

CAN leader says terrorists kill Kaduna cleric, abduct wife

...over 100 languish in terrorists den

By Ibrahim Hassan-Wuyo

CHAIRMAN of the Christian Association of Nigeria (CAN) in Kaduna State, Rev Joseph John Hayab, has confirmed the killing by terrorists of Rev. Musa Mairimi, the Minister in charge of ECWA Church, Buda Two, Kasuwa Magani in Kajuru Local Government Area of Kaduna State.

He quoted reports as saying there were over 100 kidnapped victims in terrorists den, saying some had spent over six months in captivity.

According to Hayab, the

terrorists invaded the community on Thursday. He said after killing the cleric, they abducted his wife.

The CAN leader said another

er Baptist pastor was kidnapped about three weeks ago by terrorists who killed a person close to the pastor before taking him away.

Mob lynches boy for raping, killing housewife in Benue

By Peter Duru, Makurdi

AN angry mob has reportedly lynched an 18-year-old boy identified as Francis, who alongside his friends, allegedly gang-raped a housewife on her farm at

Itabono village, Owukpa, Ogbadibo Local Government Area of Benue State.

It was gathered that the gang of teenage boys had over time allegedly engaged in untoward activities in the area before the latest incident.

According to sources, the victim, simply identified as Mrs. Ameh, was allegedly ambushed Thursday evening on her farm where she went to fetch firewood.

Meanwhile, the manhunt for the third member of the gang is on and the police have promised to get him.

When contacted, the Police Public Relations Officer, SP Catherine Anene, said she was yet to receive details of the incident.

Confusion as Imo LP guber aspirant allegedly dies in Lagos

By Chinonso Alozie

CONFUSION has trailed the report of the death of one of the leading governorship aspirants of the Labour Party, LP, Humphery Anumudu, in Imo State.

It was gathered in Owerri

yesterday, that the incident happened on Friday in his house in Lagos.

As at the time of filing this report, no official statement has been issued by the family or the labour party leadership in the state regarding the incident.