

## News

# NURTW OGBOMOSO CHAIRMAN KIDNAPPED, FOUND DEAD

From BAYO AKAMO,  
Ibadan

TRAGEDY struck in Ogbomoso area of Oyo State at the weekend when the factional Chairman of Ogbomoso branch of the National Union of Road Transport Workers (NURTW), Mr. Adeniji Adesola was kidnapped and later found dead in a bush.

*New Nigerian* reliably gath-

ered that already, security operatives in the state are now hunting for the suspected killers of the factional NURTW Chairman.

It was learnt that the factional NURTW Chairman was reportedly kidnapped from his house early last Friday by some gunmen to an unknown

destination.

Our correspondent gathered that a search party raised by relations of the factional NURTW Chairman later in the

day discovered the dead body of the factional NURTW Chairman in a bush along Ikoyi road and immediately reported the matter to the police in Ogbomoso.

Sources stressed that before the arrival of police detectives into the bush path, the dead body of the factional NURTW Chairman was reported moved to an unknown destination with the security operatives said to be looking for the dead body as at the time of sending this report.

*New Nigerian* reliably gathered that following the kidnap and the killing of the NURTW

factional Chairman by yet to be identified gunmen, security operatives have stormed Ogbomoso to unravelled the mystery surrounding the kidnap and the subsequent killing of the factional NURTW Chairman.

Reliable police source said as at the time of sending this report, men of the Oyo State Police Command are still arresting people suspected of having any connection with the kidnap and the killing of the factional NURTW Chairman within and outside Ogbomoso.

Speaking with the *New Nigerian*, Oyo State Police Pub-

lic Relations Officer, ASP Olu Akinmoladun confirmed the story, saying, "we have made a lot of arrest over the matter", and that investigations still continue on the case.

## Sheikh Ja'afar's death:

## Organisation expresses dissatisfaction over slow pace of investigation

From MUSTAPHA GIDE,  
Kano

A Muslim organization, Conference of *Ahlussunnah* Scholars has expressed dissatisfaction with the slow pace of investigation into the horrendous

ing to write home about, lamenting that state governments, as a matter of necessity, at times shoulder the logistics burden of the Police to keep the system going.

It expressed appreciation

to the group for ensuring that peace reigned among their members in the face of the dastardly act saying the killing of late Sheikh Ja'far was a loss to all Muslims in the state and beyond.

**Traditional  
healers urge  
Gov Daniel to  
fulfil promises**

THE Ogun State branch of Traditional Healers Association of Nigeria has appealed to Governor Daniel