

13 killed, three injured in auto crash

LAGOS—NO fewer than 13 persons were killed and three others injured in an auto crash on Sunday night on the Lagos/Ibadan expressway, according to the News Agency of Nigeria (NAN) Mr Uakhe-man Ojeamiren, the FRSC Unit Commander at Mowe, said that a six-year-old girl was among the survivors.

He said that the girl's father, who was the driver of a bus, died with his wife in the accident which occurred around 10.30 p.m. at Ayetoro village, opposite Danco Filling Station.

Ojeamiren, an Assistant Corps Commander, said of the 13, eight were passengers in an

18-seater bus and two were in a car with registration number KP 708 AAA.

The remaining three were said to be in a truck with registration number LS 268 APP and carrying a container loaded with wood.

He said the bus and the car were fleeing from armed robbers operating on the expressway when they had a head-on collision with the truck which was driving against traffic.

The remains of the dead have been deposited at the Olabisi Onabanjo University Teaching Hospital (OOUTH) while the injured were responding to treatment at the same hospital.