

ISWAP attacks military base in Borno, kills seven soldiers

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Members of the Islamic State of West Africa Province on Thursday killed no fewer than seven members of Operation Hadin Kai in a failed attempt to attack a military base in Borno State.

It was gathered that the terrorists mounted a gun truck and made effort to gain entrance into the camp but were engaged by the troops in a gun duel.

A military source told one of our correspondents that two officers, including a Commanding Officer, were among those killed in the attack.

The source added that the Air Force troops assisted the ground troops to repel the attack on its base and killed 24 ISWAP terrorists.

"Seven soldiers were killed yesterday. Two are officers; the CO (Commanding Officer) and one other officer. Twenty-four ISWAP terrorists were also killed in the attack. The Air Force component assisted ground troops to repel

the attacks of the terrorists who came with gun truck."

The Director of Army Public

Nigeria needs rebuilding plan to overcome woes

Olufemi Olaniyi, Ibadan

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, Femi Gbajabiamila, has said Nigerians need to unite and work together to

Relations, Brig Gen Onyema Nwachukwu, could not be reached for comment. Calls to his

line were not answered and he has yet to respond to message sent to him as of press time.

solve the numerous problems confronting the country.

He said the country needed a rebuilding plan and unity of purpose just like the people of Western Europe when they rebuilt after their countries were destroyed during the Second

World War.

He said this in Ibadan on Friday at the 2021 public service lecture of the University of Ibadan Alumni Association Worldwide.

The Speaker whose address was delivered by Hakeem Adeyemi stated that Nigerians must strive

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