this be reckoned when there are no monitoring devices, when the hopper weighing machine is broken and the scales in the workshops don't work. And another story. The granite-producing unit causes the combine losses. The granite from their own quarry costs one hundred and thirty two roubles a cubic metre, but they prefer to import granite from Krasnoyarsk and to pay twice the price for it. Where's the profit in that?

The specialists have proposed the following: that the combine should introduce a minimum cost-accounting system, not an official system, but a real one. Today this is the only way of ensuring that the work flows smoothly...

There were a lot of speakers at the meeting and they all spoke about different problems, relating these problems to the main theme, as worked out by the Conference.

There are differing views with regard to the decision taken at the Party meeting. A majority voted to eliminate the irritating bill "Providing for the coming on-line of sectors...". The members of the Party were firm: we won't mix Party and economic functions. And as item number one in the resolution they stated: "To support E. Basin, delegate to the Nineteenth All-Union Party Conference in carrying out his planned measures aimed at improving the operations of the Association.

It was a correct decision.

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