

# News



## ① Woman goes berserk, kills two elderly persons, injures one

● Mob lynches suspect

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**O** SOGBO—A 55-year-old woman, Adu Esther, reportedly macheted two elderly neighbours to death in Ilesa, Osun State weekend.

The Osun State Police Command, while confirming the incident yesterday, disclosed that the woman killed her two neighbours, a 90 years old woman, Ojuolape Olojo and Sunday Samson, 70.

It was gathered that Adu, who resides at Ita Balogun Area of Ilesa, on Saturday evening suddenly became uncontrollable and smacked her two old neighbours to death.

"After she had killed her two neighbours, an eye witness, John Adeoye, told *Vanguard* that she moved out of the house and also attacked one Disu Olaleye, 70, of the same Ita Balogun street.

"She attacked a third victim on the street. The action attracted neighbours, who later rushed into the house and discovered the bodies of the first two victims."

Osun Police Public Relations Officer, Yemisi Opalola, disclosed that her two neighbours died before getting to the hospital, while the third victim was rushed to a private hospital in Ilesa for treatment.

"The woman was mentally unstable and she suddenly attacked her neighbours. The two of them are dead. The third victim is responding to treatment in a private hospital in the town", she said.

Meanwhile, it was gathered that the suspect was also lynched by a mob.