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Lidaa anaa dhalee…
[S.l.]: Progressio, NAGAAD, n.d.

The many faces of WFP in Somalia 1999 [calendar].

Somali artists against poverty 1999 [calendar].

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8da Maarso 1980; Waa Maalinta Haweenka Horusocodka Ah = 8th of March is the Day of the Progressive Woman.

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15ka Maajo 1979. Iloobi Meyso Taariikhda Iloobi Meyno Taariikhda = History Won't Forget, We Won't Forget History.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.


15ka Maajo 1979. Triumph of Socialism is Inevitable.


19 Agoosto, Sanad Guurada 8aad ee Guulwadayasha = 19th August, 8th Anniversary of the Militia.
African Unity is Indispensable.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

Allah, Muhammed, Ali, Fadhimah, Hasan, Husein [written in Arabic on horse's back].
Bombay: CAL-CO, n.d.

The Arab Nation: Let Us Work for a United Arab Goal.

Baba Tazuzddin (Baba Taj al-Din) [in Urdu].
Delhi: S.S. Brijbasi & Sons, n.d.

Building Peace to Somalia: Somalian Community in Finland 1998.

Buraaqo = The Creature that Carried the Prophet to Heaven in the Mi'raaj.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d. (2 copies)
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Cali bin Abu Taalib iyo Xasan iyo Xuseen = Khalif Ali and his twin sons Hasan and Huseyn.
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Ciidammada howsha gargaarka soomaliya u midoobay rajo soo celinta = Operation Restore Hope: United Task Force Somalia.

Dhismaha X.H.K.S. Waxuu Dayactiray Tusaalooyinkii Iyo Guulahii Uu Soo Hooyay Kacaanka, 21 Oktoobar. Translation: The building of the Somali Socialist Revolutionary Party will consolidate the examples and victories that the 21st October Revolution has brought.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Elezioni Politiche / Political Elections, 26.3.1969.

Emblem of the Somali Women's Revolutionary Organization (UDKS).
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Female Circumcision: A Recurring Nightmare.
London: Thames Help Trust; DHSS, n.d.

Flag of Somalia.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Gudista Habluhu: waa riyo sas leh oo soo noq Noqote [Female Circumcision: A Recurring Nightmare].
London: Thames Help Trust; DHSS, n.d.

Ha Guuleesto Sannad Caruureedka 1979 [May the Year of the Children Triumph].

Ha Noolaatto Sannad Guurada ee Qarannimada Shacbiga Soomaaliyeed [Long Live the Anniversary of the Nationhood of the Somali People].
Mogadishu: Gaxtaan & Goobe, 1980.

Ha Noolaato Sannadguurada 4ee Udhis...[Long Live the 4th Anniversary of Udhis...]
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Ha Noolaato Sannadguurada Ee Qarannimada Shagbiga Soomaaliyeed.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.


Ha Warto Maalinta Haweenka Adduunka 8da Maarso 1981... [Long Live World Women's Day, 8th March 1981...]


Haweenka Soomaliyeed waxay garab iyo Gaashaan u Yikiin Gobanimo u Dirirka Adduunka Gaar Ahaana...[Somali Women fully support freedom fighters of the world...]
Mogadishu: Gaxtaan & Goobe, 1981.


The Ka'bah in Mecca. Qur'anic verse from Qur'an 3.96-97.
Cairo: n.p., n.d.

Kobcinta Dhaqaalaha Dalka: Kor u Qaadida Garaadka Siyaasiga iyo ka Hor Tagga Suuqa Xaaraanta [Developing the Economy of the Country; Raising the Political Awareness and Fighting the Illegal Market].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.


Mecca, the Sanctuary of Allah.
Singapore: Suleiman Mar'i, n.d.

Mugdi Olol Baa Ifiya Suuqa Xaaraantana Gumac Baa Xalaalayn Kara [Only force can eliminate the illegal market the same way that a flame dispels darkness].

Nebi Ibihiim iyo ilkiis Nebi Ismaciil [Prophet Abraham and his son Ismail].
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

Nebi Yuunis [The Prophet Jonah].
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

Nebi Yuusuf khamiiska iyo Aabbahiis Nebi Yacquub [Prophet Joseph's coat and his father, the Prophet Jacob].
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.
Nin Agoon ku xaday Qalin khyr kama Macaasho [The one who steals knowledge by means of a pen will not gain any good].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Prophet Joseph with Zuleykhah-the King's Wife.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Qofkii Doonaya Horumar Siyaasadeed Iyo Dhaqaale Wuxuu Doonaa midnimada Shagbigiisa [Whoever wants economic and political progress will strive for the unity of his people]. -Jaale Siyaad, October 12 1979.

The Revolution Continues on its Way to Implement Socialism [in Arabic].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.
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The Rich Resources of Africa Belong to Its Peoples...
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Sayid Cali bin Abu Taalib iyo Camr ibn Wudd Al-Camir y Dagaalka Al-Khandaq [Master Ali bin Abi Dhalib and Amr bin Wudd Al-Amiry in the Battle of Al-Khandaq].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Sayid Cali bin Abu Taalib iyo Camr ibn Wudd Al-Camir y Dagaalka Al-Khandaq [Master Ali bin Abi Dhalib and Amr bin Wudd Al-Amiry in the Battle of Al-Khandaq].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Sedka Dadweynuhu waa Sun Seeftii kacaankuna waa Sideedii Isna Seegi Maysaan [Squandering of public funds is poisonous; the sword of the Revolution is still the same and it won't miss you].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Self-Determination for the Oppressed Peoples in the Horn of Africa.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Shaqaalaha Adduunkow Midooba [Workers of the World Unite].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Sheikh Abdulqadir Jeylany.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.
[Note: Probably non-Somali. Arabic reads: May Allah make him and his knowledge benefit us in both worlds.]

Sheikh Ahmed Al-Tijany.
Cairo: n.p., n.d.

Si xun u dherge iyo Seefta Kacaanka isa seegi maysaan [The sword of the Revolution will not miss you, O you who got rich by crooked means].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Somalia in Word and Image.

Somalia [map]: 1:1,500,000.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.
The Special Session of the Somali Socialist Revolutionary Party (XHKS) Represents a Stage in the Struggle for Socialism and Social Progress [in Arabic].
Mogadishu: XHKS, n.d.

There is no God but God and Muhammad is His Messenger [in Arabic].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Toban Sano oo Halgan ah Nin Ka Soo Baxay Baa La Dooranayaa [A Man Who Has Gone Through Ten Years of Struggle Will Be Elected].

U.D.H.I.S. Flag
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

UDKS Flag.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Wareega 8aad Ciyaaraha Ardada Carbeed Muqdisho 1979 [8th Tournament, Arab Student Games].

Workers of the World Unite, 1st May: Symbol of the Struggle of the Workers of the World [in Arabic].
Cairo: n.p., n.d.

X.G.U.S.S. Flag.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

X.H.K.S. Wuxuu Ummadda Soomaaliyeed U Horseedayaa Nolol Aayatiin Waean Leh [The Somali Socialist Revolutionary Party is Leading the Somali Nation to a Good Life].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

XHKS Logo.
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

X-U-S-S Wuxuu Hambalyeenayaa Sannadka Caruurta [Congratulations from XUSS on the Occasion of the Year of the Children].
[S.l.]: n.p., n.d.

Xoghayaha Guud ee X.H.K.S.; Ahna Madaxweynaha J.D.S.; Jaalle Maxamed Siyaad Barre [General Secretary of the Somali Socialist Revolutionary Party and President of the Somali Democratic Republic].
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.

Xubnaha Na Matalaya Waa Qaybo Ka Mid Ah Xoogagga Kacaaneed Ee Leh Astaamahan.
Mogadishu: n.p., n.d.