

# 3 die in auto crash

**T**HREE persons were yesterday killed and two others injured when two trucks collided on the Lagos/Ibadan expressway.

Mr Uakhemen Ojeamiren, the Mowe Unit Commander of the FRSC, told the *News Agency of Nigeria (NAN)* in Lagos that the accident occurred at about 9 a.m. near the AP filling station at Ayetoro Village, Ogun State.

Ojeamiren, an Assistant Corps Commander (ACC), said the accident happened when a DAF truck with registration No. XF 278 MKA had a side collision with another truck while overtaking and fell side ways.

"The victims were sitting on top of the DAF truck

carrying wood and heading to Lagos end," he said, adding, however, that the other truck did not stop.

According to him, the victims have been taken to the Olabisi Onabanjo University Teaching Hospital (OOUTH), Sagamu.

He however, announced that no accident was recorded during the Christmas holidays, except the one which occurred on the Christmas day but with no casualty.

Ojeamiren stated that the efforts of the officers and men of the FRSC helped significantly in reducing traffic jam during festive period, saying this would be sustained until Jan. 3, 2008.