

MINERAL RESOURCES AND MINING

At The Source Of A River Of Coal

The miners of the Neryungri Mineral Resources and Mining Section are laboring intensively, turning out a considerable output.

Here the coal is moving in an unending flow. Many of the excavator operators and dump truck drivers are welcoming in the New Year in the cabs of their giant machines, decorated with New Year's trees.

In just the first three days of the year a little more than 74,000 tonnes of coal have been extracted and about 600,000 cubic metres of barren rock have been cast aside. The best results were achieved during the first shift on the first day of the New Year.

Seventeen trainloads of coal, weighing a total of 60,000 tonnes, were dispatched in the first three days of the new year to the eastern districts of the USSR and abroad.

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The Hidden Treasure Of Zelinda

Ust'Ilimsk, January 8 (A. Shafranovskii, Pravda Non-staff Correspondent). Until a short time ago this name on the map was associated with a small taiga stream, a tributary of the Angara. Then