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Article 17 on South Sudan

Developments in South Sudan Conflict: Uganda and the UPDF, Money, Kiir's Private Army and Scandals.

Our Articles 1 to 3 and 5 to 16 were situation analysis of the conflict in South Sudan. Our article 4 (A) and 4 (B) were the first of our series on "Who is Who". This short article (17) is dedicated to Uganda's UPDF, Money Issues, and Related Scandals, and Kiir's private Army

Uganda's UPDF and how they may be paid; or have they ALREADY been Paid?

The account we have on the UPDF's casualties has raised comments from several readers of our articles. We are confident of our figures. The UPDF and the remaining 4 political detainees still remain as sticky issues for any way forward in the Debre Zeit talks.

The issue of the 4 remaining detainees shall overshadow the real intentions of the "Magnificent 7" in addition to veterans like Gen. Edward Lino. The long comradeship and group endurance and shared hardships in the Bush will make it next to impossible to all the 7 released and the three generals (Machar, Alfred and Taban) to make any more moves without factoring in the safety of the 4.

Singling out one figure of the 4 Dr. Majak Agoot is necessary. He is a scholar. He is Dinka Bor. He is accepted by youth across the board as successor for Kiir. Now Kiir blew it!

News are coming out that there may have been presence and agreements relating to the UPDF prior to the fist battalion and C130 of December 19th. If it can be proved, as some allege, that the Ugandans started coming to South Sudan in July under an agreement with Kirr (and not for the LRA), then the issue of "Coups" may turn around to *Kiir planning the coup*.

But now to serious business and information that we got today from one, but reliable source. We are continuing to verify

1. When the violence started in Juba, Kiir took most of the \$\$ cash at the Bank of South Sudan and transferred it into a "Block Account" in Kampala (Out of all places in the world). The figure is in the order of many tens of millions of dollars but could be in the hundreds. We are still tracking.
2. The wrangling and talk and the hopelessly drafted SOFA between South Sudan and Uganda may have been in vain or now over-ridden by the bullying of Museveni.
3. John Dor Majok, the deputy Governor of the Bank of South Sudan (There are *two* deputy Governors to Cornelio Korum), flew to Kampala in February to cash and/or retrieve some of the money in the block account. There was no money in the Block Account. Majok

went all the way up to Museveni. The president of Uganda told him that the money was taken out upon his instructions (Block or no block makes no difference to Museveni) and has been given to the UPDF as partial payment on account.

4. Depending on how much the money is (and we are on our way to get the figure) we can assess how much is in the real agreement.
5. Now that Uganda has lost revenue in trade, they are compensating that gap in exporting death to the People of South Sudan. What a neighbour!

Who is John Dor:

1. Nuer from Bentiu
2. He was NCP (yes of Beshir!) before separation
3. A good man and may have been appointed to balance Cornelio who allegedly has considerable "Conflict of Interest" (to put it mildly) by having his sons trading in currency openly in Juba.
4. Tor must be in the good books of Kiir to be sent to deal with funds in Kampala.

Is Kiir pressed for cash and why?

Yes he is

But where is his "Presidency Funds" that are huge?

They went to pay and feed his "Personal Army" of Aweil/Warrap Dinkas who were stationed in his "private farm" north of Juba. The number swelled from 5000 that we had early December 2013 to 15,000 now. While Gen Hoth refused to pay them from the SPLA's money in December, one wonders if he still maintains his stand.

11,000 of those have been turned into SPLA "recruits" under the nose of James Hoth and are now joining the SPLA and replacing the Nuers who have left (and forever) as long as Kiir is president.

This "Grand Design" to make the Dinkas Majority in the SPLA is now working; as long as Kiir is in power!

Paul Malong (Malwal from Aweil) is at the heart of the Grand Design.

Kiir's uncle Tor Mawien is his "liquor buddy" and one of his advisor on the Grand Design.

John Garang, a Dinka, said and we quote:

"I and those who joined me in the bush and fought more than twenty years, have brought to you the CPA in a golden plate. Our mission is accomplished. It is now your turn, especially those who did not have a chance to experience bush-life. When the time comes to vote at the referendum, it is your golden choice to determine your fate. Would you like to vote to be second class citizens in your own country? It is absolutely your choice"

Dr. JG de Mabior Rumbek South Sudan 15 05 2005

How would the Nuers be reading this quote now?

Now! With this kind of mess and irrational behaviour, how on earth can an “Accountable Western Nation” give ONE dollar to South Sudan? This is the grand worry.

Now to General James Hoth himself

1. He has a very large farm in Madi Land! Yes those who live in the Magwi County and also occupying the districts of Adjumani and Moyo in Uganda. From south to north, their area runs from Nimule (at Sudan-Uganda border) to Nyolo River where the Madi mingle with Acholi, Bari and Lolubo. From the east to west, it runs from Parajok/Magwi to Uganda across the River Nile. *What on earth has Hoth (a Nuer) got to do with that land?* In South Sudan, land is still communal property of the communities.
2. His daughter is married to a Madi man and hence he is an in-law. Not only he, but hundreds of the Dinkas who fled Bor in 1991 moved to Madi land and married Madi women. They took land. They established business when the Madi ran away.
3. The Madi are among the most peaceful and most civilized in South Sudan. I wonder if Joseph Lagu would have joined the Anyanya if he were not an academy army officer! They love their land. We found late “Uncle” Serisio Eiro farming his land in 1984 after he was a member of the Head of State body in Sudan.

Scandals? Fear? May be!

We are informed that about a couple of month ago, the sons of Kiir were stripped of their Australian Nationality.

Why?

We are informed that they were caught with \$3 million cash and were allegedly trading in narcotics

We are also informed by reliable sources that Kiir lives in massive fear now. For a while after Dec 15th he was not leaving his fortified house.

When he had (and currently has) to leave his home, the roads are totally cleared and for hours. The Ugandan Supplied and Ugandan Driver APCs running at high speeds are before him and after him

More will come in future Article

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