Queen ropes in

'Three Wise Men'

to prepare Prince

ANI, London

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William for throne

Queen Elizabeth II has

reportedly roped in top Royal officials, dubbed the

'Three Wise Men', to train

her grandson William for the

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mat Sir David Manning, her

former private secretary Lord Janvrin and her new

top aide Christopher Geidt

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INTERNATIONAL

Haiti detains 10 Americans taking kids across border

AP, Port-au-prince

A group of 10 American Baptists were being held in the Haitian capital yesterday after trying take 33 children out of Haiti.

The church group, most of them from Idaho, allegedly lacked the proper documents when they were arrested Friday night in a bus along with children from 2 months to 12 years old who had survived the catastrophic earthquake.

The group say they were setting up an orphanage across the border in the Dominican Republic. "In this chaos the government is in right now we were just trying to do the right thing," the group's spokeswoman, Laura Silsby, told The Associated Press at the judicial police headquarters in the capital, where the Americans were being held pending a hearing before a

judge today. The Baptists' "Haitian Orphan Rescue Mission" was described as an effort to save abandoned, traumatised children.

Their plan was to scoop up 100 kids and take them by bus to a 45-room hotel at Cabarete, a beach resort in the Dominican Republic, that they were converting into an orphanage, Silsby told the AP.

Whether they realised it or not, these

Americans the first known to be taken into custody since the January 12 quake put themselves in the middle of a firestorm in Haiti, where government leaders have suspended adoptions amid fears that parentless or lost children are more vulnerable than ever to child trafficking.

Silsby said the group, including members from Texas and Kansas, only had the best of intentions and paid no money for the children, whom she said they obtained from well-known Haitian pastor Jean Sanbil of the Sharing Jesus Ministries.

Silsby, 40, of Boise, Idaho, was asked if she didn't consider it naive to cross the border without adoption papers at a time when Haitians are so concerned about child trafficking. "By no means are we any part of that. That's exactly what we are trying to combat," she said. She said she hadn't been following news

reports while in Haiti. Social Affairs Minister Yves Cristallin told

the AP that the Americans were suspected of taking part in an illegal adoption scheme. Cristallin said the 33 children were lodged

late Saturday at an SOS Children's Village outside of Port-au-Prince. SOS Children's Villages is a global nonprofit based in Austria.



Haitians queue at a food distribution point in Port-au-Prince on Saturday. Quake-ravaged Haiti needs at least a decade of painstaking reconstruction efforts, warn aid chiefs and donor nations.

role. Geidt will teach the 27year-old about strategy and the functioning of the mon-archy, reports the News of the World.

But caution was being taken not to overshadow Prince Charles, the heir apparent, sources claimed.

IRAQ INVASION

Blair evidence makes room for Brown grilling

AFP, London

Tony Blair's evidence to Britain's Iraq war inquiry, notable for a lack of any apology, sets up an awkward appearance within weeks for Prime Minister Gordon Brown, ahead of a likely May election.

Blair's unrepentant testimony sparked fury among military families and criticism from the press, reviving memories of what many commentators see as the ruling Labour party's biggest blunder since taking power in 1997.

The former premier told the Chilcot inquiry that he

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accepted "responsibility but not regret for removing Saddam" -- prompting shouts of "liar" and "you're a murderer" from the public gallery.

Brown has talked little about his role in Blair's decision to take Britain to war in 2003 alongside the United States and he oversaw the end of the country's military mission in Iraq last year.

But Blair's former communications chief Alastair Campbell told the inquiry this month that Brown -- finance minister for a decade before taking over from Blair in 2007 -was one of the "key ministers" his boss consulted at the time.

From left: UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon, Spanish Prime Minister Jose Luis Rodriguez Zapatero,

whose country holds the rotating EU presidency, and Libyan leader and outgoing African Union (AU)

Gaddafi reluctantly handed over the AU presidency to Malawi's President Bingu wa Mutharika.

woman in his closet

INDO-ASIAN NEWS SERVICE, New York

After his predecessor Eliot Spitzer quit when his \$1,000an-hour romps with call girl Ashley Dupre became public two years ago, current New York Governor David Paterson too is facing rumours of sexacapades.

The state's first African-American governor, who is also legally blind, said to have been found in close encounter with many pretty women, including one in the closet of his mansion, the New York Post reported.

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NY governor caught with US, China escalating row Shia rebels despite over Taiwan arms sale

Washington rebuffs protests

AFP, Beijing

China and the United States were locked Sunday in an escalating row over US arms sales to Taiwan, with Washington rebuffing Chinese protests and insisting the deal promotes stability in the Taiwan Strait.

The Pentagon Friday sparked the latest challenge to China-US relations under President Barack Obama when it approved the 6.4-billion-dollar sale of Patriot missiles, Black Hawk helicopters, mine-hunting ships and other weaponry.

China responded furiously with a raft of reprisals, saying it would suspend military and security contacts with Washington and impose sanctions on US firms involved in the deal.

Beijing warned of "severe harm" to rela-

The Pentagon expressed "regret" over the bitter response, which reflected a rapid souring of relations with the United States amid strains over trade, climate change and China's Internet controls.

US State Department spokeswoman Laura Tischler told AFP the sale "contributes to maintaining security and stability across the Taiwan Strait", a viewed echoed by Taiwan President MaYing-jeou.

"It will let Taiwan feel more confident and secure so we can have more interactions with China," Ma, who has overseen a historic warming in relations with China, was quoted as saying by Taiwan's Central News Agency.

UN slams Africa power-grabs as Gaddafi steps aside

AFP, Addis Ababa

UN chief Ban Ki-Moon yesterday criticised power-grabs in Africa in a speech to the continent's leaders as Libya's Muammer Gaddafi reluctantly handed over the presidency of the African Union to Malawi.

The build-up to the three-day AU summit in Addis Ababa had been dominated by the expectation that Gaddafi would try to extend his 12month tenure as head of the 53-member body.

But soon after Ban issued his appeal at the summit's opening for leaders to stick to the rules, Gaddafi announced that an agreement had been reached for Malawi's President Bingu wa Mutharika to take the helm for the coming Chairman Muammer Gaddafi attend the opening session of the three-day AU summit in Addis Ababa. year.

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"My brother president of the republic of

Malawi will replace me and take over," Gaddafi

The veteran Libyan leader's presidency of the body has been marked by his efforts to promote his vision of a "United States of Africa" -- a project that has made little progress during his 12 months in charge.

It has also prompted awkward questions about the continent's commitment to democracy, given the absence of free elections in Libya ever since Gaddafi took power in a bloodless coup in 1969.

In his address to the conference, Ban expressed concern about what he called a recent resurgence of "unconstitutional" power changes in Africa and rapped attempts by incumbents to change the law in order to help them stay in office.

Shia rebels despite truce offer

AFP, Sanaa

Clashes broke out overnight between Yemen's forces and northern Shia rebels despite a rebel truce offer, military officials said yesterday, as the government claimed another 24 Huthis killed. The officials, speaking on condition of anonymity, said fight-

ing broke out on three fronts near Saada, 240km north of the capital Sanaa, and that government jets were launching raids in The defence ministry news website 26sep.net, meanwhile,

said a rebel chief, identified as Qaed Abu Malik, was killed along with 20 other comrades in the Safia area of Saada province.

It also claimed the killing of three other rebels while they tried to sneak to farms near Al Aqab, also in Saada, a stronghold of the rebels who are also known as Huthis.

The defence ministry did not specify when the rebels were killed and it was not possible immediately to verify the claims. The rebels' leader Abdul Malak al-Huthi said on Saturday

they would accept the terms of a five-point government offer to end the war "in order to stop the bloodshed and the genocide against civilians, and to end the catastrophic situation in the country." A government official told AFP Sunday that Sanaa was "studying the initiative."

Huthi's statement came on the heels of an announcement from the rebels on Monday that they would withdraw from Saudi territory they had occupied since November.

Huthi, who said he was renewing his acceptance of the Yemeni government's conditions, had previously expressed willingness to end the fighting. But this was the first time he said directly that he would accept Sanaa's terms.



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বাতিলযোগ্য হবে এবং মূল্যায়িত সর্বনিমু দরের সমতা হলে লটারির মাধ্যমে সর্বনিমু দরদাতা নির্ধারন করা হবে) অনুযায়ী দরপত্র প্রক্রিয়াকরণ করা হবে

দরপত্র গ্রহন ও খোলার নির্ধারিত তারিখে সরকারী ছুটি বা অনিবার্য কারণবশতঃ বন্ধ থাকলে পরবর্তী কার্য দিবসে উপরোক্তেখিত স্থান ও সময়ে দরপত্র গ্রহণ

কর্তৃপক্ষ কোন কারণ দর্শানো ব্যতিরেকে প্রতিটি কাজের ক্ষেত্রে যে কোন অথবা সকল দরপত্র বাতিল অথবা যে কোন দরপত্র প্রহণ করার ক্ষমতা সংরক্ষশ

এবং দরপত্র তফসিলে বিন্তারিত তথ্যাবলী জানা যাবে

ও খোলা হবে।

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