

Bodies of policemen killed by vandals found floating in canal

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THE Lagos State Police Command at the weekend disclosed that bodies of a police sergeant and a corporal, killed and taken away by suspected oil vandals in Ikorodu area of the state, were found floating on the river.

The Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Dolapo Badmos, made this disclosure to newsmen, noting that the bodies had become bloated.

It had been reported that the policemen, Corporal Wale Oduade and Sergeant Akin, attached to Owutu Police Station, were killed on May 12 by men suspected to be vandals.

Both were on duty on the said day when they got information that suspected pipeline vandals had loaded trucks of fuel and were about to leave the site.

The PPRO said following the tip-off, they waylaid the vandals on Ishawo Road and flagged down the truck driver.

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Meanwhile, the vandals went away with their bodies and the rifle before they were discovered floating in the canal. It was gathered that their colleagues were able to identify their bloated bodies and alerted the division.

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