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ABEOKUTA—NO fewer than two persons were yesterday feared dead and several others wounded in Ijebu-Ode following a bloody clash between some members of the National Union of Road Transport Workers (NURTW) and Road Transport Employers Association of Nigeria (RTEAN).

The transporters were said to have engaged in the bloody clash in their struggle

to control some parks in the ancient town.

During the clash, dangerous weapons including guns, bows and arrows and cutlasses were freely used bringing all economic activities to a halt while it lasted.

Areas like Ondo Road, Itantebo and Bobasua were turned to real battle grounds making the places no go areas for the people of the town.

Heavily armed policemen were drafted to the area and the situation was brought under control.