

napped around 11:20 p.m by about one hour.

At that point, I began to

① 4 die, one injured as kidnappers invade Adamawa community

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GUNMEN suspected to be kidnappers, killed four people and injured one on Tuesday in Lakare community in Yola South Local Government Area of Adamawa State.

Residents of the commu-

nity began hearing gunshots while observing the evening prayer.

It was learnt that the kidnappers were after the leadership of a Fulani group residing in the community.

The Fulani leader, however, resisted the attempt to ab-

duct him, which made the abductors kill him alongside three others.

Victims of the attack are currently receiving treatment at the hospital.

The community, which is a few kilometers from Yola, the state capital, has been

experiencing an upsurge in kidnapping activities, as a professor was recently kidnapped for a second time around the area.

Efforts to get the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO) to confirm the attack, however, proved abortive.

Local doctors to recover bodies of