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**POLITICS;**

**Oulanyah blocks MPs from tabling list of dead UPDF soldiers;** the deputy speaker of parliament Jacob Oulanyah on Wednesday blocked shadow defence minister and Kilak South MP Gilbert Olanya from tabling a list of the dead Uganda People's Defence Forces fighters that were killed during the Easter holiday double attack by the al-shabaab militia in Somalia. [Read More](#)

**ENERGY IN THE NEWS;**

**Oil exploration brings mixed fortunes in Bunyoro;** the discovery of commercially viable oil deposits in the Albertine basin in western Uganda excited many Ugandans. It is estimated that Uganda will earn between \$2 billion and \$3 billion per year when commercial oil production begins. [Read More](#)

**NATIONAL;**

**Luwalira, Lwanga to get special security after threats;** the Inspector General of Police, Martins Okoth Ochola has met the Catholic Archbishop of Kampala Cyprian Kizito Lwanga and the Anglican Bishop Kityo Luwalira separately amid threats on their lives. [Read More](#)

**REGIONAL;**

**UN condemns attack on UPDF soldiers in Somalia;** the United Nations Security Council has called for a crackdown on financiers of Al-Shabaab terrorists around the world and condemned the attacks on Ugandan forces in Somalia that left eight soldiers dead and six injured. [Read More](#)

**GRAFT;**

**Government fails to punish 50 corrupt officials;** in her 2017 report presented to parliament last month, Mulyagonja cited 50 instances, dating back to 2009, in which her office recommended punishment for corrupt officials but nothing has been done. Mulyagonja says over time corruption has evolved from merely robbing into sophisticated collusion. [Read More](#)

**BUSINESS;**

**Indian firms seek to invest \$600m in mining;** three Indian firms have expressed interest to invest more than Shs2 trillion in Uganda's energy and mineral sectors. The investment seeks to boost local production as well as create more jobs. [Read More](#)

**SPORTS;**

**Ugandan athletics team jets to Gold Coast;** a second team of 13 runners, a javelin thrower and coach Nalis Bigingo have been flagged off this afternoon at the National Sports Complex at Lugogo by AIGP Andrew Sorowen. [Read More](#)

**And finally; City accountant kidnapped by armed men again;** Gerald Yashaba, an accountant with Lamba Enterprise Ltd was last evening kidnapped again from Best Price Supermarket in Namuwongo by five armed men traveling in a blue double cabin pick-up. [Read More](#)

**Today's scripture; John 14:4-6**

**ESKOMorning quote; "You have to stay faithful to what you're working on." By-Stephen King**

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