SOUTH SUDAN GETS RICH QUICK

Upon independence, South Sudan was rich.

This is reflected in South Sudan's public spending, as compared to other countries.

Sigh!

Our turn to eat!

During the war, the SPLA was penniless.

When peace came, their new-found riches made them greedy.

Army and police 40%

Education 4%

Health 3%

Actual spending allocations.

Officials' salaries 19%

What about us?

So while the ruling elite is living the good life...

...ordinary people see little progress.