

Four dead in Ibadan accident

A TRUCK yesterday lost control on the overhead bridge on Onipepeye Old-Ife Road Ibadan, the Oyo State capital, killing four persons and injuring six others.

The accident occurred at

From Tayo Johnson, Ibadan
10am on the spot where some traders were trying to take a bus to Lagos.

An eyewitness, Mrs. Ronke Salako, said the truck ran into the 18-seater Lagos bound bus,

killing four passengers and traders immediately.

Mrs. Salako said the driver lost control of the truck and swerved to the other side of the expressway.

Another eyewitness said the brake failed and the driv-

er lost control, with the truck skidding off the road, ramming into the waiting bus.

Yet another eyewitness, Sunday Badru, said among the victims was an expectant mother, who died on the way to the hospital.

Badru said six others were taken to the Ibadan Central Hospital on Ring Road.

The victims' remains were deposited at the Adeoyo mortuary, Yemetu.

The police could not be reached for comments.

also said to be responsible