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On a tour of northern Ugandan recently, President Yoweri Kaguta Museveni took time off to visit Amatheon Agri farm in Nwoya where he saluted the proprietors for their efforts to modernise agriculture in the region and the country as a whole. "In the past, there were only two combined harvesters in the entire region. Today, I see three in this farm alone. This is what we have always advocated; commercial farming and value addition," the President said. Having established its Ugandan operations in 2013, AmatheonAgri Ltd, a European agribusiness and farm-



### Museveni meets the proprietors of Amatheon Agri Farm

ing company, is currently developing rain-fed cropping operations in Nwoya and Kween districts in Northern and Eastern Uganda respectively mainly growing rice, maize, sunflower, and soya beans. Jon Mc Lea,

the managing director, said their long-term objective is the vertical integration of arable land into Uganda's value chain. The company is currently training 900 small holder farmers to supply produce at the next harvest.