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POLITICAL;

MPs conclude peace mission in Karamoja; legislators from Karamoja have concluded their tour to preach peace in the wake of the increasing insecurity resulting from cattle raids. The security in the region is fragile due to the proliferation of illegal firearms entering the region from South Sudan. [Read More](#)

ENERGY NEWS.

Stanbic reassures Uganda on oil and gas financing; Stanbic Bank says it will give capital for oil and gas developments in Uganda. The bank's stand comes amidst growing opposition against fossil fuels including oil and gas in favor of renewable energy. [Read More](#)

NATIONAL;

Govt to block essential workers without electronic travel permits; essential workers without electronic permits issued by the Ministry of Works and Transport will not be allowed on the roads today. [Read More](#)

REGIONAL;

World Bank, AU agree to vaccinate 400m Africans; the World Bank and African Union have partnered to support the Africa Vaccine Acquisition Task Team initiative with resources to allow countries to purchase and deploy vaccines for up to 400 million people across Africa. [Read More](#)

HEALTH;

Medics disagree on Covid-19 vaccination plan; if you give more first doses out, we have a chance of at least four and eight weeks to protect more people. But if we are giving a booster [second] dose, the few who are getting it will have better protection, but it will not help us as a country in fighting the epidemic. [Read More](#)

EDUCATION;

Parents ask gov't to use Community Stations for radio lessons; parents in the greater Ankole region have asked the government to consider utilizing radio stations from the respective districts to ensure continuity of learning as schools remain closed. [Read More](#)

BUSINESS;

Shippers seek redress from regional court over SGR use; Ugandan shippers want their Kenyan counterparts to join them in seeking redress from regional courts to allow them to choose their preferred mode of transport for cargo from Mombasa Port. [Read More](#)

SPORTS;

Vaccination delays Kirabo's departure; swimmer Kirabo who is based at the Fina camp in Russian city Kazan was meant to be part of the group but she did not join in because of the Covid-19 vaccination protocol in place. [Read More](#)

***And finally; Entebbe hospital staff in panic as ten medics battle Covid-19;* medical workers at Entebbe Regional Referral Hospital are in panic after ten other medics contracted COVID-19 while on duty. The ten medics have been on treatment for three weeks now, putting a toll on the facility which has more than 130 patients, 48 of them in critical condition. [Read More](#)**

Today's scripture; *Psalms 23*

ESKOMorning quote; *"The sun himself is weak when he first rises and gathers strength and courage as the day gets on."* By- Charles Dickens

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