--NAT/DRUMMING--

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SHOT OF BURUNDIAN DRUMMERS NAT FULL REFUGEES WATCHING 23:04:15----->

A SPIRITED GATHERING AT A CAMP IN TANZANIA...

THE REVELRY MASKS THE HARSH CONDITIONS MANY REFUGEES FROM THE CIVIL WAR IN BURUNDI FACE.

23:04:08--->

NEARLY TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND OF THEM ARE STRUGGLING TO SURVIVE IN WESTERN TANZANIA.

THEY'VE FLED HERE TO ESCAPE THE WAR THAT HAS RAGED IN BURUNDI FOR SIX YEARS NOW.

--MAP SHOWING BURUNDI AND TANZANIA--THE MINORITY TUTSI GOVERNMENT THERE IS BATTLING ETHNIC HUTU REBELS.

THOUSANDS HAVE DIED..

CAMP AND REFUGEE SHOTS 23:04:00, 23:05:46--->

MAP FS 36233 ---->

AND THOUSANDS OF OTHERS.. MAINLY HUTUS.. HAVE ENDED UP IN CAMPS LIKE

IT'S WELL-ESTABLISHED, BUT AID WORKERS SAY ITS RESOURCES ARE BEING STRAINED BY A HOST OF INTERNATIONAL CONFLICTS.

--SOT---

DR. GEORGE NOTHELLE

"With the new influx from Congo and the Kosovo crisis implying immediately also a shortage in the pipeline for example for food, shortage of funding for the Kasulu operation, so this is creating a new problem for our established camps here."

\*cg name2

23:05:58---->Red Cross

british red cross inaugurating surgery

23:04:54---->child being weighed 23:05:16---->

food distribution 23:05:50---->

THE BRITISH RED CROSS HAS ARRIVED TO ASSESS THE SITUATION.

ITS WORKERS SAY SOME REFUGEES ARE SHOWING EARLY SIGNS OF MALNUTRITION.

THEY SAY THEY BELIEVE SOME REFUGEES MAY BE GIVING FOOD RATIONS AWAY TO HUTU FORCES.

AND, AID WORKERS SAY SICKNESS IS A GRAVE CONCERN:

--SOT--

JEAN GILARDI

(SOT TALKS ABOUT MALARIA PNEUMONIA ETC. OC: COLD AT NIGHT.")

\*cg name2 Jean Gilardi

23:05:32---->Red Cross Health

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refugee vo-->

DESPITE THE PROBLEMS, MANY REFUGEES SAY THEY'RE UNLIKELY TO RETURN HOME ANYTIME SOON:

MOS SOT

23:06:23---> i translated....

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BURUNDI REFUGEE

"I want to go back to Burundi but the Burundian army is killing everyone and I am too scared to go

back."

AND THAT MEANS AID AGENCIES WILL HAVE TO FIND NEW WAYS TO COPE WITH THE GROWING NUMBERS OF DISPLACED PEOPLE.

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