

Cyclist kills passenger over N40 in Lagos

A COMMERCIAL tri-cycle (Keke Marwa) operator at the weekend in Lagos killed his passenger for refusing to pay N40 transport fare.

The incident occurred on Sunday at Allen Avenue junction, Ikeja.

Sources told *The Nation* that the operator, who was identified as Sabiru Omitunde had demanded his fare from the passenger, named Sikiru, after a trip from Ogba to Allen Avenue junction.

Sources said instead of pay-

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ing up, Sikiru was reported to have refused on the ground that N40 too much for the journey and insisted on paying only N20.

Following his stance, a fight broke out between both men.

It was during the fight that Omitunde hit Sikiru with an iron rod on the head.

The victim, it was learnt, died as he was being rushed to the hospital.