Ondo bank robbery: Death toll rises to 5

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THE death toll in last Thursday's bank robbery in lle-Oluji in lle Oluji/Okeigbo Local Government Area of Ondo State has risen to five, just as the Assistant Inspector-General of Police in charge of Zone XI, Bashir Makama, has assured that those behind the attack would be

brought to book.

Makama stated this during a visit to the scene of the robbery where the armed robbers killed four persons, including two policemen.

The AIG, who is in charge of Ondo, Osun and Oyo states, condemned the killing of innocent persons and policemen during the attack, and assured the people of the

state and others within the zone of adequate security.

Speaking at the palace of the Jegun of Ile-Oluji, Oba Julius Oluwole Adetimehin, the police boss said adequate security measures would be put in place to forestall reoccurrence of the incident.

He sought for the cooperation of people of the community for prompt and useful information that would help the police in their investigation.

It will be recalled that four persons were shot dead by armed robbers who invaded two commercial banks in lle Oluji on Thursday.

The incident threw the town into mourning, even as it paralysed commercial activities in the town and its environs.