resources of the Kola Peninsula, including the output of the mining and fishing complex. The transition to a new system of management of enterprises will do much to further this.

All of us Murmanskers understand that the future of our Oblast is tied up with perestroika which is now unfolding in the country. To provide the people with decent housing, high-quality services and goods and food - this is only possible by seeking unusual approaches, overcoming stereotypes and by constantly improving. And we are up to the job.

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## A Heat Wave In The "Cold Belt"

Unusually hot days have been occurring in Yakutia. These are the first such high temperatures to be recorded there in many years. In Yakutsk and in the villages of Amga and Borogontsy, for example, it is 38 degrees in the shade, while it is 36 degrees in the city of Verkhoyansk in the "cold belt."

This same kind of heat wave now predominates in almost all of the agricultural districts of the Yakut ASSR, creating serious difficulties in procuring feeds. In the sun, the temperature exceeds the fifty degree mark.

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