

ROADS BEING BUILT

ONE OF FEATURES OF RECONSTRUCTING POLAND

Thousands Are Saved from Starving to Death by Working on Highways

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
WARSAW, Dec. 27.—Something over a million and a half dollars have been expended by the Germans since their occupancy of Poland in reconstructing the unspeakably bad roads that criss-cross the kingdom at more or less rare intervals, and which have been all but destroyed by artillery fire and by the transportation of big guns, ammunition and food supplies.

The Germans in charge of road rebuilding claim that they never had any word as to the ultimate intention of their government with respect to Poland, that their work has gone on irrespective of any intention to annex the ancient kingdom, that the work has been done purely as a sort of philanthropic measure and that it will stand as a heritage for those who may in the future govern Poland.

Work Is Well Done
That it has been thoroughly done, however, is attested by the fact that between 30,000 and 35,000 laborers have been employed in the various sections of Poland. Most of these men are Poles, thrown out of their ordinary occupations by a shortage of raw materials.

The Polish population in general has proven thankful for what has been accomplished—additionally so because thousands of its men and women have received employment in the reconstruction of the Polish roads, and have in this way been saved from the starvation that otherwise stared them in the face.

Women Fine Workers
It is peculiar that the women, rather than the men, have done the most toward rehabilitating their own country. The women, and grown children, have proved themselves industrious workers for the reconstruction of Poland, while the men with few exceptions have had to be driven, and have never overcome their suspicion of the Germans. This suspicion, it is assumed, is founded on generations of experience of Russian domination. The men, rather than work, offer bribes to the Germans, as they used to offer them to the Russians, and then appear utterly dumbfounded when the bribes are not accepted and they are confronted with the alternative of working or starving.

Times Want Ads for results.

WORK AT COUNTY FARM IS FINISHED

New House for Superintendent Built and Other Improvements Were Made at the Place.

The improvements at the county poor farm have been completed. The superintendent's home is an eight-room, two-story house 30 by 32 with a full concrete basement. It is modern in every respect and built for permanency. It cost approximately \$3500. Five cottages, built in a row, are also ready for occupancy—one of four rooms; two of two rooms and two of one room. All have built-in porches and are modern in other respects. A 100-foot bridge across a 20-foot gulch and 200 feet of sidewalk have also been completed. Other improvements done include the laying of 600 feet of water mains, 500 feet of sewer, installing a septic tank and building a laundry. All of the buildings are painted white, each given three coats.

The work was done by day labor under the supervision of Mr. Armstrong and according to his figures, cost approximately \$5800.

Before the improvement work on the County Farm was started, bids had been called for on the main residence and five cottages, says Mr. Armstrong, and the lowest was \$4300. This bid, he says, was for cheaper construction throughout and did not include a basement for the main residence, sewer, septic tank, water mains, laundry, bridge, sidewalks or any of the other improvements made.

It was decided by the County Court to have the work done by day labor, and Mr. Armstrong says the job is done and open for inspection, and he will leave it to any fair-minded person to decide whether the county got as much for its money as it would have received under contract.

NEWS OF LANGLOIS.

Notes of Northern Curry County Told in the Leader

W. M. Elliott, the jeweler, will leave soon for Marshfield to visit his son.

Mrs. Frank Cox and children, of Bandon, spent Christmas with friends in Langlois.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, of Riverdale, visited friends in Langlois.

Mrs. Jim McAdams and little son Austin, of New Lake, were visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cox, of Floras Creek.

MISFORTUNE FOLLOWS FAMILY AT BANDON

Father of Eleven Children is Hurt and Household Goods Lost on the Santa Clara

(Special to The Times.)
BANDON, Ore., Dec. 28.—The case of Charles Landis, who was injured while working in Anderson's camp, is a most distressing one. Landis was struck by a falling tree and has since been at the Emergency Hospital, and is delirious and probably cannot recover. He came here from Michigan and is the father of eleven children and has no funds excepting what he earned working. The family lost all of their household goods, which they brought here from the East when the Santa Clara was wrecked, their goods being shipped here on that boat.

On top of that misfortune the head of the family gets hurt and it is highly questionable whether he will ever recover.

EXPECT WORK SOON

Sutherland Likely to Get Railroad and New Sawmill

The Sutherland Sun prints the following:

"Citizens of Sutherland were highly elated on learning that the Roach Timber Company had made out a trust deed to the German Trust Company and M. N. Richardson, of Davenport, Iowa, raising the sum of \$300,000 with which to resume work on its railroad construction and sawmills in Sutherland.

The deed, which covers certain holdings of the Roach Timber Company in Sutherland Valley, was received by County Clerk Lenox the first of the week, and the fact that the filing fee was \$32 would indicate that it is of some proportions. It bears date of December 15 and two or three days will be required to place it on record.

The recording of this trust deed would indicate that the Roach Timber Company is getting things in shape to begin operations here early the coming year. The right-of-way for the railroad was secured some time ago, and apparently there is nothing to delay the progress of the work as soon as weather conditions will permit.

WILLS OF HUBBARDS FILED

American Couple Leave Over \$400,000 to Children

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 28.—The wills of Elbert Hubbard and his wife, who went down with the liner Lusitania, were filed here yesterday for ancillary probate, as both held stock in the Northern Crown bank of Canada. The amount of Mr. Hubbard's total estate was declared at \$397,845 and that of Mrs. Hubbard at \$35,735. In each case the estates were divided equally between their children, Elbert and Miriam. A direction in each will read: "I desire that my body be cremated and not buried in the ground."

VICTORY FINAL

Roosevelt Gets Judgment for Libel Suit Costs

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Former President Roosevelt today was allowed \$1,442.52 against William Barnes, the republican leader, as costs and disbursements in the \$50,000 libel suit unsuccessfully brought by Barnes. The court also signed a new order refusing to set aside the jury verdict and denying a new trial.

SPRINGFIELD—Edward Bradley, aged 35 years, employed by the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company, was struck on the head by a timber and death resulted.

Bunker Hill Free Mail Service Starts

Next Monday the Bunker Hill-Bay Park-First Addition Rural Free Delivery route will be started, giving the people south of Marshfield the benefits of a daily mail service.

In order for the residents of that district to enjoy the benefits of this daily free service, it will be necessary for them to put up regulation mail boxes on the road in front of their homes. These boxes have to be of a certain size and character.

If you live on that route you had better get busy. You can get the mail boxes at the Bunker Hill Department Store for \$1 each and if you want the lock attachment, it will cost forty cents more. These are fine boxes.

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Phone 32.

FINISH SOUTH JETTY AT NEHALEM RIVER

Work Under Engineer Carroll Will Start on North Side—Done in a Year

Nehalem's south jetty is complete and the plant of the U. S. engineers is now being shifted across the river to the north spit that work may start on the north jetty, says the Umpqua Courier.

Engineer W. G. Carroll, who has had charge of the work, has ordered the material necessary for moving the plant and deliveries will be made shortly. The north jetty, much shorter than was the south jetty, is expected to be complete within a year.

Residents of Nehalem are planning on a celebration to be held shortly to commemorate the event. They believe that it will be only a short time before they will have 30 feet of water on the bar, 20 feet having been found there by the master of a gas schooner who surveyed the bar recently.

The south jetty at Nehalem has been in course of construction since the spring of 1912. A bond issue of \$92,000 was floated at that time by the Port of Nehalem. Government aid was secured by the Port of Nehalem in 1913, the arrangement being that the Port should appropriate \$316,175, and that the Government would appropriate a like amount. This was done in the spring of 1914, and the work commenced at once.

CLUB AT PANAMA

Purpose of Members Is To Catch the Tarpon

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

PANAMA, Dec. 27.—Fishermen on the Isthmus have completed the organization of the Canal Zone Tarpon Club. It will have a clubhouse of its own not far removed from the Spillway at Gatun which is the site of the club members' sport.

Shortly after the Spillway was completed it was found that many large tarpon come up the Chagres river from the sea to feed on the fresh water fish that came over the Spillway from Lake Gatun. Since then this has provided excellent sport for the canal fishermen. One fish weighed more than 75 pounds has been taken with rod and line.

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