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TWO persons were reportedly killed with several others seriously injured as motor park touts suspected to be the notorious war group, known as Ndi Ukwu Aziza and Ndi Ukwuotosi clashed at Aba central motor park, Upper Iweka in the commercial city of Onitsha.

Nigerian Tribune gathered that the bloody clash ensued when the two groups engaged each other in a fierce battle of wit, wielding different dangerous weapons, including firearms over who controls the park.

During the battle, no fewer than 27 persons, including travellers and drivers allegedly sustained various degrees of injuries, when the two warring factions engaged each other in a deadly battle over who takes over the Aba central park.

Though the police authority swiftly denied any casualty during the clash, our reporter who visited the scene shortly after the clash said over 27 persons, mainly women and children, who were suspected to be travellers and hawkers at the park sustained machet cut wounds and other degrees of injuries from the rampaging urchins.

According to one of the victims, who introduced himself as a loader at the park, Chinedu Anyigor, from Ebonyi State, the incident occurred when a group of touts known as Ndi Ukwu Aziza allegedly recruited from Ogbaru Youths by the manager of the Aba Park, one Ifeanyi Okafor, were relieved of the job, following alleged illegal and criminal activities.

Anyigor narrates that Mr