

Liberia Police News

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Many Liberians observing the opening of the country's first public truth and reconciliation commission hearings on 8 January were confused about what the hearings would mean if the accused would not be prosecuted afterwards.

Miatta Momoh, victim. One child soldier killed all 19 of Momoh's cousins in northern Liberia in 1995. 'There is no guarantee from the TRC that those who killed our families, loved ones and friends, raped our mothers and sisters, burnt down our villages and towns will be brought to justice as is the case with former President Charles Taylor now on trial in the Hague ... This child soldier is now in the new Liberian Police Force. Our other family members in Monrovia can not easily forgive him unless he is tried.'