## More fighting in Rwanda capital

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KIGALI, April 14 (Reuter) - Rwandan army units and advancing rebels battled with heavy gunfire in and around Kigali on Thursday for the second day running.

Mortar and heavy artillery shells boomed around the capital's lush hills hours after the United Nations said the two side had promised to discuss a ceasefire.

The rebels denied U.N. reports of ceasefire talks.

"We are not going to negotiate a ceasefire with anyone," said Rwanda Patriotic Front spokesman Wilson Rutayisire.

In New York, Security Council President Colin Keating of New Zealand said late on Wednesday that the RPF and a recently-installed interim government, most of whose members have fled the city, would meet under U.N. auspices in the capital later in the day.

Belgian paratroopers, protecting the French School evacuation point, pulled out overnight and some 100 looters moved in to grab what was left of fleeing foreigners' possession.

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