

Bandits Kill Four Mopol, Army Officers In Kebbi

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BANDITS in Danko Wasagu Council of Kebbi State four officers of the Police Mobile Force (MOPOL) and Nigeria Army.

Confirming the incident yesterday in Birnin Kebbi, the state Police Command's Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Nafiu Abubakar, said the bandits attacked three villages in council, killing the Police officers and military officers.

He added that during the attack, six bodies of the bandits were recovered, while investigation was ongoing to ensure peace restored to the affected communities.

He listed the affected villages as Manino, Kanuwa and Sabongida, all in Danko Wasagu Council, adding that efforts have been intensified to ensure normalcy returned to the area.

In a related development, Bena, Ayu and Malekachi villages in the council were said to have been attacked yesterday morning.

An eyewitness, Alhaji Sani Ayu, told *The Guardian* on phone confirmed that the bandits invaded Ayu around 5pm on Thursday and left in the morning after over eight hours of operation and took away many of their cows and sheep.