

now undergoing testing, are scheduled to be eliminated by the autumn; an improved model will be ready for testing in November.

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Unusual Delivery Runs

The drivers employed by the Deputatskii trucking centre have carried out some difficult and unusual delivery runs. Using "ZIL-131" trucks, specially equipped to carry extra-long loads, they have delivered for the first time twenty-five metre-long boom spans for a walking excavator to the "Nerskii" placer mine at Oimyakon.

Now they will start delivering other, non-standard parts for the one and a half thousand tonne, twenty cubic-metre giants. Two such machines will soon be operating at the sites being worked by "Indigirzoloto".

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