

## **Cult clashes: Normalcy returns to OOU**

**T**HE management of Olabisi Onabanjo University, Ogun State has announced that normalcy has returned to the institution after the unpleasant cult clashes which occurred recently. The university security committee had received with shock the unfortunate death of Mr. Hassan Akeem O, 200 level Philosophy student of the Faculty of Arts with Matric No. CSB0422140 who was reportedly gunned down in front of the Abusi Odumare Annex in Ijebu-Igbo. The university also announced that as result of the intensive search launched by the University Management, the body of Mr. James Oluseun Oyedola, a staff of the English Department, Faculty of Arts, Olabisi Onabanjo University, who had earlier been declared missing since Friday, 23rd June, 2006, was found in the bush behind Popoola Hospital, Ijebu-Igbo, which serves as a residential hostel for students.

On a close examination, it was discovered that 'the body was in a decomposing stage. There were signs of machete cut on the leg, with his face buried to the ground.

As at the time of filing this report, it could not be ascertained whether any part of his body had been tampered with.

Meanwhile, the police have been invited for further investigation and evacuation of the corpse while members of his family have been contacted.

With deep regret and grief, the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Odutola Osilesi on behalf of Management, Staff and students commiserates with the entire University Community, especially the Academic Staff Union of Nigeria Universities, (ASUU) OOU chapter and families of the deceased.

Mr. Oyedola was described by the Vice-Chancellor as a brilliant scholar, hardworking staff, who was committed to the development and growth of his students.