

In another development, the police arrested a 33-year-man, Bali Joshua, of Timber-Shed, Suleja, and Sunday Paul (22) of Kwamba area, Suleja, in connection with the killing of a 45-year-old man, Boniface Chinanwa, of Morocco Road, Suleja.

Parading the suspects, DSP Abiodun said they confessed during interrogation that in May this year one Zingfa Selchak who was still at large invited them to assist him to snatch a tricycle.

He explained that, “He took them somewhere along Kwamba Road, opposite Timber Shed, and told them to wait for him. Shortly he appeared with a tricycle rider whom he deceitfully contracted to convey some goods for him.

“They jointly moved to a corner with the rider, pretending to start packing the goods into the tricycle. Suddenly, the said Zingfa placed a cable on the neck of the rider from the rear, tightly drawn and strangulated him till death with the help of Bali, while Sunday tied the hands of the victim.”

He further said the suspects also searched the victim, stole his phone and other valuables in his possession, and Zingfa drove the tricycle away while Bali and Sunday dropped the corpse of the victim by the roadside where it was discovered the following morning.