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Two policemen and two others, including a female corps member, were feared killed in another robbery of a branch of the First Bank Nigeria Plc in Ikere-Ekiti, Ekiti State on Monday.

The robbers were said to have attacked a police station near the bank, in Kajola area of the city and killed a male police officer while the fleeing female officer was also shot dead.

Sources in the community said the robbers invaded the town after the bank's closing hours at about 4.45pm.

The robbers were said to have run in different directions and shot indiscriminately when soldiers at a nearby checkpoint and policemen arrived at the scene.

The same branch of the bank was also attacked late last year.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer, Mr. Victor Babayemi, confirmed that there was a robbery incident but did not give details.

He said, "There was a robbery incident. But the details will be provided later. Our men are on the trail of the robbers."

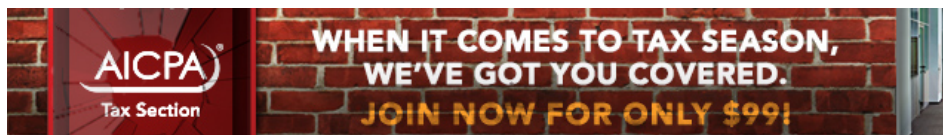
On October 31, a 30-man gang of armed robbers had attacked a branch of the bank in Ifaki-Ekiti.

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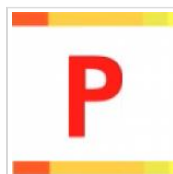
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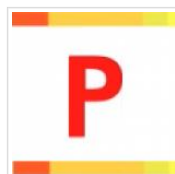
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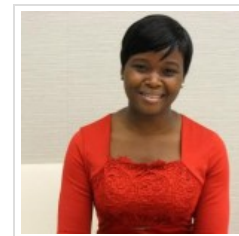


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