

SHERIFF HOLDS TWO FOR POULTRY THEFT

Oregon City Man Declares Secret of Pilfered Coops May Be Found

Sheriff Wilson of Clackamas county has sent word to Sheriff Bower of this county that he is holding three men at Oregon City who the officers are certain are the men who have been stealing chickens about the valley for the past summer.

mitted helping in number of these robberies. Milton McCormack, Dale Cummings and Harold Fessler are held. The men, it is said, admitted they stole geese close to Salem, about the time that two dozen geese were stolen from the ranch of Lon Delm.

About 12 buff leghorns wearing leg-bands were alleged to be found with the men when they were arrested. Two of the men are from Oregon City and the other is from Portland.

SOLONS MARK TIME

OLYMPIA, Dec. 21.—(By The Associated Press.)—Barring the occurrence of some unanticipated event, legislators generally are agreed that there will be little to enliven the two remaining days of the special legislative session before the Christmas recess is taken.

LEGION POST FUND TO SPREAD CHEER

1000 Members by 1926 Is Slogan of Veterans Uniting on Drive

Six former service men in need of hospital care yesterday were informed by officials of Capital Post No. 9, American Legion, that their cases had received favorable action. Three of the men are now in veterans' hospital No. 77 at Portland and the other cases will be handled as speedily

according to reports filed during the meeting of the Post last night. Members of Capital post were last night requested to warn all ex-service men that misleading information to the effect that applicants for benefits under the state veterans' compensation law must complete application before January 1, 1926, is being circulated by certain realty dealers.

Col. W. P. Simpson, of the World war veterans' state aid commission has written to all Legion posts warning them of this situation and assuring ex-service men that application for the cash bonus, for the refund of cash bonus, for the refund of cash bonus and applications for loan may be filed up to and including June 30, 1926.

For the general fund of the Christmas Cheer movement in Salem, Capital Post No. 9, last night received a total of \$59 in individual contributions from post members. The Post voted \$15 from its funds as a further contribution to post and auxiliary work in forwarding 260 packages of candy and cigarettes to be given that number of Oregon ex-service men now in various veterans hospitals.

All Legion members are busy among Marion county ex-service men with a view to the securing of 1000 members for the Salem unit for the year 1926.

Before adjourning to partake of a repast provided by the Auxiliary, members of the Post were entertained by Dr. P. G. Stappin, of Salem. Dr. Stappin related facts regarding Latvia, his native land.

Himself an officer in the Czar's guards during the Russo-Japanese war, he related tales of folk customs in the little republic on the Baltic sea, of which most Americans know little except that Riga is its capital. Dr. Stappin told of his fatherland's successful efforts to maintain its independence despite the efforts of Germany and the Russian soviet government.

SERVICE IS REWARD
NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—(By The Associated Press.) Samuel Ren who rose from a railroad rodman to become president of the Pennsylvania railroad and who recently retired after 54 years of service, was presented tonight with a gold medal by the Pennsylvania society of New York at its annual dinner.

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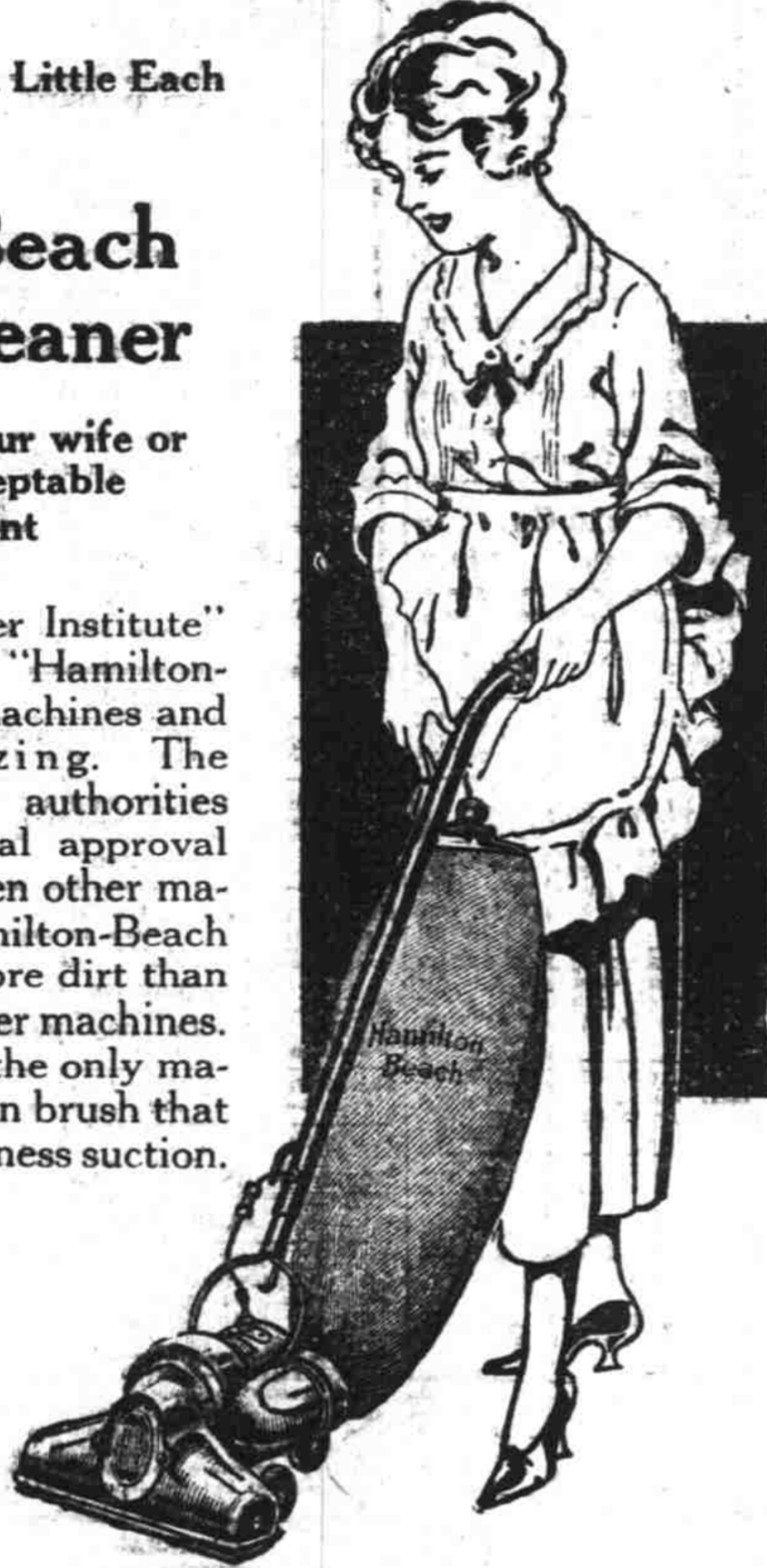
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