operation in the Lower Shabelle region in southern Somalia, a military officer said on Monday. Several Shabab extremists were also injured in the operation in Barire town, said Ahmed Hassan Siyad, 143 Section commander of the Somali National Army.

xinhuanet_en 21 Sep 2020

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2020-09/21/c_139385606.htm

Al-Shabaab Attacks Intensify As Election Looms

In the past week alone, Somalia has been the scene of over a dozen deadly terror attacks by al-Shabab. The Islamist militant group is seen to be bent on thwarting the forthcoming elections in the Horn of Africa country. More than a dozen attacks by the Islamist militant group al-Shabab were recorded....

allafrica 20 Sep 2020

<https://allafrica.com/stories/202009190077.html>

SNA Kills 13 Alshabaab Fighters in Lower Shabelle

The Somali National Army (SNA) killed 13 members of Al-Shabaab extremists on Sunday in an operation in the southern region of Lower Shabelle, a military official said on Monday. Ahmed Hassan Siyad, commander of the 143rd Unit of Somali Special Forces, told reporters that the army conducted an....

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<https://allafrica.com/stories/202009210752.html>

CENTRAL AFRICA

Democratic Republic of Congo

At least 10 civilians killed by rebels in DR Congo

At least 10 civilians have been killed by a Ugandan rebel group in the eastern part of the Democratic Republic of Congo, a conflict monitor group announced Monday. The incident occurred on Sunday night in the town of Mbau, territory of Beni, North-Kivu province, according to the Kivu security.

aa-en 21 Sep 2020

<https://www.aa.com.tr/en/africa/at-least-10-civilians-killed-by-rebels-in-dr-congo/1980366>

Est de la RDC : dix civils et un soldat tués dans "le triangle de la mort"

Dix civils et un soldat ont été tués dimanche soir dans une zone surnommée " le triangle de la mort " dans l'Est de la République démocratique du Congo lors d'une attaque attribuée au groupe armé des Forces démocratiques alliées (ADF), a indiqué lundi un responsable local. La nuit d'hier (dimanche à lundi), l'ennemi est entré de l'est vers l'ouest.

rtbf 21 Sep 2020

https://www.rtbf.be/info/monde/detail_est-de-la-rdc-dix-civils-et-un-soldat-tues-dans-le-triangle-de-la-mort?id=10589570

Nord-Kivu : 11 morts dans une attaque des ADF à Mbau

Au moins 11 personnes ont été tuées, d'autres disparues, trois maisons incendiées, après une nouvelle attaque attribuée aux rebelles ougandais des ADF, dans la nuit de

dimanche 20 septembre à Mbau, précisément dans les cellules de Kitoho, Majengo et Mangboko, en territoire de Beni (Nord-Kivu).

radiookapi 21 Sep 2020

https://www.radiookapi.net/2020/09/21/actualite/securite/nord-kivu-11-morts-dans-une-attaque-des-adf-mbau?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+radiookapi%2Factu+%28Radiookapi.net+-+Actualit%C3%A9%29

WEST AFRICA

Burkina Faso

Une vingtaine de terroristes "neutralisés" par l'armée en moins d'une semaine

L'armée burkinabè a affirmé lundi avoir "neutralisé" une vingtaine de terroristes les 11 et 13 septembre dernier, dans des opérations de sécurisation dans le Sahel et le nord du pays. Le 11 septembre, en riposte à une embuscade, dans la localité de Mentaou, dans le Sahel, onze terroristes ont été....

aouaga 7:10:00 AM CEST

<http://news.aOuaga.com/h/130789.html>

Mali

Cinq terroristes neutralisés par les forces armées maliennes dans le centre du Mali

Cinq terroristes ont été tués mercredi dernier à Tolodje, dans la localité de Nampala, au centre du Mali, par les forces armées maliennes, annonce, lundi, un communiqué du service d'information de l'Armée malienne.

infosplusgabon 21 Sep 2020

<http://www.infosplusgabon.com/index.php/component/content/article/29050-2020-09-21-17-05-41>

How Mali's coup affects the fight against jihadists

A month after the coup in Mali, the military leaders remain firmly committed to the fight against jihadists, but until there is a deal on restoring democracy the position looks fragile, writes West Africa analyst Paul Melly.

news-yahoo 2:48:00 AM CEST

<https://news.yahoo.com/malis-coup-affects-fight-against-000716822.html>

Nigeria

How Al-Qaeda, Boko Haram are recruiting Nigerians in North

The president of Ghana, Nana Akufo-Addo, has said Al-Qaeda and Boko Haram are taking advantage of poverty in North-East Nigeria, to recruit new members. Akufo-Addo stated this on Monday, while on a working visit to the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) Commission in Abuja..

onlinenigeria 1:00:00 AM CEST

<https://news2.onlinenigeria.com/news/general/851852-how-al-qaeda%2C-boko-haram-are-recruiting-nigerians-in-north-%E2%80%93-ghanaian-president-akufo-addo.html>

Boko Haram: Colonel, others killed in multiple Borno attacks

Scores of people have been killed and many wounded in multiple attacks in different locations in Borno State at the weekend. An army colonel who was injured in one of the encounters with suspected insurgents later died while receiving medical care. It was learnt that the insurgents opened fire on....

dailytrust 7:59:00 AM CEST

<https://dailytrust.com/boko-haram-colonel-others-killed-in-multiple-borno-attacks>

Bandits Recruiting Children Orphaned By Insecurity, Arewa Youths Allege

Northern youth group, the Arewa Youth Forum (AYF), has raised the alarm that, some of the over 44,000 youths orphaned by insecurity in Zamfara State are being recruited by marauding armed bandits terrorising the North-West and some North-Central states.

leadership 7:20:00 AM CEST

<https://leadership.ng/2020/09/22/bandits-recruiting-children-orphaned-by-insecurity-arewa-youths-allege/>

Arewa Youth claims bandits kill 11,000 in Zamfara

Bandits ...leaving about 22,000 widows By Ibrahim HassanWuyo. Killings by bandits in Zamfara State has claimed the lives of 11,000 adult males that were bread-winners of their families , leaving behind an estimated conservative figure of about 22,000 widows, the Arewa Youth Forum, AYF, has stated.

vanguardngr 7:00:00 AM CEST

<https://www.vanguardngr.com/2020/09/arewa-youth-claims-bandits-kill-11000-in-zamfara/>

Boko Haram Terrorists Kill Nigerian Army Commander

A Nigerian Army commander identified as Colonel DC Bako, has been killed by Boko Haram terrorists in Borno State. The senior military officer lost his life on Monday in an ambush set up by the insurgents, according to a report by HumAngle. Bako was Commander of Sector 2, Operation Lafiya Dole, the....

saharareporters 3:38:00 AM CEST

<http://saharareporters.com/2020/09/21/boko-haram-terrorists-kill-nigerian-army-commander>

SOUTHERN AFRICA

Mozambique

Two Killed in Sofala Ambush

Maputo Gunmen, believed to be members of the self-styled "Renamo Military Junta", murdered two people in ambushes against four buses in the central Mozambican province of Sofala on Sunday morning. According to a report on the independent television station, STV, the attacks occurred on the main....

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<https://allafrica.com/stories/202009210884.html>

ASIA

Afghanistan

Taliban key commander among 4 killed in Afghanistan's Badakhshan province

Four militants including a Taliban key commander Mawlawi Ataullah have been confirmed dead as clash flared up in Raghistan district of Afghanistan's northern Badakhshan province, provincial government spokesman Nik Mohammad Nazari said Tuesday.

xinhuanet_en 9:20:00 AM CEST

http://www.xinhuanet.com/english/2020-09/22/c_139387615.htm

India

Jawan injured, two-three terrorists trapped in encounter at Budgam's Charar-i-Sharief

An encounter broke out between security forces and terrorists in the Charar-i-Sharief area of the Budgam district of Central Kashmir on Monday. The Kashmir zone police confirming the encounter tweeted, “ #Encounter has started at Charar-i-Sharief area of #Budgam. Police and security forces are on the job.

dnaindia 21 Sep 2020

<https://www.dnaindia.com/india/report-jammu-and-kashmir-jawan-injured-two-three-terrorists-trapped-in-encounter-at-budgam-s-charar-i-sharief-2844405>

EUROPE

France

Au procès de l'Hyper Cacher, un tueur "totalement dénué d'empathie"

Quatre victimes assassinées en un quart d'heure par un tueur "totalement dénué d'empathie": au procès des attentats de janvier 2015, la cour d'assises spéciale de Paris s'est replongée lundi dans l'attaque antisémite de l'Hyper Cacher, marquée par la "cruauté" d'Amédée Coulibaly. "Il était froid, déterminé", sans "aucune empathie pour les victimes".

rtl-BE 21 Sep 2020

https://www.rtl.be/info/monde/france/au-proces-de-l-hyper-cacher-quatre-heures-de-terreur-et-de-cruaute-1245866.aspx?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+Rtlinfos-ALaUne+%28RTL.be+-+La+une+de+l%27actualit%C3%A9%29

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