

A BOAT CARRYING MIGRANTS FROM TUNISIA SANK OFF THE ITALIAN COAST

Six people were killed and 40 others are still missing after a boat heading from Tunisia to the Italian island of Lampedusa sank last Tuesday evening, according to Reuters. For its part, the Italian news agency (ANSA) and local media reported on Wednesday that rescue teams were able to save 10 people, while search operations for possible survivors resumed early in the morning. Media reports indicated that survivors told rescuers that many members of the group, which included 56 migrants, fell into the sea due to bad weather conditions after setting sail from Tunisia.



FOLLOWING ITS LAUNCH, THE NEOCONSERVATIVES-LEBANON PLATFORM CALLED FOR THE EXPULSION OF ALL ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS FROM LEBANON.

The first founding conference of the New Conservatives Lebanon was held at the Al-Bustan Hotel in Beit Mery, with the participation of a select group of political, legal, and academic figures. The founding body included Judge Peter Germanos, former commissioner of the Military Court and member of the Sovereignty Front; Maroun Amil, head of the Guardians of the Cedars Party; Sheikh Said Touq, former mayor of Bsharri; and the head of the DNA Dr. Antoine Saad, President of the Freedom Front Mr. Milad Al-Qareh, Vice President Mr. Fadi Tabet, in addition to Brigadier General Eng. Joseph Al-Qasifi.



DOZENS OF AFRICAN MIGRANTS ARRESTED WHILE TRYING TO INFILTRATE ZLITEN



Military forces in western Libya arrested dozens of illegal immigrants of African nationalities as they attempted to infiltrate the city of Zliten. The media office of the General Staff stated on Thursday that the operation was carried out at the behest of the commander of the Central Military Region of the 63rd Infantry Brigade, with forces stationed at the River Gate south of Misrata and the Suwayh Gate south of Zliten.

THREE DEFENDANTS SENTENCED TO 15 YEARS IN PRISON IN A MIGRANT SMUGGLING AND ROBBERY CASE IN AL HOCEIMA

The Criminal Chamber of the Court of Appeal in Al Hoceima issued a five-year prison sentence in absentia for each of three defendants, for their involvement in organizing and facilitating the illegal immigration of Moroccan citizens, as well as their participation in secret agreements to smuggle people out of the country illegally. The ruling also included convictions for aggravated theft.. This decision came after an in absentia trial of the defendants, who were absent from the court sessions, with the completion of all necessary legal procedures.



THE JUFRA SECURITY DIRECTORATE DISMANTLED A GANG INVOLVED IN TORTURING AND BLACKMAILING ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS

The Al-Jufra Security Directorate announced the arrest of a criminal gang involved in torturing, abusing, killing, and raping illegal immigrants, with the aim of blackmailing them and forcing their families to pay huge ransoms in exchange for their release. The directorate stated, in an official statement issued on Tuesday, that the security operation resulted in the release of 82 migrants who were being held by the gang, without revealing the number of those arrested so far, stressing the continuation of efforts to pursue the remaining members of the network involved in these crimes.



RAID ON A MIGRANT DETENTION SITE IN SABHA

A force affiliated with the Criminal Investigation Department of the Sabha Security Directorate launched a raid targeting a den used to gather illegal immigrants in the city. The immigrants were arrested in preparation for their referral to the Anti-Illegal Immigration Agency, according to what the directorate announced on its Facebook page. In a related context, the Al-Jufra Security Directorate announced the liberation of 82 migrants and the arrest of a gang involved in torturing them.



VENEZUELA AGREES TO ACCEPT DEPORTED MIGRANTS FROM THE US AND DEMANDS THE RETURN OF ITS DEPORTED CITIZENS TO EL SALVADOR



Venezuela announced on Saturday that it had reached an agreement with the United States to resume migrant repatriation flights, stressing at the same time the need to return Venezuelans deported to El Salvador. Venezuelan Parliament Speaker Jorge Rodriguez said in a statement:

MAURITANIA LAUNCHES CAMPAIGN TO DEPORT IRREGULAR MIGRANTS AMID CONTROVERSY OVER THEIR RESETTLEMENT

The issue of irregular migrants is rarely absent from social media platforms or Mauritanian street discussions until it returns to the forefront. The latest controversy was sparked by the increasing number of migrants arriving from the Sahel and sub-Saharan Africa, for whom Mauritania was merely a transit point toward the continent of dreams. New factors changed this reality, transforming the country into a final destination for some. Dimensions of controversy. On March 7, 2024, Mauritania concluded an agreement with the European Union on irregular migration, under which it will receive funding exceeding 80 billion ouguiyas more than 200 million euros, in exchange for taking measures to limit the flow of African migrants towards Europe.

