More Cabinet Picks to be Referred to Wolesi Jirga Soon

For his part, the minister promised a proactive foreign policy would be framed based on discussions with intellectuals, members of parliament, political parties and technocrats. He said he would try to place a balanced foreign policy, supported by the people of Afghanistan, before public representatives for approval. Rehman vowed to serve all Afghans, not a specific group, and that he would… (More on P8.10)

8 Cabinet Ministers, Spymaster Formally Embark on Work

FAHRGHAN CITY, QALAI-AHMAD NAWA.- President Ghani’s picks for the nine key slots, including the National Directorate of Security (NDS) head… (More on P6.12)

Australia Warns ISIS May Expand into Afghanistan

At a security summit between Australia and UK, assessments shared on possible ISIS spread into Taliban elements.

KABUL.- Australia’s foreign minister said Monday there is a danger of Islamic State (ISIS) terrorists expanding operations to Afghanistan, even though there is little evidence of a presence there now. Julie Bishop, hosting Britain’s Philip Hammond and Defence Secretary Michael Fallon for a security summit last week, said she was made aware of “some evidence of a connection” between ISIS and стремлян the Taliban on a recent visit to Afghanistan. (More on P6.12)

Farah, Baghdis PCs Also Join Protest against AHDRO

AHRDO was formed in 1992 with the aim of promoting democracy, human rights and human development. It is a non-governmental, non-political and non-profit organization with the mission to establish a democratic and stable Afghanistan where the rule of law is respected and human rights are protected.

AHRDO's vision is to create a society where individuals are free to express their opinions, participate in decision-making and have access to education, healthcare and basic human rights. It works towards advocating for the rights of women, children, marginalized communities and other vulnerable groups.

AHRDO is committed to promoting democratic values and principles, ensuring the protection of human rights and promoting the rule of law. It encourages open dialogue and collaboration among all stakeholders to build a strong, inclusive and peaceful society in Afghanistan.
Library, Children’s Park Being Established

KANDAHAR CITY - A public library for children’s park will be established on the outskirts of southern Kandahar province, officials said on Monday.

Kandahar City Mayor Mohammad Omar Omar told journalists in a press conference on Monday that the city would establish a library and a playground on the outskirts of the city.

The mayor said that the project would be completed within 30 days.

Omar said that the city government would provide the necessary facilities for the project.

The project is expected to be completed within the next 90 days.

Library, Children’s Park Being Established

Awaken (Mar, 22-April 20)

Cancer (June 21-July 20)

For you to express your emotional needs: When you are the cancer person, you will understand and respect the other’s need to be supported in your own way. The other is the one who’s expecting you to guide him as well.

You are the one who needs to support the other person. You are the one who needs to be supported:

Taurus (May 21-June 20)

Viral (Aug 23-Sep 22)

Sagittarius (Nov 23-Dec 22)

You might be feeling very much today, which is because of the new moon in your daily-life energy. You are the one who needs to be sensitive to your energetic needs:

Capricorn (Dec 21-Jan 19)

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18)

Pisces (Feb 19-Mar 20)

You must be aware of the fact that you are the one who needs to be protected.

You are the one who is feeling very much today:

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Women Issues must be Dealt Permanently

The rights and role of women in Afghanistan have been important in shaping the society, economy, and governance. However, women have not been free from discrimination and appropriate efforts focused on them. As a result, the key issues pertaining to the plight of women in the country have remained unresolved. From education to healthcare, the situation has not improved, and the rights of women continue to be undermined. The lack of women's representation in society, politics, and the governmental decision-making process has created significant problems. The traditional patriarchal system, which is deeply rooted in Afghan culture, continues to influence women's lives, leading to limited opportunities for education, employment, and other civic engagements.

Sustaining the Spirit of Goodness!

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Women's issues have been a major concern in the international community, but efforts to improve the status of women in Afghanistan have been slow. The lack of women's representation in government and decision-making processes continues to be a significant barrier to their empowerment. The Afghan government and international organizations have made some progress in recent years, but more needs to be done.

The Negative Role of Media in Our Society

The negative impact of media on the mind and attitude of our youth is beyond doubt. The influence of negative media content is not limited to the younger generation; it affects people of all ages. The media should be a source of positive influence, but often, it promotes negative values and behaviors. The media has a significant role in shaping public opinion and has the potential to either reinforce or challenge societal norms.

Central provinces
February 03, 2014

1) More Cabinet

Prime Minister of Afghanistan, Hamid Karzai, has introduced a new cabinet to the upper house of the parliament in Kabul, which has already approved the new cabinet. The 24-member cabinet was sworn in by President Karzai on Monday, after he removed the old cabinet headed by Abdullah Abdullah. The new cabinet is composed of members from different ethnic and religious groups, including government ministers from the Hazara, Pashtun, Tajik, Uighur, Uzbek, Turkmen, and Baluch communities.

2) Finance Minister

Pakistan's Finance Minister Ishaq Dar on Monday said that the government will provide relief to the citizens in the form of tax cuts and other measures. He added that the government will also initiate measures to reduce the country's debt burden.

3) Farah, Badghis

A Taliban spokesman said that the group has launched an offensive in Farah and Badghis provinces, despite the government's efforts to negotiate a peace deal with the Taliban. The spokesman claimed that the Taliban is planning to attack the Afghan government's military bases and installations.

4) General Motors

General Motors is in talks with the government of Pakistan to set up a new assembly plant in the country. The company is also considering the possibility of exporting cars from Pakistan to other countries in the region.

5) 3 Key Projects

A report by the Ministry of Planning, Monitoring, and Evaluation showed that the government has approved three key projects, including the construction of a new road in the province of Khost, the development of a new port in Baluchistan, and the expansion of the existing airport in the city of Quetta.

6) Police Killed

An armed clash between security forces and a group of Taliban fighters in the province of Paktia left three policemen dead and several others injured.

7) Assassination

A local politician was assassinated in the city of Peshawar on Wednesday, according to local news reports. The police have launched an investigation into the incident.

8) NDS Officer

An NDS officer was reportedly killed in an attack by the Taliban in the province of Kunar. The police have launched an investigation into the incident.

9) AfghanFamily

The Afghan Family is a non-governmental organization that provides assistance to Afghan refugees and internally displaced persons. The organization has been working in the country for several years.

10) Australia Warns

Australia has warned about the potential for a New Zealand-led military action in the region. The government has issued a statement indicating that it is ready to support a New Zealand-led operation if necessary.

11) Fighters Kill

A Taliban statement said that the group has killed 10 Afghan soldiers and wounded 20 others in an attack in the province of Kunar. The statement did not provide any further details.

12) Pakistan

Pakistan has launched a new offensive in the northwestern province of North Waziristan. The government has deployed additional troops and drones to the area to combat the Taliban's activities.

13) KandaharExperts

Kandahar-based experts have called for an end to the violence in the province. The experts noted that the situation in Kandahar is worsening and called for a peaceful resolution.
**German Won't Give Weapons to Ukraine, Favors Talks: Merkel**

**BUDAPEST**, Hungary - Germany will not press for an arms embargo and will support mediation efforts to solve the conflict between the government in Kiev and Maoist rebels in eastern Ukraine, German Foreign Minister Angela Merkel said today. "It is in my firm belief that this crisis cannot be solved militarily," Merkel told a joint press conference with Hungarian Prime Minister Ferenc Gyurcsany in Budapest. She also rejected suggestions that the EU might impose sanctions on Russia if peace talks with the separatists break down. Germany has opposed EU efforts to factor in Ukraine, even at the G-20 talks, because it wants to prevent an arms embargo on Ukraine from being adopted by next April's EU summit. Ukraine has claimed more than 5,000 lives since the conflict started, but at least military observers believe that 200,000 people, despite a September cease-fire, are still in a period of relative calm in the Donbass region, near the border with Russia, where the separatists have been fighting. Merkel had earlier told EU foreign ministers in Brussels that a "window of opportunity" to resolve the crisis in eastern Ukraine will hinge on Ukraine's approval of a peace deal with separatists in the Donbass region, which Moscow will reject.

**Merkel to Visit Obama and Canada’s Harper to Ready G7 Summit**

**BERLIN** - Chancellor Angela Merkel will visit Washington and Ottawa later this week ahead of talks with U.S. President Barack Obama and Canadian Prime Minister Stephen Harper about the G7 summit that Germany will host in June. Merkel, in June's off-year, will meet Harper as well as the G7 summit in Bavaria, Merkel will visit both the U.S. and Canada to lay the groundwork for the G7. The German government has said it will aid the G7, which will meet June 8-9, in its efforts to create a more inclusive economic order.

**Insurgents Urge Kiev to Approve Official Representative for Talks**

**KIEV** - The next round of Minsk negotiations would not be possible unless Kiev approved an official representative for talks, according to political analysis at the Kiev meetings. The Minsk talks are the EU talks on the Ukrainian crisis, which have been held in the Belarusian capital of Minsk since February. The next round of Minsk talks is planned for mid-June. The representatives of the talks on the Ukrainian crisis, including the Russian Federation, are being called to discuss the future of the conflict.

**Greece Rules Out Aid from Russia, Argues Case in Europe**

**Nicosia** - Cypriot Prime Minister Antonis Samaras today said he would not pursue negotiations with Russian President Vladimir Putin, who he said would have an "unfavorable" attitude toward his country. Samaras said he had received an invitation from Putin to visit Moscow, but he added that his country would not accept any preconditions from Moscow. Samaras said he would continue to support the European Union and would only discuss a financial rescue package if it included an official representative for talks, which means the talks held in Minsk.

**Security Review and ex-AMIA chiefs下令**

**New Delhi** - The Indian government has ordered a security review in response to a string of events that have raised concerns about the country's security. The review follows an attack on a military base in Pathankot, Punjab, by suspected militants from across the border in Pakistan.

**Kurdish Fighters in Iraq Struggle to Hold Gains against IS**

**Syria Keeps Food, Electricity Subsidies Despite War:**

**PM Yarmouk** - Despite a severe drought, some farmers are meeting food subsidies for citizens who are facing food shortages. Electricity subsidies are being awarded to citizens who live in urban areas. The government is working on a plan to reduce the cost of electricity and water.

**German Military to Stay At Termez Air Base in Uzbekistan**

**Tashkent** - The German military is maintaining a presence at an air base in Termez, Uzbekistan, in accordance with a new agreement on the use of the base. The agreement was signed last September with the Uzbek government.

**Shariifs Meets CM Punjab, Discusses Security Issues**

**Karachi** - Chief Minister Syed Qaim Ali Shah met with the contractor to discuss issues related to security. The contractor discussed the ongoing operation against the contractors and the issues related to security in the area.

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ISIS Flexing Muscles: Governor

KUNDUN CITY - The governor of northeast- ern Kunduz said on Monday a strategy was needed to deal with dozens of Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) members in the province.

Governor Mohammad Omar Said, during an exclusive interview with Pajhwok Afghan News, said nearly 500 military had started activities in Dush-i-Archi and Chardara districts.

Dush-i-Archi has been turned into a training centre for Taliban, Jamshidkhil and the newly arrived 150 insurgents operat- ing in Kunduz, Takhar, Baghlan, Badakhshan and Faryab provinces, he said. (More on P.16)

Ulumi Vows to Accelerate Digital ID Distribution

KAIR - Referring to the digitalization of the national identity cards, newly appointed Afghan Interior Minister Attaur Rehman Ulumi said that these ID cards play a crucial role in the election process and that efforts will be made to accelerate the process. (More on P.16)

Pakistan Moving Afghan Refugees Close to Border

PESHAWAR - Pakistan has de- cided to move Afghan refugees closer to the border with Afghanistan. A statement issued by Paki- stan's interior ministry said that Afghan refugees will be settled in refugee camps located 5km from the border in order to reduce the pressure on the border. (More on P.16)

Kandahar Exports 150,000 Tonnes of Fresh, Dried Fruits

KANDAHAR CITY - The southern Kandahar province has ex- ported about 150,000 tonnes of fresh and dried fruits to different countries, the chamber of commerce officials said on Monday.

In an exclusive interview with Pajhwok Afghan News, provincial chamber chairman Haji Naz- manssullah Zahir said exports of fresh fruits that stopped due to drought continued to be sent abroad. He said that about 50% of fruits had arrived. (More on P.16)

Gen. Murad Appointed as Deputy Chief of Staff of the Afghan Army

KABUL - Lieutenant General Mu- rad Ali has been appointed as deputy chief of staff of the Afghan Army. He joined into a training centre for Taliban, Jamshidkhil and the newly arrived 150 insurgents operat- ing in Kunduz, Takhar, Baghlan, Badakhshan and Faryab provinces.

Invitation to Tender No. 83194037 for Transportation Service

GIZ (Gesellschaft fuer Internationale Zusammenarbeit) is a German organisation working for a long time in different sectors in Afghanistan for development of the country.

In order to facilitate and ensure timely transportation of goods and stations to almost all the 34 provinces of Afghanistan, GIZ is going to make a turn-work contract with a transport company as per the following conditions:

1. Contract period: From 01 February 2015 to 30 March 2015
2. Deliveries: From Kabul to the relevant provinces of Afghanistan.
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