

Suspected robbers arrested by the Lagos State police

Man, 32, beheaded step-mother

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RESIDENTS of Agbaja in Izzi Local Government Area of Ebonyi State woke up to behold a gory sight of a headless body

Police smoke out 750

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IT was a harvest of arrests as the Lagos State Police Command smoked out 750 suspected criminals.

of a 60-year-old Mrs. Otubo Nwibo, who was allegedly beheaded by her step-son over a misunderstanding.

Daily Sun gathered that the tragic incident occurred when the suspect, (name withheld)

nals.

The suspects were arrested in different locations of the state.

The state Police Commissioner, Mr Fatai Owoseni, who paraded 50 out of the suspects said out of the suspects, 260 were released after screening as they have good means of livelihood.

The CP said the suspects were arrested between March 18 to April 13, 2016.

According to him, 23 armed robbery suspects, two notorious cultists, an alleged serial killer were among the apprehended suspects.

He said three suspected armed robbers were shot dead during a gun duel with the Police. According to him, 27 different arms, 62 rounds of ammunition and 33 vehicles were recovered from the suspects.

Owoseni said 494 suspects were charged to court by the Police out of which 298 were convicted, 151 discharged and 145 were still on

command

heads in Ebonyi

had a misunderstanding with the deceased who was his step-mother which resulted in the deceased calling security agents for his arrest.

It was further gathered that the deceased had invited men

suspects

awaiting trial.

According to him, 255 commercial motorcycles, popularly known as okada were impounded by the Police on the prohibited routes.

He said among the suspects paraded was a notorious criminal, Wasiu Akinwade, who had been on the wanted list of the Police for alleged serial murder in Lagos, especially, in Mushin axis.

He said 13 suspects who specialised in commercial bus robbery, "one chance" were picked by operatives.

He also paraded two house helps and their accomplices who assisted them in stealing their employers' expensive jewelry. He said 98 percent of house helps and other domestic staff, especially, drivers are on the prowl, wrecking havoc on their employers.

He warned employers of domestic staff not to trust them blindly, but to put all necessary measures in checkmating their activities.

of the Nigerian Security and Civil Defence Corps (NSCDC), to arrest the suspect, but he allegedly fled when he sighted the Civil Defence men.

However, when he discovered that the Civil Defence operatives had left, the suspect allegedly returned home, pounced on the step mother and beheaded her.

Confirming the incident, the Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO) in the state, ASP George Okafor, said the suspect allegedly severed the head of his step mother with a machete after they had a slight disagreement.

"It was around 5:00pm on Saturday that one Paulinus Ik-wuruma reported to the police that the suspect, killed his father's wife, Mrs. Otubo Nwibo, about 60 years old, with a machete. The victim was seen in the pool of her own blood and the head almost separated from her body".

He further disclosed that the police have recovered the machete with which the suspect cut off his late step-mother's head. He said investigation had commenced on the incident and confirmed that the suspect has been arrested after he initially resisted arrest.

missing in female sun hospital

some of the health workers on duty, who were taken to the tugbe police station, sogbo.

A senior police officer who spoke on the condition of anonymity told Daily Sun that during interrogation, the management of the hospital insisted that the missing parts might have been eaten

by rats.

The police officer said the case has been transferred to the State Criminal Investigation Department, for proper investigation (SCID).

"You know, this issue is very sensitive and that is why the police quickly transferred the case to SCID.