OBITUARY

MIKHAIL EGOROVICH KORESHKOV

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September 9, 1965 marked the death, after a severe illness, of the great metallurgical specialist Mikhail Egorovich Koreshkov, director of the I. F. Tevosyan Order of Lenin Electrometallurgical plant "Elektrostal".

M. E. Koreshkov was born in 1905. His labor activity began at the Kulebakskii Metallurgical Plant. In 1925 M. E. Koreshkov began studying at the workers' high school, then at the Ural Steel Institute, from where he was graduated in 1932 as a metallurgical engineer.

Upon completing the institute, the young specialist was sent to the "Electrostal" Plant, where he worked as a foreman of the electric-steel furnaces, and then as shift chief and shop chief. In March 1939 M. E. Koreshkov was appointed director of the "Elektrostal" Plant.

For 23 years Mikhail Egorovich Koreshkov directed the largest electrometallurgical enterprise of our country. From 1957 to 1960 M. E. Koreshkov worked as chief of the Administration of the Metallurgical Industry of the Moscow Council of the National Economy, then again as director of the "Elektrostal" Plant. He was a talented organizer and a highly skilled metallurgical specialist.

Under the directorship of M. E. Koreshkov the "Elektrostal" Plant was the first in the Soviet Union to master the production of stainless steel with oxygen blowing, the production of precision and other special steels and alloys and mastered the product of vacuum and electroslag metal.



For services to his country M. E. Koreshkov was awarded four Orders of Lenin, Order of the Banner of Labor, and three medals. He was also awarded with the title of Laureate of the State.

Mikhail Egorovich Koreshkov was repeated deputy of the Supreme Soviet of the Russian Federation, was a political delegate, a member of a Moscow political committee, and deputy of the Electrostal, City Council.

During his entire working life M. E. Koreshkov was a sensitive and modest worker, he always enjoyed the high esteem of the plant collective and all those who knew him. The bright example of Mikhail Egorovich Koreshkov will always remain in our hearts.