OBITUARY

ALEKSEI PETROVICH PANARIN



On September 7, 1990, the oldest worker of the refractory industry and personal pensioner of the USSR Aleksei Petrovich Panarin died after a serious illness at the age of 85.

A. P. Panarin worked in the refractory industry for over 45 years and advanced from a department head of the "Magnezit" plant to its director. From 1965 to 1976 he worked as a chief engineer of the Main Administration of the Refractory Material Industry of the Ministry of Ferrous Metallurgy of the USSR.

Great progress in equipping, developing, and promoting new technology of refractories was accomplished under A. P. Panarin's guidance. For manufacturing high-quality refractories and designing and introducing native crowns of Martin furnaces Aleksei Petrovich twice became a Laureate of the State Prize. He was awarded the title of Hero of Socialist Labor with the presentation of the Order of Lenin and the "Sickle and Hammer" Gold Medal. A. P. Panarin was also awarded two Orders of the Labor Red Banner and many medals.

Along with his engineering—industrial activity A. P. Panarin was politically involved in the Communist Party. He was a member of the plant Party Committee and a Deputy of the Satkin City Soviet of Peoples Deputies.

All of Aleksei Petrovich Panarin's life was exemplified by service to his Country, people, and Party.

The bright memory of Aleksei Petrovich Panarin will remain forever in the memory of all who knew him.