

Gunmen kill three in Rivers community

GUNMEN suspected to be cultists on Wednesday killed three persons during an invasion of Ubeta community, Ahoada West Local Government Area of Rivers State.

The attack came barely 72 hours after two Shop owners, Chimezie Nagbo and one other were kidnapped from the same community.

The paramount Ruler of the Community, Chief Million Jonathan, who confirmed this news in a telephone interview with Journalists, said some of the victims were not cultists.

"Three persons were killed by gunmen in my community on Wednesday, I do not know what led to their killing.

"However, rumour had it

• Kidnap two persons

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that it was cult related attacks, but I was told that some of the victims were not cultists. I don't know them and their names." The monarch said.

He explained that the two shop owners were kidnapped in their shops on Monday evening, noting that their abductors had not called to demand any ransom at the time of this report.

The traditional ruler said he was concerned about their safety, judging from the recent happenings in the locality where persons who were kidnapped never came back to recount how it happened.