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Deaths

Injuries

Senior Afghan peace ministry official survives 'IED explosion'



Khushnood Nabizada, Chief of Staff at State Ministry for Peace and the founder of Khaama Press News Agency, was targeted in an IED blast in Kabul city on Monday morning. Nabizada told Khaama Press that the blast happened as he was on his way to work, and he was not seriously wounded in the incident. He had two of his children, a daughter and a son in the car with him, fortunately, they did not inflict any injuries, his driver was mildly wounded. He added that there was no information on whether the blast was by a magnetic IED or a roadside IED caused it... No group including the Taliban has claimed responsibility for the attack.









Kahul



Deaths: Null



Injuries: I



Not Specified

Civilian, Security Force Member Killed in 2nd Kabul Blast



At least one civilian and a security force member were killed in a blast on an army vehicle in Kabul on Monday afternoon, Kabul police said in a statement. The blast happened about 12:00pm local time from an IED hitting an army vehicle in the Jangalak area of PD7 of Kabul city, the statement said. However, the police have not provided further details about the blast. No group including the Taliban immediately claimed responsibility for the blast. Also, a blast targeted an armored vehicle belonging to Khushnood Nabizada, head of the office of the state minister for peace affairs this morning, but there were no casualties, security officials said. The incident happened around 7:26 am local time in the Shaheed roundabout in Kabul in PD10 after Nabizada's...





















Two soldiers hurt in N. Waziristan blast



NORTH WAZIRISTAN: An improvised explosive device targeted a patrolling party of the security forces in Razmak subdivision of the North Waziristan tribal district on Sunday, injuring two soldiers. Officials said the blast occurred in Dumdail area, adding the wounded soldiers were identified as Subedar Yousaf and Sepoy Hazrat Ali. They were shifted to the government hospital in Miramshah. The officials said the security forces opened fire on the suspected attackers but they managed to escape. The security forces also launched a search operation in the area.

















losive devices exploded at two alcoholic beverages and massage parlors in the Karrada area



Baghdad / NINA / -A security source announced that two explosive devices had exploded in the Karrada area (Street 62), the first targeting a shop selling alcoholic drinks and the second targeted a massage shop. / End









Baghdad









Lebanon army arrests 18 Lebanese, Syrians linked to Islamic State: statement



BEIRUT (Reuters) - Lebanon's army said on Monday it had arrested 18 people, some Lebanese and others Syrian, with links to Islamic State. The arrests came in "field operations" that took place over the past two weeks in the border town of Arsal in the north, an army statement said. The individuals arrested confessed to belonging to the Islamic State jihadist group and supporting it, and several weapons were also confiscated, it said. Juroud Arsal, a barren area in the mountains between Syria and Lebanon, was previously a base of operations for insurgents fighting in the Syrian civil war, including militants from Islamic State and the group formerly known as the Nusra Front.





REUTERS





Arsal

National Security arrests a suicide bomber intending to blow himself up in Baghdad



The spokesman for the Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, Major General Yahya Rasool, announced the dismantling of a terrorist detachment, including a suicide bomber who was intending to blow himself up earlier in the capital, Baghdad. Rasul said in a statement received by the Iraqi News Agency (INA), today, Tuesday, that the detachments of the National Security Agency in the governorates of Salah al-Din and Diyala, managed to dismantle a terrorist detachment belonging to the so-called Diyala sector, and to arrest its four members, including a (suicide) who was intending to blow himself up. Earlier in Baghdad, as well as the arrest of (the commander of the detachment, the transporter and the soldier). He added that this... (Translated)









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An element of ISIS arrested in Kirkuk



A force of the Federal Police Mechanized Division in Kirkuk arrested a wanted person in accordance with Article 4 of terrorism. A Federal Police statement stated that the arrest took place after receiving accurate intelligence, with his presence within the sector of responsibility of the Third Regiment, the Third Automated Brigade, and a tight ambush for him on the main street of the Riyadh district in Hawija district, Kirkuk governorate. It added that after the initial investigations it became clear that the wanted person had occupied several positions in the terrorist and criminal gangs, the most important of which was during his work in the socalled "Office of the Soldiers" as he participated in carrying out operations targeting the security forces. / End



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3 Terrorists Arrested In Nineveh



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Baghdad / NINA / -The police forces have arrested three ISIS terrorists in Nineveh. A statement by the Nineveh Police Command stated, "The Third Police Emergency Regiment of the Nineveh Police Command arrested (three) members of the terrorist ISIS gangs in the (Sumer district) on the left side of the city of Mosul". The statement added: "One of them was working in the so-called (Islamic police) and the other terrorist, known as (Hassan), was working as a fighter in the so-called (Nahawand Division) and the third terrorist, was working in charge of the so-called prisoners' affairs (officers and members of the security forces) to ISIS during its control over the city of Mosul. " / End







CDS: Military equipment to fight Boko Haram in transit to Nigeria



The Chief of Defence Staff (CDS), Maj.-Gen. Lucky Irabor, says military equipment purchased by the President Muhammadu Buhari administration have yet to arrive in Nigeria. However, he stated that the welfare of troops fighting Boko Haram and ISWAP insurgents in the North-East remains one of the top priorities of the present administration. The military chief stated this on Sunday in Maiduguri while addressing troops at the Military's Command and Control Centre during his first operational visit. The CDS, who was accompanied by the Chief of Army Staff, Maj.-Gen. Ibrahim Attahiru, Chief of Air Staff, Air Vice Marshal Isiaka Amao, and the Chief of Naval Staff, Rear Admiral Awwal Gambo, assured the troops of improved welfare the theatre to...

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Blinken warns Iran could be on course to have enough fuel for nuclear weapon within 'weeks'

In his first major interview as Secretary of State, Antony Blinken repeated his warning that Iran could be on course to get enough fissile material to build a nuclear weapon within months, adding that if Iran continues to lift restraints from the nuclear deal, it could be "a matter of weeks". Speaking to NBC News, Mr Blinken said the US would be willing to once again comply with the 2015 nuclear deal if Iran does the same, saying that the US would then work on a "longer and stronger" deal with allies which could include other issues, including Iran's development of advanced missile technology and its deployment of armed groups throughout the Middle East. Mr Blinken avoided giving a clear answer when asked if the release of detained Americans..





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