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Careful restorers

THOUGH restoration of the 18th-century Chart gunpowder mills at Faversham, Kent, as a historic show-place is not expected to be finished before next spring, the volunteer workers of the Faversham Society will be sitting on a powder barrel from now on.

Already a consignment of authentic-looking, but guaranteed non-explosive, "gunpowder" has been delivered to them so that the processes of production can eventually be demonstrated at the mills. It is based on a formula devised after tests at the Explosives Research and Development Establishment at Waltham Abbey.