Man Hacks Wife To Death

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The proprietor a private school in Calabar, Mr. Godwin Usen, has hacked his wife to death over allegations of infidelity.

The man accused his wife, Unwana, of flirting around the neighbourhood and said he couldn't stomach it any more. He then decided to kill her on Monday.

A neighbour of the Usens at No. 45, Jebs Road, Calabar South, said Godwin sent their three children out of the room, locked himself and his wife in and dealt her machete cuts.

The neighbour, who gave his name as Dominic, said: "I started hearing shouts from Unwana,

screaming for help that her husband was killing her. When I rushed with other neighbours to the place, we found the door locked. We decided to force the door open. When we did, we saw that the woman had been hacked to pieces by Godwin."

Dominic said that apart from the usual misunderstanding between couples, the family had been living a simple life before the incident.

ASP Thomas Okpene, the spokesman for Cross River State Police Command, said the matter has been reported and the man has been arrested and is now in police detention

He said the suspect is being interrogated.