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8 die in Niger flood

The police in Niger said eight persons have died as a result of a downpour in Rafin-Gora village in Kontagora Local Government Area of the state.

The Police Commissioner, Alhaji Dibal Yakadi, said in Minna yesterday that two bodies had been recovered.

Yakadi said that the deceased were washed away by flood from the heavy rain which occurred on Monday evening.

He added that the search and rescue operation was ongoing to recover the remaining missing bodies. (NAN)

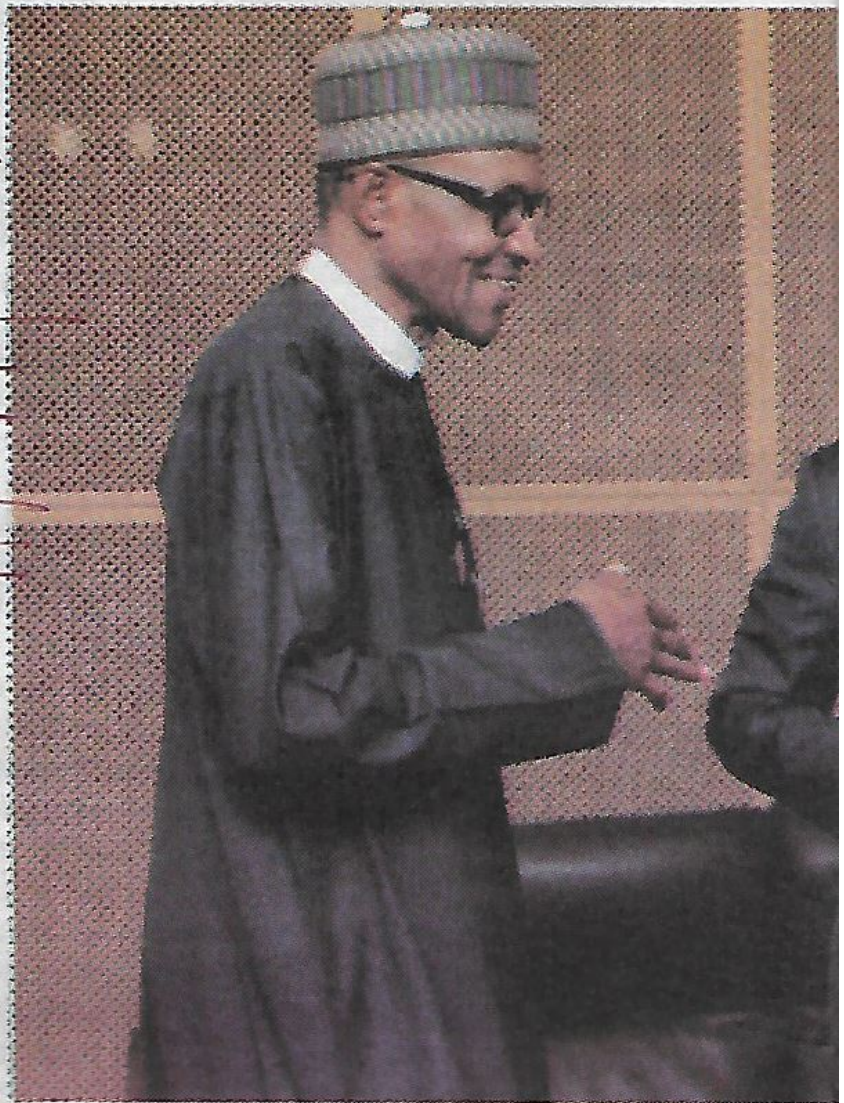
Scarcity of kerosene hits Bayelsa as JTF raids illegal refineries

From Bassey Willie, Yenagoa

The renewed operations of the Joint Military Task Force (JTF) deployed to protect oil facilities in the Niger Delta against illegal refineries have resulted to shortages of kerosene products in Bayelsa State.

The task force, under Operation Delta Safe, raided illegal refinery sites in Okaki, Rivers and Nembe in Bayelsa respectively.

Daily Trust observed in Yenagoa yesterday that the bulk of kerosene and diesel used by residents in the state were



■ From left: President Muhammadu Buhari, French President Emmanuel Macron, and Abdel Aziz of Mauritania at the sidelines of the A...

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transmitted to the president on June 25.

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