

This comes as a result of the completion of the Krasnoleninskii gas reprocessing plant which began its first workweek yesterday.

Under the present conditions of self-sufficiency, the TASS correspondent was told by G. Yasaveev, assistant director of the Glavtyumenneftegas - we cannot afford not to utilize petroleum gas. This is an obvious additional income. Thus far, we cannot boast about success in this field. There are still many flares in the oil fields. As they say here, "cash" is burning. You can judge for yourself: the annual program of the Krasnoleninskii plant, for example, foresees a yield of a billion cubic metres of gas. This equals an addition of sixteen million rubles. Soon a plant having a capacity equal to that of Krasnoleninskii will be completed in Noyabr'sk. The plant in Purpa will also start production this year. But this is just the first stage.

Sotsialisticheskaya Industriya

2 February 1988

Page 1 (full text)