who ran into the mangroves for safety," he added.

The source also said the

hoodlums.

But Opara could not be reached for comments.

Flood kills 10 in Ibadan

ORE than 10 people were feared drowned in Apete area of Ibadan, the Oyo State capital yesterday.

The Nation on Sunday learnt that the dead were part of the huge crowd that fell over the Apete make shift bridge after the heavy down pour in the area.

An eye witness who gave his name as Ariyo, while speaking with our reporter, said he was part of the team that rescued some people who also fell over the bridge.

According to him, the make shift bridge for some days now has become a no go area for many residents

From Oseheye Okwuofu, Ibadan

in the Apete community because the river over flowed as a result of rain.

He said, "It was around 6.30 pm that it happened, we just heard cry of people who fell into the river and I decided to join the rescue team and we eventually succeeded in rescuing about six people while not less than 10 people were washed away."

When contacted on the development, the state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), SP Olabisi Ilobanafor, said she was not aware as she is on casual leave and would get back after confirming it.

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