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Police arrest undergraduate who beheaded mother in Osun

THE Osun State Police Command, on Monday, said it had arrested one Joseph Mark, a 25-year-old undergraduate of the Adekunle Ajasin University, Ondo State, who allegedly beheaded his mother on Sunday, the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)* has reported.

The Public Relations Officer of the command, DSP Folashade Odoro, told newsmen in Osogbo that the incident happened at about 6:30 a.m., at No 25, Zone 5, Ajetomobi Street,

Eko-Ende Road, Ikirun, Osun.

According to Odoro, the father of the suspect, Mr Adewale Mark, reported the incident to Ikirun Divisional police station.

She said the father explained that he left his house around 5:30 a.m. to visit his friend at the next street and on returning home at about 6 a.m., he discovered that his son had cut off his wife's head with a cutlass.

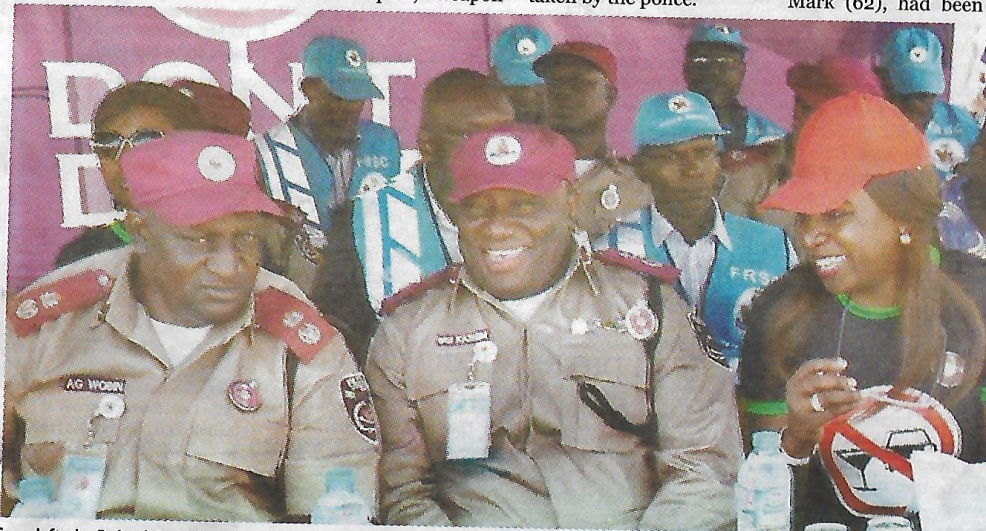
Odoro said the culprit, who was suspected to be insane, was arrested when

the team of police detectives visited the scene of crime.

She said exhibits, including medical examination of the suspect, weapon

used and photographs of the scene and victim were taken by the police.

She said the corpse of victim, Mrs Christina Mark (62), had been



From left, the Federal Capital Territory (FCT) Sector Commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps (FRSC), Mamman Gora; Corps Public Education Officer, Bisi Kazeem and Corporate Relations Director, Guinness Nigeria, Viola Graham-Douglas, during the Guinness/FRSC responsible drinking campaign in Abuja on Monday. Photo: NAN.

Civil Defence destroys 28 illegal refineries in Edo in 11 months

THE Nigeria Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC), Edo State command, has said it destroyed 28 illegal refineries in the state in the last 11 months.

court, while it had secured five convictions of suspects.

The commandant also said that within the period under review, the com-

States lose control of SARS