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1 6 Deaths

Injuries

13 Nigerian Soldiers Killed in Terrorists Ambush as Insurgents Resurge in Africa's Sahel Region



Thirteen Nigerian soldiers were reported dead in a gun battle with insurgents when a military convoy was ambushed by terrorists linked to the Islamic State West Africa Province Group (ISWAP) in Gazagana village, in the north-eastern state of Yobe on Saturday. Heavy gunfire and rocket-propelled grenades hit the military convoy, reports said. The Nigerian military confirmed the incidence, even though it initially said that only one soldier died and 28 jihadists were "neutralized". ISWAP had carried out series of attacks on soldiers in Yobe and Borno states. Earlier on Friday (January 8), Boko Haram militants have killed 14 people in an overnight attack in the town of Mozogo, in Cameroon's Far North region. The jihadist group has in recent days staged several...

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Injuries: Not Specified

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2 Female Soldiers Killed in Gunmen Attack in Balkh



At least two female ANA soldiers were killed and three others were wounded in a gunmen attack on an army vehicle in Balkh province on Tuesday morning, local officials said. The attack happened in PD5 of Mazar-e-Sharif, capital of Balkh province, targeting an army vehicle which was carrying female soldiers and officers, said Mohammad Haneef Rezae, a spokesman for the Afghan National Army's 209 Shaheen Corps. "The attack happened while the soldiers and officers were on their way to the military corps. Gunmen opened fire on their vehicle," he said, adding that "Two female soldiers were killed and three others including their driver--a man--was wounded". He said investigations are ongoing. No group including the Taliban immediately...

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Deaths: 2

Injuries: 3

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PESHAWAR: Gunmen riding on a motorcycle shot and killed a policeman in Karak district of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP) on Tuesday as he escorted a team of polio workers. The attack came on the second day of a nationwide anti-polio vaccination campaign that authorities launched on Monday in an effort to eradicate the crippling disease by the end of the year. The polio workers on the team in Karak escaped unharmed, according to local police officer Irfan Khan. A search for the attackers who fled the scene was underway, he added. No one immediately claimed responsibility for the attack. KP Inspector General of Police (IGP) Sanaullah Abbasi also took notice of the incident and said that the official's killers will be caught soon. He further said that...













Not Specified

An explosive device exploded on a store for selling alcoholic beverages in the Adhamiya area



Baghdad (NINA) - A security source announced to (NINA) that an explosive device had exploded on a store selling alcoholic beverages in the Adhamiya area, without human losses, but only material. An explosive device targeted an alcoholic beverages store on Al-Nidhal Street this afternoon, wounding one person. / End

















Pompeo confirms No. 2 al-Qaeda leader killed in Iran, asserts Tehran giving 'home base' to terror group



Abu Muhammad al-Masri, the No. 2 leader of al-Qaeda was killed in Iran last summer, Secretary of State Mike Pompeo confirmed on Tuesday, though he did not say if the U.S. ordered his assassination or had a role in carrying it out. "Today, I can confirm for the first time his death on August 7th of last year," Pompeo said in remarks at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. The New York Times reported in November that al-Masri was "gunned down" in Tehran by Israeli agents at the behest of the United States. He was on the FBI's "Most Wanted List" for his role in the U.S. embassy bombings in Kenya and Tanzania in 1998, which left more than 200 people deal, including 12 Americans. Pompeo confirmed al-Masri's death in a broader speech that...





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United States Takes Action To Counter Iranian Support for al-Qa'ida



... The United States is also committed to seeing that al-Qa'ida's senior leadership based in Iran faces justice. The Department of State's Rewards for Justice (RFJ) program is announcing a reward for up to \$7 million for information leading to the location or identification of Abd-al-Rahman al-Maghrebi, an Iran-based key leader of the al-Qa'ida terrorist group. The Department is also re-advertising previously announced reward offers on three additional senior al-Qa'ida leaders, including two operating in Iran: Sayf al-Adel and Yasin al-Suri. Today, we are drawing attention to the nature of the Iran-al-Qa'ida relationship and are taking the actions necessary to crush al-Qa'ida and its links to Iran. We urge all nations to do the same – for the good of our...





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Afghan forces foil ISIS plan to assassinate US envoy



KABUL • The Afghan authorities said yesterday they had foiled a plan by the Islamic State in Iraq and Syria (ISIS) group to assassinate the top US envoy in Kabul, as a wave of targeted killings continues to rock the country. Intelligence officers dismantled a four-member ISIS cell in the eastern province of Nangarhar that had planned to murder Mr Ross Wilson and Afghan officials, the National Directorate of Security (NDS) said. Mr Wilson, US Charge d'Affaires in Kabul, has condemned a series of assassinations in the capital and other cities of prominent Afghans including journalists, activists and politicians in recent months. "The main assassin and facilitator of the cell, Abdul Wahed, had planned to assassinate the US ambassador in

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The International Coalition warplanes kill seven terrorists and destroy an ISIS tunnel in Kirkuk



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Baghdad / NINA / - The International Coalition warplanes killed seven terrorists and destroyed a tunnel in an air strike in Wadi Al-Shay in Kirkuk. A statement by the Joint Operations Command, that the National Iraqi News Agency / NINA / received a copy of it stated that the international coalition aircraft carried out two air strikes, at the order of the Joint Operations Command, at dawn today, against ISIS terrorist gangs in Wadi Al-Shay in Kirkuk Governorate." He explained that a force from the 45th Infantry Brigade within the section of the forward headquarters of the Joint Operations Command in Kirkuk searched the place, and the force found scattered remains estimated at (7) of the dead terrorist elements, in addition to finding a tunnel 10 meters...





ISIS Sniper In Kirkuk Arrested



Baghdad / NINA /- Detachments of the Intelligence Agency represented by the Federal Police Intelligence Directorate at the Ministry of Interior arrested one of the terrorists wanted in accordance with the provisions of Article 4 (terrorism) for belonging to ISIS terrorist gangs. The agency said in a statement that: The terrorist worked in the so-called Kirkuk sector as a sniper within al-Qadisiyah Division's Snipers Brigade. The statement added, "The arrest operation took place in Laylan IDP camp, as he was hiding in it away from the security forces." The statement indicated: The sniper's statements were recorded with confessions of his belonging to these criminal gangs, and his participation in several terrorist operations within his competence in...







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The Anti-Terrorism Service arrested five terrorists in separate areas









Scattered areas

New attacks at the Ethiopian border in eastern Sudan



Five women and a child were killed in an attack by Ethiopian gunmen on a village in eastern Sudan's El Gedaref yesterday. In another attack by Ethiopian armed forces, aimed at Sudanese armed forces, civilians were killed too. A listener told Radio Dabanga from El Fashaga that Ethiopian militiamen (known as shifta in the region) launched a new attack on El Fashaga El Sughra yesterday afternoon. "Five women and a child from the village of Leya in El Guresha locality were killed", the witness said. He added that the Sudanese army repelled the attack. Sources told the Sudan Tribune that the attack took place during corn harvesting operations at the border area, where the Sudanese army carried out patrols to comb the area and drive out.

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