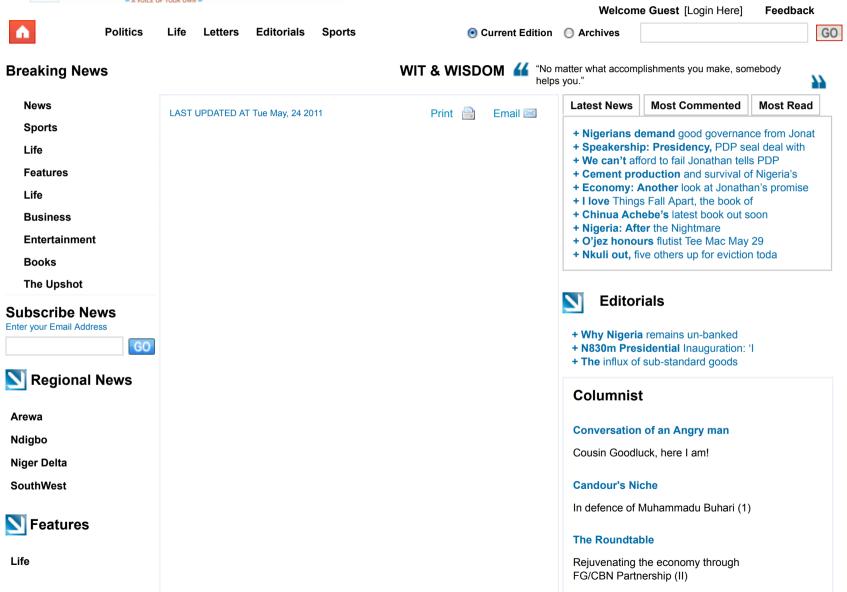


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20 killed in Sapele NNPC pipeline fire explosion

NNPC blames vandals

By Adeola Yusuf (Lagos) and Sunday Apah (Ughelli)

An early morning pipeline inferno on Tuesday reminiscence of the Atigwo-Jesse pipeline fire conflagration of October 17,1998 that left thousands of persons dead has neighboring Okpe reoccurred in the of Eko. Ovwore-Amukpe community community near Jesse by the River Ethiope bank.

Over 20 people that were fishing and doing some other menial jobs were killed.

According to an eye witness, the fire started in a circumstances yet to be ascertained at press time, with a loud noise and heavy fog, together with heavy flame while killing all those working on their farm lands, fishermen, sand dredgers, sand divers.

They were said to be scooping fuel from the burst pipes as well as burning the new bridge across the river Ethiope.

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