

Before the Tuesday incidents, sources said three people were killed in Emenite axis of Emene, one person at Eke-Obinagu while 11 were butchered at various locations in Nsukka.

A man identified as Jude, who lives at Emene, was reportedly saved by policemen who intervened and took him to the hospital after he was grievously macheted at Eke-Obinagu junction on Saturday.

Jude, it was learnt, was also a victim of cult attack about two years ago; a development that forced him to walk on crutches for more than one year after he left the hospital.

Sources disclosed that just as he dropped his crutches and resumed normal life, the attack came last Saturday at Eke-Obinagu near Emene.