

1992

David Rawson Notes: June 1992 to November 1992 Rwanda Timeline

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24 Jul ~~4~~ B Jul 92 Brussels 09690 Belgium Read out on
Cease fire Development and Italy's visit

#4 Haby did not appear to support 100% Amara
accords. After Bush letter, Belgians did not
discuss any prisoners.

24 Jul ~~State~~ 92 State 240231 (+ Kampala) Planned
Talk Meeting with Kanyarengwe. Tell K we
call on RPF not to launch any new military initiatives
- we call on RPF to exercise utmost restraint - (same message to GOR)

28 Jul 92 Kigali 03066 Status Report No. 4, GOR-RPF
Casama This troops obeying orders in respect of initiative,
stretched to limit, demoralized, simply wish to see an end to the
fighting

4 11 Aug 92 Kigali 03324 RPF Releases Elean POWs over to the ICRC
No solution for 23 ex GOR POWS Uganda & Belgium
refuse to accept them - Ug. passport holders & refugees in U or B

12 Aug ~~State~~ 92 State 259636
INR/AA Africa Trends 8/7/92

Security Scandal in S of

Somalia - world

Ethiopia Oromo

Rwanda

Zambia War in mmj

Malawi Human Rights Rotten leader

42. Radio Rwanda let Haby misty recorded message of MEND

43. Boycotting Council of Ministers - In
In last six months Haby demoted from ruler to leader.

11 Dec 92 Kigali 05119

3 Led by PN Amb of Del. France Ger. and U.S. met w H on Dec 10 & 11 in Dec 11

look for Addis report on JPMC July 26

29 Sept 92 Addis Ababa 04935 Arusha JPMC Meeting 26-28 Sep 92
14. Next JPMC Addis 25-30 October
16 At opening session There was very little evidence

of progress in national reconciliation. Arusha in its former JPMC meeting, however, members of the two Rwandan delegations seemed to get along well.

14 Oct 92 Kigali 04258 Arusha III . B. Kigali View

All parties demonstrated last week in favor of the Arusha negotiator

20 Oct 92 Kigali 04322 Internal Debate on Arusha Process

MRND spurned invitation from other 4 parties to a meeting to discuss meeting with the RPF.

MOR Internal security a concern two assassinations
accused Ruhigira of poisoning
commandant of Kibuye.

Mugenzi proposes French take active role in internal security.

3 Nov 92 Kigali 4322 Arusha Suspension and Beyond

#19. The MDR, PL, and PSD are equally determined to exclude the CDR from the next transition govt.

They are even more determined to keep the CDR out than they are to force the MRND into a permanent minority status.

13 Nov 92 Kigali 4680 Arusha Follow-up:

#5 Parties asked me to invite Pres. to Pres. to meet with them
I would consult with papal nuncio and E. amb to see if we had good ideas on helping internal dialogue

3. Jul 92 Kigali 3129
Opposition Parties Accept RPF Sincerity

#5 ~~see~~ Kagame since truce came into effect skirmishes
not attacks were occurring. Battle brewing in Butaro when
GOR is marched.

#7 Twagiramungu commented that RPF mistrust of the
President is fundamental to its conception of a new transition
government. Current transit govt is manipulated by the President.

#10. At Brussels press conference RPF said it would return
to Rwanda as a military force ~~not as a~~ ^{rather than} as a political party
Twaga said Belg reporters must have ~~mis~~ ^{mis} interpreted the RPF's
statement.

RPF would like to National Council for Reconciliation to which
new govt would be responsible. Role study how to end
"dictatorship." Council composed of party representatives would
precede not follow a national conference. Twaga appears
to support NC as best way to build consensus in society.

21 Jul 92 Kigali 01958 GOR ministry of Defense stated that
the RPF violated the truce in morning of July 20

01999 Reports exaggeration
3028
~~2958~~ Reevaluation RPF steadily pushing at

23 July
Dutiny apparently from French military
sum = success in pushing FAR out of positions on the margins
of the zone
FAR at rock bottom when
positions but they
... ..

Pres. Clinton ~~13~~ 13
Pres. Ken 25

17 Jul 92 Kigali 02934 Forum Launched
Consensus-Building Campaign for Political and
Military Talks.

had received from Council of Ministers position of
principle - right of RPF to be integrated into all sectors
of Rwandan life including military &
participate pluralistic pol process providing it
abandoned armed struggle

Council gave vote of support and create commission of 4

20 Jul 92 Kigali 02945 Opposition Parties Plan to Meet Kagame
to meet Kagame + find out if Le Blues Arusha agreement
contains RPF

29 Jun 92 Kigali 02670 Multi-party Government After Ten Weeks

#8 Mugenzi RPF victory would be a disaster. Many
Rwandans RPF arrives in Kigali as grasping for power
and thereby generating a war of monstrous proportions.

No one wants this to happen, least of all the RPF which wishes
to retain its role as defender of the Tutsi, not be overwhelmed
by a newly powerful RPF

#7 PM in speech accuses RPF of duplicity and - launching major attack
Byumba ^{or} ^{the same day the negotiations to}
^{end the war began in Paris}

#12 President told me he was disappointed not to have elections by
the 30th Anniversary of the country. He also reiterated ~~his~~ his
commitment to have elections held in a free and fair way

so all people could confide in them. His ministers