

# kill four in Enugu

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**ENUGU**—THE coal city of Enugu was thrown into confusion at the weekend following reports of the mysterious deaths of three children of two top police officers of the Mopol 3, Police Mobile Force, Enugu and the killing of four others including a medical doctor by suspected cult members in another bloody incident.

*Vanguard* learnt that the three children were found dead in a booth of a car parked in the official quarters of one of the police officers in the early hours of Saturday after an unsuccessful all-night search for the children who were reported missing within the mobile police barracks the previous day. The deceased children two of who were of the same parent and another living in the same neighborhood, were believed to have while playing around the premises Friday evening opened the booth of the car, entered into it and shut it. Sources said the children died in the booth unknown to their parents who only discovered their lifeless bodies the following morning (Saturday) and raised an alarm which attracted other residents in the barracks who had earlier joined the search parties for the "missing" children. The bereaved families could not be reached at the weekend to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the mysterious deaths of the children said to be in primary schools.