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POLITICAL;

Bobi Wine dares police, army on red beret; NUP leader Robert Kyagulanyi, alias Bobi Wine, has ordered his supporters to wear the red beret, resurrecting the battle between the army and his camp on the dress code nearly a year later. [Story](#)

ENERGY IN THE NEWS:

Petroleum Authority to approve Shs21 trillion in oil contracts; the Petroleum Authority of Uganda, the key regulator of Uganda's oil and gas resources, is finalising the approval of contracts worth \$6 billion for over 40 work packages, and contracts for the Tilenga, Kingfisher and the EACOP projects that have been submitted by several licensees to the Authority. [Story](#)

NATIONAL;

Govt moves to lock out unvaccinated public servants; government is considering blocking unvaccinated public servants from offices after soaring cases of infections were registered in the past weeks. [Story](#)

REGIONAL

Attackers use Uganda-Congo army fatigues to raid DRC villages; a joint Ugandan and Congolese military offensive is facing a new threat after attackers copied the official army fatigues of the troops to raid villages in eastern Democratic Republic of Congo. [Story](#)

EDUCATION;

Govt to vaccinate 18-year-old students at school; government has announced plans to vaccinate 18-year-old students from their respective schools. [Story](#)

HEALTH;

Booster doses of current vaccines may not be enough; the WHO said Tuesday that current COVID-19 vaccines may need to be updated if they are to provide continued protection against emerging variants, including Omicron. [Story](#)

BUSINESS;

Oil prices jump amid demand hopes; the rally came after the U.S. Energy Information Administration said Tuesday in its Short-Term Energy Outlook that it expected global oil demand to grow by 3.6 million barrels per day in 2022, higher than last month's estimate. [Story](#)

SPORTS;

Chaos, controversy at Cup of Nations as Mali, Gambia and Ivory Coast all win; there were chaotic scenes at the Africa Cup of Nations on Wednesday as Mali beat Tunisia in a game marred by controversy when the referee blew the final whistle before the 90 minutes had been played. [Story](#)

And finally; Rwandans 'flee' to DR Congo over Covid vaccine rules; small groups of Rwandans, travelling by canoe, have landed on the southern edge of Idjwi island in Lake Kivu which straddles the border, Karongo Kalaja, the administrator of Idjwi, told AFP. [Story](#)

Today's scripture; Corinthians 3:16

ESKOMorning quote; "If you want to conquer fear, don't sit home and think about it. Go out and get busy" By- Dale Carnegie

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