

Two sewage workers die in Aba septic tank

TWO persons have been found dead inside a septic tank in Aba, the commercial nerve of Abia State. The incident, which occurred at No. 176, Azikiwe Road Aba, was said to have thrown residents of the area into grief and confusion at the weekend. It was gathered that the two young men simply identified as Chimamkpa and Orji were workers of a popular sewage disposal company in the city, and had gone to the building to evacuate solid waste when they met their untimely death.

There were different versions of the story that led to their death, ranging from sewage disposal chemical they might have inhaled to some superstitious believe of been killed by evil forces.

However, a resident of the area who simply gave his name as Ndubuisi, said that the two men came to work in the building and

after they might have finished evacuating the solid waste, one of them came out through the pit's manhole.

The source further stated that as the man came out, he decided to assist his colleague to come out by giving him his hand.

As the sewer inside held his colleague's hand to come out, both of them according to Ndubuisi fell back into the pit and were unable to come out. Before any help could

come their way, both men were stone dead.

According to him, "The incident happened so sudden, it was like a magic. When the one outside fell back into the soak away pit, people thought he would come out with his colleague. But after waiting for a while none of them came out, people around decided to break the cover of the soak away pit only to find the two men dead and police were called in immediately."

All efforts made to reach one Mr. Amaobi said to be the manager of the sewage disposal company where the two men worked before their death proved abortive as call put on his mobile phone was answered by a man who said he was not in charge and could not speak on the issue.

Efforts to reach the Police Spokesman in the state, Geoffrey Ogbonna failed until the time of filing the report.

Again, fake lawyer nabbed in Lagos court

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DETECTIVES in Lagos have exposed a fake lawyer who had been operating at Ojo Magis-

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trate's Court for three years. Police spokesman, Chike Oti, identified the suspected fake lawyer

as Mr. Uche Julian Nwajiakwu. According to him, the arrest of Nwajiakwu by officers at Ojo Division, on May 25, marks the second time a fake lawyer would be arrested at Ojo Magistrate Court. The first was the arrest of one Chris Elisha, who was nabbed on February 6, 2018, after being in illegal practice for 15 years. He said that Nwajiakwu had been practicing illegally since 2015. The suspect allegedly told the

Commissioner of Police, reiterated his warning to professional bodies to properly scrutinise people professing to be members of their body. According to the CP, this is one incident too many and must be checked. The CP noted that the Command had in the recent months, arrested fake medical doctors and other spurious health workers, including fake journalists." Meanwhile, for being in possession

tended to support a visa application that would enable him travel abroad.

Miss Oko was convicted and sentenced to six months in jail without an option of fine on each of the four counts. The sentences will run concurrently.

The offences on which she was convicted violated Section 363 of the Penal Code CAP, 532 Laws of the Federal Capital Territory, Abuja, 2000.

