

Man Kills Friend In Toilet Over N50 Note

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Police in Lagos have arrested a man for allegedly killing his friend over a N50 note.

The incident occurred at a public toilet located at Akanimodo Area, Mile 12, Ketu, Lagos.

Trouble was said to have begun on Monday evening when the suspect, Seyi Olaiya, sent the victim, Usman Yaya, on an errand to buy a sachet of 'Pure Water' for him.

Instead of buying the sachet water, Yaya was said to have spent the money on Indian hemp.

The 35-year-old suspect, who was paraded before newsmen on Tuesday, said the victim who he claimed to have known for well over 10 years, stayed with him in the same one-bedroom rented apartment at Oniyannin Ogunjobi Street, Ketu.

Truck Crushes Two Commuters In Lagos

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Two passengers were killed on Monday when a truck lost control and rammed into a commercial bus they were boarding.

Daily Independent gathered that the accident occurred when a Mercedes Benz truck marked XD 554 BWR lost control at Odunlami/Broad Street junction, Lagos Island before it collided with a Faragon Volkswagen Commercial bus, marked QX 252 AGL (Lagos), conveying the identified two male victims - Ezra Timothy and Stephen - and other surviving passengers.

The truck driver was, however, identified as Samuel Achinihu.

Frank Mba, Lagos State Police Command Public Relations Officer, confirmed the report and said the duo died on the spot when the incident occurred.

He said that traffic policemen from Lion Building Station, Lagos Island, visited the scene and removed the corpses to an undisclosed public mortuary in Lagos for autopsy.

Also, a man was killed when a truck, in reverse, crushed him from behind.