

in the bank. Webbo mobilized his gang for the robbery which was successful.

The suspect said: "My name is Hassan, but my friends call me Webbo. I was born in 1984. I am a Lagosian from Badagry. I am a welder, but I don't have a shop. I worked as a journey-

that shared the money, I used part of my share to rent a house in Ifon Road, along Cele Bus Stop in Ogun State. The house was a room and parlour. I bought a motorcycle also. We carried out robberies," he said.

gunmen on May 25, 2015. In view of the above, the SEC in session resolved to embark on three days sympathy strike with effect from June 3, to 6 2015," the communiqué stated.

# Drivers protest colleague's killing

FROM BAMIGBOLA GBOLAGUNTE, AKURE

**D**river in Akure, the Ondo State capital yesterday protested the alleged death of one of them, Gbenga Omolo in the custody of the Special Anti -Robbery Squad (SARS) of the police command.

The National Union of Road Transport Workers (NURTW) drivers alleged Omolo died of torture by the police.

Omolo was allegedly tortured to death while in the custody of the Police by some SARS operatives.

Omolo who was a branch leader of the NURTW, was arrested last Thursday following a misunderstanding between him and a police officer which led to fisticuff in Arakale, Akure, a development which eventually led to his arrest by SARS.

According to the source, when his family visited the police station, located on Oda Road, to secure his bail, the men on duty allegedly demanded for N150,000 which they could not


afford.

However, a branch chairman of the NURTW identified as Mr Muiyiwa, was said to have gone to the police station to pay N100,000 to secure the bail but was told that Omolo has passed away.

The family found his corpse in a mortuary with a label "armed robber".

The state police spokesman, Mr Wole Ogodo, was unavailable for comment.

But, a source in the command headquarters disclosed that all the policemen involved had been detained.



The Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Mr Wole Ogodo, said the Commissioner of Police, Mr Isaac Eke, had led senior