

Two Delta poly students shot dead in robbery operations

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TWO notorious student armed robbers who have been terrorising the Delta State Polytechnic town, Ozoro in Isoko North Local Government Area of the state have met their Waterloo.

Similarly, two persons, one who claimed to be a retired officer in the army, Felix Efenijigho, and a village hunter, Johnson Ugweba, have been allegedly nabbed by the Nigeria Police in Ozoro, Isoko North Local Government Area of Delta State for illegal possession of arms, sales of fire arms and am-

munition.

The armed robbers met their Waterloo during a gun duel with the police, when the robbers attacked a popular hostel (Peace Hostel) near the polytechnic campus.

According to sources around the hostel, a call was put forward to the police when they discovered that the same boys who robbed and raped girls in the hostel not too long ago were seen sneaking into the hostel.

The source stated that the police responded very fast and the gang started shooting sporadically to es-

cape when they noticed the presence of the police but luck ran out on them this time as the hostel was already surrounded and the police shut two while others escaped.

Recovered from them include two locally cut to size single barrel guns, five life cartridges, two face mask. Also a Blackberry Touch, Samsung and Nokia phones robbed from the same hostel few days ago.

Students of the polytechnic who are celebrating the death of the notorious robbers identified them as their fellow students who have been terrorising them adding that

one is in Business Administration Department while the other is in Computer studies.

The Divisional Police Officer in charge of Ozoro, CSP Muhammed Gana confirmed the death of the two armed robbers.

Again the two gun-running suspects were arrested at Ozoro following a tip off information.

According to the source, the police, having discovered the place where the robbers buy ammunition sent a spy to buy some which was successful, confirming their information, swooped on them and got them arrested.