

Man beheads aunt in Anambra

AMAN, simply identified as Chidi, has allegedly killed his aunt, Mrs Margaret Nwana, at Amawbia, Anambra State.

The suspect allegedly cut off her head and dumped the rest of the body in a cesspit of an uncompleted building. Chidi has been arrested by the police in connection with the killing.

The deceased, Mrs. Nwanna, was declared missing on Friday as none of her relations who lived in the same house with her could give account of her whereabouts.

Following the development, they called in the police, which arrested every

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member of the household. The boy, who the police said had confessed to crime, is being held with her mother, brother and sister.

Police spokesman, Emeke Chukwuemeka, told reporters yesterday in Awka that despite the confession of the prime suspect, the police would carry out further investigations.

He said: "This is a heinous crime as far as we are concerned. The suspect was arrested on Tuesday.

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terrogation, Chidi was said to have confessed and took the police to the place where the body of the deceased was dumped.

Family sources said there was no love between the deceased and the family of the suspect.

The Nation gathered that the suspect's mother had been married to the brother of the deceased before now.

But she left to have other children with another man.

The woman later returned to her husband, but she and the children never made up with her sister in-law (the deceased), it was learnt.