

Soldier kills one student over girlfriend in Gombe

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THERE was tension, yesterday, in Gombe State following the killing of three students of the Federal College of Education (Technical) by a soldier attached to the state's anti-kalere (political thugs) squad in the state.

Sources said a female student of the institution was allegedly having problems with her boyfriend in the school and reported the matter to her soldier-friend who forced his way into the college and killed the boy, de-

spite pleadings by other students.

The soldier was alleged to have fatally wounded two other students in the process. It led to thousands of students demonstrating along the major streets. The students later barricaded the main gate of Gombe Government House.

For about two hours, the road leading to the Government House was closed by the students who demanded to see Governor Ibrahim Dankwambo to register their anger.

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