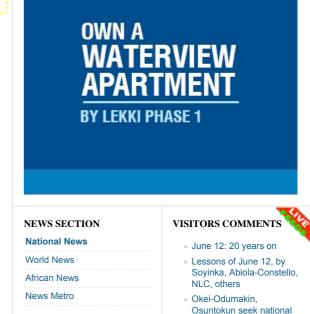
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"When we started hearing the gun shots actually, some us concluded that it was an invasion by an external aggressors, the sound of the weapons was more than an attack carried out by just gunmen that we use to hear. Explosions were going on simultaneously with sound of machine gun. I will never forget that Friday," Musa recalled.

Another source claimed 30 people, including prison officials and police personnel, were killed.

When Adamawa Police Command Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), DSP Mohammed Ibrahim, was contacted about 11am yesterday, he requested: "Give me 15 minutes, I am in a meeting. I will call you back." When he was called the second time, he asked for another 30 minutes.

When Ibrahim was reached the third time (about 1:30pm), he did not pick calls made to his two cell phones.

When the Adamawa Prison Comptroller, Mr. Andrew Barka, was contacted at about 2pm, he said he was on his way to Ganye to ascertain the level of damage.

It was also gathered that all the inmates in the Ganve Prison were set free by the attackers.

There were another two separate gun attacks in Yola on Friday night. According to eyewitness, no casualty was recorded.

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