

Gunmen kill policeman, injure expatriate in Edo quarry attack

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AN Inspector attached to the Edo State Police Command, whose identity has yet to be ascertained, was on Thursday killed when gunmen attacked quarry workers in the state.

PUNCH Metro gathered on Sunday that one other police officer, (an orderly) and an expatriate working with the company sustained various degrees of injuries during the attack at Ihievbe-Ogben in Owan

East Local Government Area of the state.

A resident who pleaded anonymity told our correspondent on Sunday that the incident happened on Thursday when the gunmen ambushed the workers and shot them while they were going to their base camp after the day's work.

The source said the police officer, an Inspector, died in the attack while one other officer and an expatriate sustained various degrees of injuries.

The resident said the injured expatriate and the police officer were receiving treatment at an undisclosed hospital.

The resident said, "The incident happened on Thursday when the gunmen ambushed the workers and shot them while they were going to their base camp after they finished working on that day.

"I got information that a police officer, an Inspector, was killed in the attack, while one other officer and an expatriate were also injured. They are receiving treatment in a hospital.

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Poolgirl alleges

went to have a bath."

But she deposed that she consequently became infuriated and refused to go back to the house.

She added, "So, on getting out of the hotel room, I did not go to the house again. I managed to find my way to a friend's house and stayed with that family overnight. On Monday morning, I went to school and reported the matter to my teacher. And my teacher said she was going to do something about the matter."

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