

Terrorists set octogenarian ablaze in Niger

TERRORISTS have set an 80-year-old man ablaze in Zazzaga community of Munya local government area in Niger State.

The gunmen invaded the community on Monday.

The unidentified octogenarian was burnt alive in one of the houses burnt by the terrorists.

The community was large-

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ly deserted by the residents but the old man was in his house when the invaders came.

They looted shops and houses before proceeding to Sohon Kabula and Mangoro communities.

No fewer than 15 communities were raided across Shiron Munva and Paikoro coun-

cils in two days.

About 30 persons were abducted.

It was learnt that the gunmen came on motorcycles and were armed with sophisticated weapons.

The Commissioner for Local Government and Internal Security, Emmanuel Umar said a statement would be issued on the attack.

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