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The Manager,
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We have inspected the underground workings of this mine and also the milling section.

The following matters require attention.

(i) Several complaints were received regarding miners firing before the firing signal. This practise must cease, and offenders, if apprehended will face prosecution.

(ii) All miners must use the crib places provided.

(iii) Consideration should be given to the establishment of additional underground lavatories, because the working places are now located at considerable distances from existing lavatories.

(iv) strict supervision must be given to the running of ore pockets in the main adit. Excessive dust is created if these pockets are completely emptied.

(v) Footplates must be used on mechanical loaders.

(vi) Miners are not permitted to take working clothes, helmets, or boots into the clean clothes section of the change room.

(vii) Consideration should be given to the provision of four or five additional showers in the U/G change room.

(viii) Numerous instances were observed throughout the milling section where dust was being introduced into the mill atmosphere through faulty sealing or treatment appliances. Whenever the sealing fails on these machines immediate action is to be taken to effect at least a temporary seal.

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