

workers should think about. We hope that the Ministry of the Timber, Pulp and Paper and Woodworking Industry and the USSR will help them to do just that.

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Poor Heat and Steam Supplies at the Kaliningrad Pulp and Paper Combine

Last winter the Kaliningrad Pulp and Paper Combine had quite a bit of trouble supplying heat and steam to the Combine and the papermakers' housing and service centres. Lesnaya promyshlennost' has raised this issue before. Among the factors blamed for this state of affairs were the unsatisfactory operation of the thermal electric power centre run by the enterprise and the improper utilization of resources. How prepared is the Combine for the coming winter season?

"Six of the ten boilers in the thermal electric power plant and the remaining ones will be ready soon. All work is proceeding according to schedule," Yu. Kuborskiy, the Chief Electrical Engineer of the Combine, notes.

This doesn't seem bad. Following schedule, however, is only one side of the coin. The boilers had been inspected and repaired last year as well, and the commission approved them for operation. Nevertheless, unexpected breakdowns occurred: there was an extreme shortage of heat and steam in the middle of the winter.