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The dictator's NRM every where

Posted By Musa

Every man with his own wife, some men when their wives go to the mall without their knowledge, two miles away, their eyes will roll out of the socket. You know, your wife has an identity, before you married her. If she likes to eat boiled matooke, and you like to eat matooke in banana leaves, that is your choice, work out a deal, and let her be. Go for marriage seminars.

The play book of the losers is on display. Labeling unaa supporters as m7 backers is an insult please find other ways to channel your frustrations.

On 9/10/10, Ssemakula: Mr. Nyange,

Now I am confused. How come there is no mention of a bomb scare in Mr. Gombya's article (below)? Or, was it just a plain naked lie? And if so, who was it supposed to demonize or appease?

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Subject: RE: [UNAA NET] RE: KABAKA ORDERED NNABAGEREKA AWAY FROM UNAA-HENRY GOBYA REPORTING

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Kabaka ordered Nnabagereka away from UNAA

Written by: Editor on 9th September 2010

By Henry Gombya

His Majesty the Kabaka of Buganda Ronald Muwenda Mutebi II. Ordered Nnabagereka not to deliver keynote speech at UNAA convention in Washington DC. The Kabaka of Buganda HM Ronald Muwenda Mutebi II ordered his wife, the Nnabagereka Sylvia Nagginda Luswata not to go ahead with delivering a keynote speech at the recently concluded Ugandan North American Association (UNAA) convention in Washington DC. Reliable sources have told Str8talk Chronicle that The Kabaka was not aware that his wife was due to address the UNAA convention and that when he heard

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about it, he made it very clear to her in no uncertain terms that Buganda would have nothing to do with UNAA. The Nnabagereka was invited to Washington by the Uganda Cancer Research (UCR) of which she is its patron.

Speaking to Str8talk Chronicle in Washington DC, UCR's US representative Dr Sam Mbulaiteye said the organisation had invited Her Royal Highness to Washington in her capacity as the UCR patron. "UNAA kindly requested us that if we did not mind, it would be a good thing if she could deliver the keynote speech."

On arrival in Washington, Dr Mbulaiteye told us that HRH went about doing her work, visiting various charity organisations in the US capital. On the day she was supposed to deliver her speech, the Convention Center at the Gaylord Hotel in the Washington Harbor area was suddenly visited by US secret police who told surprised delegates that they had received a terror scare. Unconfirmed reports said US authorities received a call to the fact that an attempt would be made on the life of Her Royal Highness. Suddenly the hotel lobby filled up with security personnel with most of them talking in their sleeves to God knows who. Then the area on the second floor where UNAA was holding its convention became a no-go area with men in black and having ivory-colored wires in their ears stopping and searching everyone trying to access to the convention floor.

By this time several delegates had assembled in the convention hall. On hearing about the security scare against the Princess, most started moving out and congregated in the hotel lobby. Later on, UNAA President Moses Wilson addressed the few delegates still remaining on the convention floor. He told then that the Nnabagereka was just about 20 miles away from the hotel and would arrive as soon as the security scare had subsided. Surprisingly, he went on to read a speech about the various works that the Buganda royal was involved in.

Confronted the following day as to why the UCR had not come out with a statement as to why the Nnabagereka never made the trip to the hotel, Dr Mbulaiteye told Str8talk Chronicle that a statement would be made available later. He however regretted that her inability to deliver the keynote speech overshadowed the many good works she does for UCR as its patron.

Our sources said they had contacted the Kabaka in Kampala who showed surprise that his wife was due to deliver a keynote speech at the UNAA convention. We later learned that an appearance by the Buganda Queen at the Voice of America talk show Straight Talk was cancelled at the last minute after the Buganda kingdom became jittery over questions she was due to be asked regarding the kingdom's relations with the central government.

The failure by the Nnabagereka to deliver the keynote speech completely overshadowed the whole UNAA convention. It was obvious to all that many people in Buganda were unhappy that Her Royal Highness would be giving a speech at the UNAA convention which most have now come to regard as being heavily influenced by Uganda's ruling party, the National Resistance Movement (NRM), whose leader Yoweri Museveni last year ordered his security men to stop the Kabaka from visiting part of his kingdom Buganda.

Baganda royalists have also become unsettled by the way the Nnabagereka has started moving around on her own with her husband left home. They were also not happy that she had chosen to agree to an engagement with UNAA without offering to attend another convention, solely by and for the Baganda in New Jersey,

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the Ttabamiruka. Many Baganda believe that the original idea of UNAA which was to provide space for Ugandans living in the United States to meet each other and share common beliefs, has now been replaced by a convention now quite political and largely supported by the government in Kampala. Some delegates at this year's UNAA convention were clearly uncomfortable at the presence in their midst of many Uganda government spies, who mingled with them and tried to listen in on every conversation. Just like in the Idi Amin days, the NRM spies could be quickly picked up. Most spoke in Kinyankole, rented the best rooms at the hotel and could afford to buy so many drinks regardless of the prohibitive price of drinks and meals at the Gaylord Hotel. Even a quickly-arranged restaurant where delegates could have a traditional Uganda meal at the Marriott Hotel opposite the Gaylord, where delegates enjoyed a dish of Matooke, rice and meat, was run by a Westerner who charged \$15 a plate and a dollar for a small bottle of water.

Many Baganda in the US capital who spoke to Str8talk Chronicle on condition they were not named, said they were convinced the Museveni regime was trying to use UNAA to divide them. They said that of recent, the Uganda leader, Yoweri Museveni, has tried to remove everything the Baganda owns. They mentioned the closure of the Buganda bank, the shutting down of the Buganda CBS radio, the burning of the Kasubi Tombs and the attempts by the NRM regime to take away Mailo land from them. "The list is so exhaustive. We have been here before and we have prevailed. Despite all that the central government is trying to do against us, we will prevail once again. The British colonialists tried to do the same. They took away our king in an attempt to break up the kingdom. Milton Obote did the same by storming the Kabaka's palace in 1966 and forcing him to flee the country. We prevailed then and we will prevail now," a delegate who chose anonymity said.