

cooperative shareholder puts down a quarter of the cost, and then he is given 10-15 years to pay another 10,000. The enterprise covers the remaining half of the cost. Indeed, there are many people wanting to join the cooperative, and the screening of applicants is strict. Already, 1,340 cubic meters of round wood have been transported to the site, and we will begin construction this year. Our wood, our bricks. Together with the sovkhos, we will build a brick factory."

Q. "Vyacheslav Aleksandrovich, I appreciate that you could speak at length and in detail about the business arrangements and massive plans for developing your branches in the Krasnodar Krai. But tell us: is everything restricted to the Kuban region?"

A. "No, we have also penetrated the Kherson Oblast, Pitsunda, and we already have real results here. In the Kherson region there is a port city called Skadovsk. The Minmorflot [Ministry of the Maritime Fleet] had come up with the idea of building a large sanatorium at this point on the Black Sea coast. We decided to join this distinguished company and asked K. Matskyavichyus, Chairman of the Central Committee of the Sectoral Trade Union, to support us. He assisted us. What should we build there? Next to the future sanatorium stands a city hospital. They would give it to us on condition that the steamship line puts up a new hospital at another location. We will re-outfit the building as our own sanatorium, and it will become part of a general complex. We and the maritime workers will have a common treatment center, dining hall and other facilities. The decision has been made to build the second phase of dormitory, physiocultural and health facilities right on the seashore."