

Armed robbery suspect butchered

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A 24-year-old suspected armed robber was yesterday slaughtered by angry mob for robbing a lady of her mobile phone and valuables in Warri, Delta State.

The bandit simply identified as Oghenero was armed with a sharp dagger and robbed the lady along Iyara street in Warri me-

tropolis.

Sources told *Daily Sun* that the suspect who emerged from a motor bike, ran after the unsuspecting lady and snatched her hand bag after inflicting severe injuries on her.

It was gathered that the victim who could not bear the pains raised the alarm that attracted street urchins to the scene of the incident.

The suspect who was

daring, engaged the boys in a fight and inflicted some of them with injuries as he struggled to escape.

Nemesis however caught up with the suspect when he was overpowered by the *area boys* who in turn butchered him and severed his right arm from his body.

As if the punishment was not enough, the embittered *area boys* dragged

the bandit along the tarred road until security patrol team came to his rescue.

It was gathered that the suspect gave up the ghost before he could get to the hospital.

Meanwhile, police in Warri has intensified effort at patrolling the nooks and crannies of the city to ensure the sustenance of the prevailing peace in the oil community and its environs.

• Suspected criminals paraded by the Edo State Police Command