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**RWANDA: 105 CONVICTED IN ETHNIC KILLINGS** A Rwandan court convicted 105 people for their roles in mass killings in 1994 that left as many as 800,000 Tutsi and moderate Hutu dead. The defendants received punishments ranging from the death penalty to a year in jail. Thirty-seven others were acquitted, some after spending up to nine years in jail awaiting trial. Rwanda has convicted 6,500 people in the killings; 600 to 700 received death sentences, prosecutors said. Marc Lacey (NYT)