

ongoing projects being funded by the Federal Government.

The president said his administration, through different programmes, was

transformation agenda in the agriculture sector.

Before now, he said over N3 trillion naira was being

through various initiatives, the government had reduced the food import bill to N600 billion.

Gunmen kill 5 in Port-Harcourt

By Jimitota Onoyume

ABOUT five persons were shot dead, last night, in D Line area, close to Oroworoko community, in Port Harcourt, Rivers State

capital. Details at press time were hazy. But an eye witness said the assailants alighted from their vehicle and went straight to a house on the street, opening fire

on those they met.

It could not be confirmed if it was a cult related killing. When contacted, Rivers State Police Public Relations Officer, DSP Ahmad Mu-

hammad, said he was not aware of the incident. Meantime, at press time, policemen from Olu Obasanjo Police Station were seen taking the corpses away.

Group canvasses support for Okowa

By Ephraim Oseji

A group, Okowa

socio-political history is a man with clear understanding of the needs and aspirations of the

who sincerely is ready to give the people of the state the much desired leadership," adding, "Without any argument, Okowa is indeed,

of Deltans." Imagoro opined that the increasing support of the people for Okowa was a clear indication of their total acceptance of his candidature.