

factory have promised to ship at least six million items over and above their planned output to their customers before the opening of the Conference.

This above-plan output is almost equal in volume to the entire above-plan output achieved throughout all of last year.

How are the workers planning to achieve this goal? The reconstruction of the factory is now complete and unique production lines have been created. More sophisticated industrial techniques, constant concern with regard to raising the professional standards of the workers and wise use of the economic controls exercised by the management are also making it possible to speed up the rate at which products can be manufactured.

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No Further Need To Ship Half-Way Round The World

When you look at the blocks of buildings, which have been put up in this new Arctic town, one sees clearly how much work and expense must have gone into transporting the materials and construction elements of these buildings over hundreds of kilometres, for, in fact, there was no housing-construction combine in the town.

But the high-cost of shipping things in by rail has come to an end. Usinsk now has its own large-panel housing construction plant, erected by the "Usinskstroi" Association. Every year the plant