

Tycoon roots for education

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Kampala businessmen Ibrahim Kibirige aka BMK has urged Muslims not to limit their children to only studying Islam if they are to be competitive in the world.

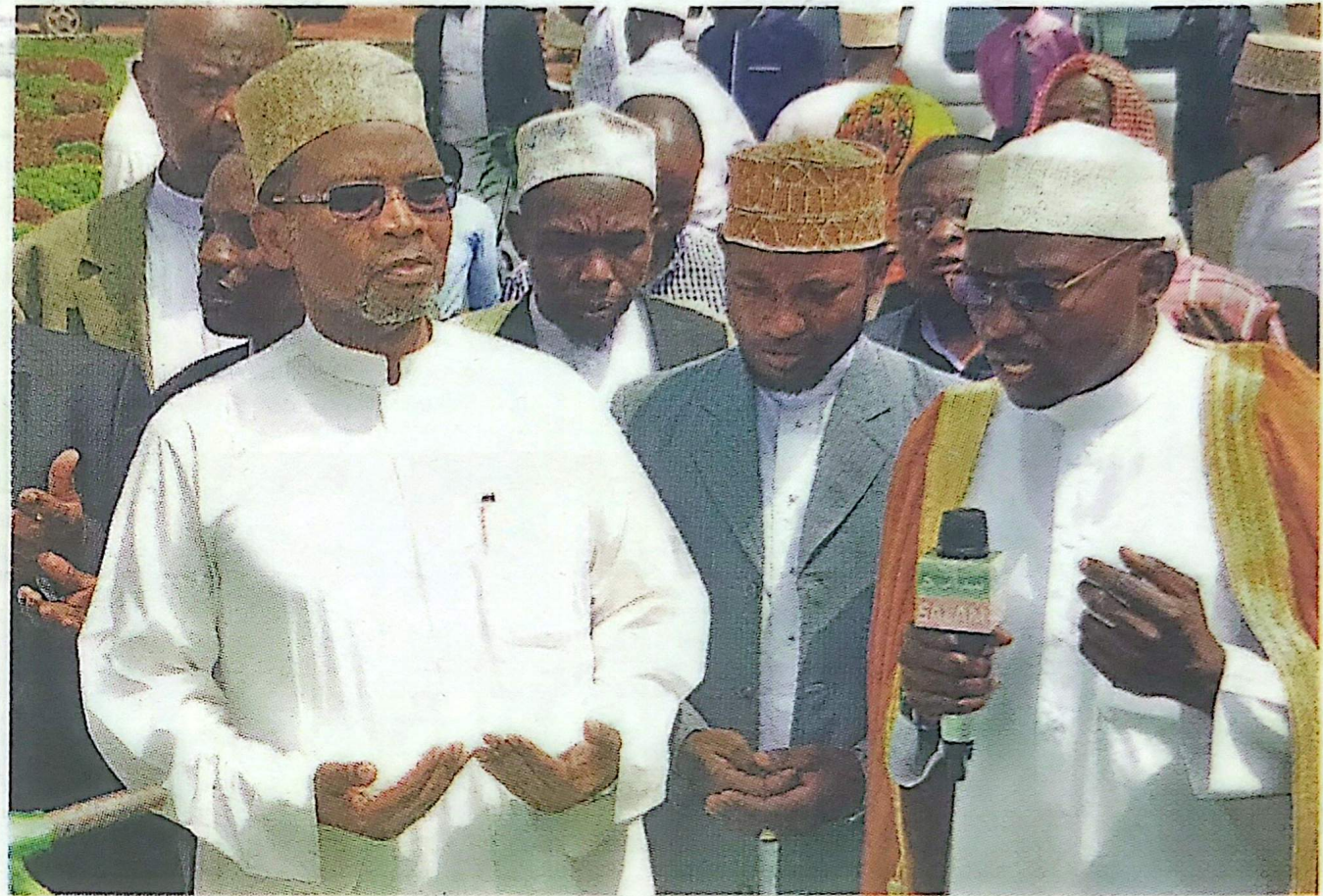
Kibirige made the remarks during a fundraising ceremony for the construction of a mosque at Almadiinatul Munawarah Islamic Mixed Day and Boarding Primary School in Mende, Wakiso district early this week.

He also said it was vital for all sheikhs in the country to work as a team in developing Islam.

Kibirige hailed the director of Almadiinatul Munawarah Islamic School, Elias Kigozi, for promoting Islam by building a mosque.

Out of the sh30m that was raised at the event, Kibirige contributed sh10m.

During the event, the imam of Nakasero Mosque, Sheikh



Kibirige (left) and Muslim clergymen praying at the school. Photo by Job Nantakiika

Swaliki Kiggundu, led the prayers.

Kiggundu appealed to Muslims to work towards the

development of Islam.

“Some Muslims do not want to work for the development of the faith. This is very

dangerous because no one else is going to promote Islam except Muslims,” he explained.