



Four die in Ogun truck collision

Four persons were confirmed dead and nine others injured in a collision between two trucks on the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway on Friday.

Our correspondent gathered that the accident, which occurred between 2.30 p.m. and 3 p.m. at Aiyetoro, Ogun State, near the Redemption Camp, involved two trucks and five

other vehicles. It was gathered that a truck conveying barley from Lagos had brake failure and rammed into a kerosene-laden truck. The kerosene truck caught fire and ignited five other vehicles, including buses and cars.

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thousands of lives for the better for several generations to come in Nigeria," adding, "it is such a life saving thing."

The spokesman of Alpha Fluids Limited, Dr Festus Okubor, noted that the company, which he said

would be the largest in Africa, was conceived so that "Nigeria will become not only self-sufficient in the production of these vital medical fluids, but also become exporter of the products to neighbouring African countries."

Three persons were burnt to death on the spot while another victim died while being rushed to a hospital in nearby Sagamu. A combined team of policemen and officials of the Federal Road Safety Commission rushed to the scene to rescue survivors.

STB-McCANN director loses dad

Alhaji Olarenwaju Ogunlaja, father of the Media Director of a Lagos-based advertising company, STB McCANN, Mrs Olayinka Adelaja, is dead.

Ogunlaja died on Tuesday June 9 at the age of 84 years

in his Lagos home at Apapa and has been buried according to Muslim rite.

He hailed from Odogbolu, Ogun State and was also survived by other children including Muiwa Ogunlaja, Titi Awobajo and Mosun Adelaja.

Confirming the development to our correspondent on the telephone, the FRSC Unit Commander, Mowe, Ogun State, Mr Uakhemen Ojeamire, said that efforts were being made to clear the expressway. He said the injured persons had been taken to hospitals around the area.