

Similarly, a man, who runs a gambling centre, was killed by suspected cultists. The victim's identity, as at press time, could not be ascertained. According to witnesses, trouble started after a customer lost N100,000, which he placed on a bet. The customer was said to have pleaded with the owner of the gambling centre to refund N80,000 to him, but the operator refused.

The customer, believed to be a cultist at Ovwian, alerted his gang members. They attacked and kill the operator. Thereafter, they took the N100,000 from his centre and escaped. It was also learnt that police have spread their dragnets as the hunt for the killers begin. The area, where the game operator was killed, has been deserted.