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said: "When you talk about endorsement and other aspirants, I only know about myself. I am coming out to win and the issue of endorsement has no place here because I am the candidate to beat." rammed into his car and tore away the front door where he was sitting and vamoosed.

Narrating how the accident occurred, the editor said he packed the car heard the sudden arrival and disappearance of the trailer.

According to him, 'my brother who sat beside me at the passenger's seat and I were just dumbfounded as the red trailer suddenly pulled off the driver's side door and dragged it as it sped off.

"It was as if somebody had told him 'please go and help me remove the car door and do it in such a way that you don't crush his leg,' everything was just like a dream to me," he said.

He explained that passers-by who saw the whole scenario were surprised and just congratulated him on the narrow escape from the jaw of death.

## Grandmother, grandson die in late night inferno

From WOLE BALOGUN, Ado Ekiti

Ado Ekiti yesterday morning at
about 12 midnight
when a grandmother,
simply identified as Mrs.
Omoniyi, and her sixyear-old grandson, Marvelous, got burnt to death
in in fire incident that also
consumed valuable items
in a two-bedroom apart-

ment in Fajuyi Honsing Estate on Ilawe Road in Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State.

Mrs. Omoniyi, in her late 60s, was said to be a nurse with the Ekiti State Ministry of Health before she retired, a couple of years ago. Until her death, she was living with her son, Marvelous' father, who incidentally travelled on the evening of August 22, a day before the tragedy.

A neighbour, who did

not want his name in print told Daily Sun yesterday: "It was about 11.39 on Friday night when my little boy who had gone to the toilet raised the alarm that something was happening in Mama Omoniyi's place. Then, I peeped through my window and saw Mama's neighbour, who lives in Block 2, Flat 10 running around Mama's apartment and shouting Mama! Mama! Mama!"

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