

What's News

Election News . . . AGMA elected new officers and board members at its annual meeting in Fort Lauderdale, FL. **Frank J. Posinski** of Cincinnati Gear is the new Chairman. **Adolph W. Sbihli** of the General Motors Gear Center is Senior Vice President, and **David L. George** of Falk Corp. is Treasurer. **Charles A. Brannen** of Overton Gear is Chairman Emeritus. **Bipin N. Doshi** of Schafer Gear Works and **Arlin Perry** of the Dorris Company are Vice Presidents, and **Roger A. Pennycook** of IMO Industries, **Gottfried H. Versock** of Flender Corp. and **Robert R. Wallis** of Rexnord Rotary Components were elected to the Board of Directors.

New Faces . . .



Keith J. Watkins

Keith J. Watkins has been named the new president of **Mahr Corporation**, the Cincinnati, OH-based headquarters for Mahr GmbH's North American operations. Mahr markets precision surface, roundness and form measurement products to manufacturers.

Getting Together . . . **American Wera**, **Hurth MODUL**, and **Samag**, all manufacturers of metalworking machinery, have combined to offer their individual machines, auxiliary equipment, parts and service from one location in Ann Arbor, MI. **Walter Friedrich** will act as president of the combined office . . . **Thomason Mechanical Corp.**, a machinery maintenance company operating in the western U.S., and **Prager Incorporated** division of Brook Hansen, a repair facility for gearboxes, have formed an alliance with two repair centers at TMC's facilities in northern and southern California. Services will include gearbox repair, replacement gearing, redesigns, upgrades, ratio changes and custom gearbox design.

And the winners are . . . **AMT** — The Association For Manufacturing Technology has presented its Total Quality Implementation Award to

Extrude Hone Corp., **Livornois Engineering Co.** and **National Machinery Co.**

AGMA standards distribution . . . On April 15, **Global Engineering Documents**, a division of Information Handling Services (IHS) Group, Inc., became the primary sales and distribution agent for all AGMA standards and technical documents. Global makes

AGMA standards available either on paper or CD-ROM. AGMA's engineering staff will continue to handle all technical questions and to be responsible for the development and approval of all industry standards.

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