

① Driver falls off as trailer crashes into Lagos-Ibadan highway bridge

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AN unidentified trailer driver reportedly fell off the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway bridge located between the Berger axis of Lagos State, and Isheri, Ogun State, on Saturday.

It was gathered that a trailer crashed into the bridge, leaving the frontal part of the trailer hanging off the edge of the bridge.

According to a police officer who spoke to our correspondent anonymously, the accident occurred early Saturday morning.

On January 2, two persons died while 10 others were injured in two separate crashes that occurred on the Lagos-Ibadan Expressway on New Year's Day.

However, the policeman noted

that the cause of the accident on Saturday had yet to be known as of the time of filing this report.

One of our correspondents who visited the scene of the accident observed that men of the Nigeria Police and the Federal Road Safety Corps were on the ground to maintain the free flow of traffic and the security of lives and property.

"We got here about 10 minutes ago (8 am) and we heard that the driver fell off the bridge. That is the information we have at hand now.

"We have yet to ascertain what caused the accident, we have no information on the whereabouts of the driver, and neither can we ascertain yet if there were casualties," the policeman said.