

10 die in Nasarawa communal attack

A CLASH between Fulani herdsmen and farmers in Nasarawa State at the weekend led to the death of 10 persons, allegedly killed by the Fulani invaders.

No fewer than 15 people were also injured when the over 50 herdsmen, attacked two communities - at Iga and Rutu - in Nasarawa Eggon and Doma Local Government areas.

The perpetrators of the act reportedly left after killing the people.

An eyewitness said: "Nobody was aware of the attack on Saturday. Some of us were under the tree and suddenly we heard some people screaming, shouting, calling for help. By then, the entire community was in commotion. Everybody ran for cover".

The attackers were armed with guns and knives with which they attacked their victims, it was gathered.

Their spokesman of Nasarawa Police, Micheal Ada, said he was not aware of the killings. "It has not been reported to us," he said. "