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War is "madness" which brings destruction

Call the war "hybrid", but the human losses are real

The war in Ukraine can be called "hybrid", but the human losses are real. Comprehensive and complete isolation of Putin's criminal regime is the most urgent task that should be done to save humanity from a repetition of the tragedy of the Second World War. Appeal to international leaders and the world community at the Ukrainian December 1 Group. http://goo.gl/9LS0Bw

Pope Francis: Even today, after the second failure of another world war, perhaps one can speak of a third war, one fought piecemeal, with crimes, massacres, destruction...War is "madness" which brings destruction. http://goo.gl/ppTYVV

Strange cease fire. Ukraine has lost part of its territory over three days (maps, Ukr). http://goo.gl/1IfS93

The Minsk "cease fire" agreement and the calm before the storm. http://goo.gl/3k7J18

Russia's war goal in Ukraine is complete control over Kyiv, Zatulin Says. http://goo.gl/JNVTyn

A leader of Russian mercenaries says 'you can't think up more shameful agreements' than the Minsk ones. http://goo.gl/1m74IT

Kremlin "concerned" about wall on Ukrainian border. http://goo.gl/RdOk35

Report on MH17 crash consistent with Ukraine's theories about BUK missile hit. http://goo.gl/xSIji9

Russian troops exit Ukraine near OSCE observers and reenter at a different point. http://goo.gl/7M1IKN

Read the OSCE Special Monitoring Mission to Ukraine report based on information received on September 12, 2014 http://goo.gl/br9g21

Two weeks after irrefutable proof of Russian military engagement in Ukraine, the EU has agreed on sanctions only to delay implementing them. Meanwhile Donetsk's Kremlin-backed militants are using the destruction and hardship they and the Russian military have initiated to present themselves as 'benefactors'. http://goo.gl/bOIGRI

Left: Centre for the bodies of unidentified Russian soldiers created in Rostov-na-Donu. (Rus)

Right: 11 Sept
Dnipropetrovsk,
funeral of unidentified
Ukrainian soldiers
killed in the war with
Russian irregulars

http://goo.gl/k0vXk5





How not to fall victim to Russian propaganda fakes? Maidan values percolate into Russia

Propaganda army speaks fluent Kremlin http://goo.gl/tNXtWI

How not to fall victim to Russia fakes? http://goo.gl/fOp0sc

Russia This Week: Leading Human Rights Group Declared 'Foreign Agent'. http://goo.gl/KUyExV

Russia's State Duma wants to nationalize Google Russia. http://goo.gl/AHNid3

Brave Russians are starting to make a stand, speak out, gather and rally to express their views about Putin's war with Ukraine and other issues inside Russia. Ukrainians the world over see this as the beginnings of

#RussianMaidan. http://goo.gl/AiBDYc

Russian blogger: Russia at war with Ukraine. http://goo.gl/81BMmN

Russia doesn't have the highest standard of living or the best democratic institutions, to say the least, but many believe it is a world leader in one field - propaganda. http://goo.gl/o6wVfO

Many of the protests in different European countries with banners claiming that Ukraine is carrying out 'genocide' in Donbas, etc., are specially orchestrated, for, if not by, the Russian media. http://goo.gl/ECmwoy

Decline in Russian oil production will last until at least 2016-2018, Russian analysts say. http://goo.gl/8IlbMC

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Fighting renewed at the cease fire zone

Russian forces use ceasefire to strengthen their positions

Fighting renewed on September 14 in Eastern Ukraine despite the truce. http://goo.gl/Lfj6gL

See map of ATO zone as of September 14 at http://goo.gl/uK8W4E

Heavy fighting between Ukrainian forces and pro-Russian irregular forces over the weekend of Sept 13-14. http://goo.gl/lGt2U8

Dmitry Tymchuk: Updates from the ceasefire zone, Sept 12 http://goo.gl/VMYiYQ and http://goo.gl/JesW4b

Six civilians killed and 15 injured as a result of shelling in Donetsk on September 14. Watch video of the Russian army shelling Donetsk airport at http://goo.gl/a9QzCo

At least 935 Ukrainian soldiers have been killed in Russia's war against Ukraine. 2905 civilians killed (31 children), 7640 civilians wounded. http://goo.gl/TRmfYT

Russia claims the release of Savchenko and Sentsov are not part of Minsk deal. http://goo.gl/yc6F6U

The 409 names on the war prisoner exchange list with the Russian terrorists do not include journalists Yehor Vorobyov, Dmitry Potekhin, Yury Lelyavsky and two Kharkiv journalists not seen since the end of August. http://goo.gl/IwsolH

Trucks of Russian "Humanitarian Aid" with unidentified cargo passed through Izvaryno checkpoint on the Russian-Ukrainian border on September 13. Read more at http://goo.gl/pAkCmK

Ukraine liveblog day 208: second Russian 'Humanitarian convoy' crosses into Ukraine. http://goo.gl/OGbBK8

Know your Ukrainian volunteer battalions (INFOGRAPHIC). http://goo.gl/HmEyPU

Left: Mariupol's three lines of defense: Azov battalion, the volunteers







Released POWs speak about horrific torture by Russian militants

"Even devils in hell are kinder that DNR fighters"

Assertions that the men whose bodies have been brought to a Zaporizhya morgue suffered horrific torture are corroborated not only by the harrowing photos, but by tales of soldiers or civilians held captive by Russian irregular forces from the self-proclaimed Donetsk People's Republic. http://goo.gl/yFHTXM

Former POW: "Even demons in hell are kinder than DNR fighters..." http://goo.gl/YO12I5

Amnesty International communication on Russia-Ukraine conflict biased and inaccurate. http://goo.gl/5aNVK6; http://goo.gl/q4thtT

Colonel Borys Kyforenko, commander of a Ukrainian communications brigade with "South" Operational Command, who had already been badly wounded, was later shot at close range by the Russians. http://goo.gl/po3hGs

Open Letter to President Poroshenko, by Borys Humeniuk, author and Deputy Commander, Battalion OUN. http://goo.gl/6dJ4kv

Olena Bilozerska's war diary: How one Ukrainian town

welcomed us. http://goo.gl/pfrkb5

German-Romanian Nobel literature laureate Herta Müller: Putin makes me sick. http://goo.gl/V4q8nb

Open letter to Amnesty International regarding coverage of the Ukraine-Russia conflict. http://goo.gl/cy07nd

Despite a hard-won and well-deserved reputation for being able to outsmart Western leaders in pursuit of his goals, Vladimir Putin has left himself with only bad options for his next move in Ukraine, according to Vitaly Portnikov. http://goo.gl/Q7vOnl

The Security Service of Ukraine detained a subversive group which, by order of Russian special services, was planning acts of terrors and subversion in public places in Mariupol (Donetsk region). http://goo.gl/KZMnZk

Detailed breakdown of the seizure of the city police station in Slavyansk. The intelligence services group of the Russian Federation went in first (Video) http://goo.gl/OGmiyK

Russia makes Ukraine and EU delay its free-trade agreement until 2016

Ukraine doubled its military budget on the eve of parliamentary elections

Russia wins concessions by getting Ukraine and EU to delay the start of its free-trade pact until 2016. http://goo.gl/D5pjvZ

Ukrainian deputy foreign minister resigns over EU association agreement. http://goo.gl/Ue67Z2

Parliamentary elections: parties have included fighters, Maidan activists to boost election lists. http://goo.gl/xjcqx1

Block of Petro Poroshenko's list of candidates for new Rada composition. http://goo.gl/wvCvkd

"If you want peace – prepare for war," never has this phrase been more relevant in the XXI century. Ukrainian military budget doubled. http://goo.gl/mz8m8S

Prime Minister Arseniy Yatsenyuk, citing war, struggles to explain government achievements over the past six months. http://goo.gl/O6TXv7

Yatseniuk: It's hard to attract investors when Russian tanks are in your country. http://goo.gl/mIfnDf

Ukraine moves to create elite corruption fighters. http://goo.gl/lIsEi4

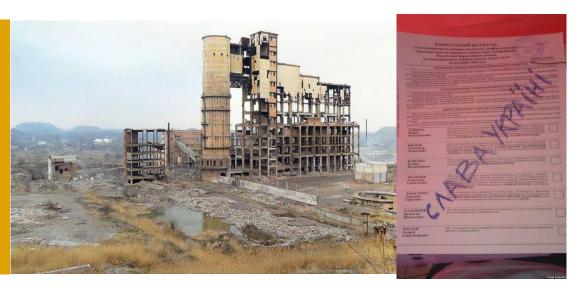
Nation scrambles to avoid electricity blackouts as war forces coal shortage in carbon-rich east. http://goo.gl/HoL69e

Ukraine's economy still with promise, pitfalls. With \$175-billion worth of goods and services, Ukraine's economy isn't a member of the 50 biggest economies club, although it is one of the 30 most populated countries in the world with 45 million people. http://goo.gl/QsQ9Kx

Ukraine can't afford the IMF's 'Shock Therapy'. Economic austerity ruined post-Soviet countries in the 1990s. Why are the same policies being forced on Ukraine today? http://goo.gl/wQmMBT

Left: Donbas losses approaching UAH 12 billion. http://goo.gl/dPseUn

Right: Crimean Tatars spoil ballots during the Russian "elections" in Crimea with "Glory to Ukraine"



Crimean Tatars boycott Moscow-orchestrated "elections" in Crimea

Ukrainian President Petro Poroshenko: "The nation will win Crimea back from Russia, not through military force, but by building a better society than Russia." http://goo.gl/9qVOqY

Crimean 'elections': boycotted, spoilt ballot papers and pre-determined result. http://goo.gl/v8vFRb

More than 99 percent of Crimean Tatars boycotted the Moscow-orchestrated "referendum" held in March 2014 on transferring Crimea to Russian control, Mustafa Dzhemilev says. Now, as a result of enormous Russian pressure, 98 percent of them did not participate in Sunday's election in their occupied homeland. http://goo.gl/YXDLOn

Crimeans threatened with prosecution if they vote in upcoming Ukrainian elections. http://goo.gl/sde7Uy

"Minister" of Domestic Policy, Information and Communications' of Crimea Dmitriy Polonskiy said that people who consider themselves Ukrainians are absent on peninsula; those who identify themselves so are provocateurs in practice. http://goo.gl/a7bKl6

Self-Exiled Blogger: 'Crimea Is A Big Prison'. http://goo.gl/rr3cJN

Left: GogolFest, an annual festival of modern art and film, is being held in Kviv Sept. 11-21.

http://goo.gl/dfvV5u

Right: Amazing photo of 1959 Kyiv. See more photos at http://goo.gl/Rm ddZ7



EuroMaidan to be nominated for Sakharov Prize

EPP Group leads initiative to nominate Euromaidan for 2014 Sakharov Prize. http://goo.gl/BQ0PXU

More than 6 months after the end of the EuroMaidan Revolution, no one has been punished for the crimes committed, including the murders or more than 100 demonstrators. http://goo.gl/WhNU4e

The British brain surgeon who joined the fight against corruption in Ukraine. Doctor and acclaimed author Henry Marsh had worked in Kyiv for more than 20 years – then found himself in the middle of a revolution. http://goo.gl/wBvVev

The base of the 5th volunteer battalion (part of Right Sector's

Ukrainian volunteer corps) is located at an abandoned summer camp near the Donetsk Oblast border. Read more at http://goo.gl/S1neFt

Dnipropetrovsk activists presented a mock Ukrainian guillotine to reflect the revolutionary zeal in Ukraine as the country comes to grips with the twin challenges of war in the east and a nationwide battle against corruption. Watch video at http://goo.gl/YvhYMG

Incredible facts about Ukraine: The metro station "Arsenal" in Kyiv is the deepest in the world. The shortest main street of all capitals of the world is in Kyiv. See more at http://goo.gl/xI8wXm

Kaunas, Lithuania supports Ukraine



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