

## Herdsman kill 10, kidnap scores in Benue community

**T**EN persons have been brutally murdered by suspected herdsmen at Mchia in Logo Local Government of Benue State.

The attack occurred on Sunday at about 8:30 pm.

An eyewitness, Terlumun Unande, told our correspon-

From Uja Emmanuel,  
Makurdi

dent that the attackers were armed with sophisticated weapons.

"They moved from house to house, killed their victims, removed intestines and placed them on their bodies.

"Ten persons including a woman were killed."

Unande also said they kidnapped unconfirmed number of persons.

A traditional ruler in the area, who pleaded anonymity, said: "Soldiers and SWAT stationed in Anyiin were

alerted."

Victims who escaped from the attackers, appealed to security personnel posted to the area to save them from the suspected herdsmen. At press time, Benue State Police Command said it was yet to get a report of the incident.