(NSGF) has scheduled a meeting with the leadership of Miyetti Allah Cattle Breeders

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Leaders of MACBAN at the

• Two killed as gang unleashes mayhem on Kokori

feared dead in troubled Kokori, Ethiope East Local Government Area Delta State yesterday after armed youths, believed to be loyal to the suspected gangster, Kelvin Iburvwe invaded the town.

The incident sparked a bloody confrontation betweent the gang and troops of the Joint Task Force who were deployed following an SOS from the community.

Among the victims was a middle aged man identified as Kelvin's maternal uncle. Kelvin, who is facing trial in Abuja, is the leader of the militant group Liberation Movement of the Urhobo People.

A reliable community source said the deceased met his death during a visit to Kelvin's mother's house.

The source said, "Kelvin's boys were on the rampage in Kokori. There was a heavy shooting in Kokori yesterday (Thursday) and today (Friday). There was heavy shooting.

"Two persons were killed. Kelvin's uncle who went to visit his (Kelvin's) mother was among the victims but the man was not a member of

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the group. He was a quiet man who was at the wrong place at the wrong time."

It was further learnt that the Secretary of the town council, identified as Treasure Ogbe was abducted by the hoodlums to their camp on the outskirt of the town.

It was gathered that he was tortured and ordered to go back and convene a meeting where he would pressurize the elders and chiefs of the community to agitate for Kelvin's release or face more molestation.

A source close to the community scribe said he was released shortly after troops moved into Kokori.

Residents are understood to be worried by the resurgence of Kelvin's gang.

The gang is accused of masterminding the recent murder of two lawyers and attack on a police convoy.

A source said: "We are afraid. The boys are a constant threat, their camp is nearby and the military know it but am surprised they have not moved to clear them."

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