

2 KILLED, 2 HURT AS CAR SKIDS INTO TREE

WILLIAMSPORT, Ind., Dec. 13 (U.P.)—Two men were killed and two other persons injured yesterday when their car skidded on a curve of Road 41, north of here, and crashed into a tree.

The dead are Rex Sours, 21, of near Morocco, and Harvey J. Bontrager, 22, Kokomo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinder Allen Elijah of near Morocco were taken to a Lafayette hospital for treatment.

Idyllic South Sea Islands Feel Pinch of Europe's War

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13 (U.P.)—If you've been nurturing some idea of leaving the world and all its cares behind and finding some secluded spot on the island of Tahiti in the South Seas you might just as well forget it—Tahiti's having its cares too.

It has left the repercussions of the

European war to such an extent that there's an acute food shortage.

Even well-to-do Americans at Papeete are feeling the pinch, said Eugene M. Cannon, head of the Tahiti Mormon Mission on arriving here.

"In August the British warship Achilles—which participated in the

battle that was followed by scuttling of the German battleship Graf Spee steamed into Papeete. British naval officers came ashore and notified the islanders that no more food would be supplied them until a plebiscite was held to determine allegiance to France or Britain. The natives voted for Britain, and the

British promptly took aboard the French governor and installed a British governor in his place," Mr. Cannon said.

"Since the beginning of the war Tahitians have suffered from a shortage of food and supplies. Few ships call there any more."

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that there is a high incidence of psittacosis (parrot fever) among the birds and that the disease may be transmitted to humans.

No doubt many infected birds will be distributed as Christmas presents," the Journal said, "and the hazard at this time demands a warning."

HOLLY TAKES ITS TIME
One of the slowest growing bushes in the world is holly.

WINNER AND LOSER IN SAME FAMILY

Pare Parrots From Yule List

CHICAGO, Dec. 13 (U.P.)—When you make out your list of what to give your friends for Christmas, one thing NOT to include is a parrot, the Journal of the American Medical Association warned tonight.

The Journal said in an editorial

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