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Gunmen in the early hours of Wednesday invaded Manchok village in Kaura Local Government Area of Kaduna, killing two policemen.

An eyewitness told our correspondent that the gunmen also robbed several houses in the area, including that of the Seretary to the Local Government, Umar Yakubu.

It was also gathered that the gunmen succeeded in attacking the divisional police station in Kaura, killing the two policemen after a gun battle.

The incident was described by the Kaduna

State Police Commissioner, Mr. Olufemi Adenaike, as "a kind of hit-and-run operation by the hoodrums."

However, Adenaike added that the gunmen were chased out of the place by the superior fire power of policemen.

Meanwhile, one armed robbery suspect in Anambra State was killed on Wednesday when a gang of armed robbers engaged the police in a gun battle at Ngborokpo in Anaocha Local Government Area.

Three other suspects sustained serious injuries in the confrontation, which eventually led to the arrest of some members of the gang.

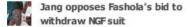
Anambra State Police Public Relations Officer, Mr. Emeka Chukwuemeka, who briefed reporters about the incident, said the police recovered three AK 47 riffles, two pump action guns, four locally made pistols and some quantity of ammunition.

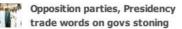
Chukwuemeka also added that suspects were arrested in various parts of the state for offences related to armed robbery and bank robbery.

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