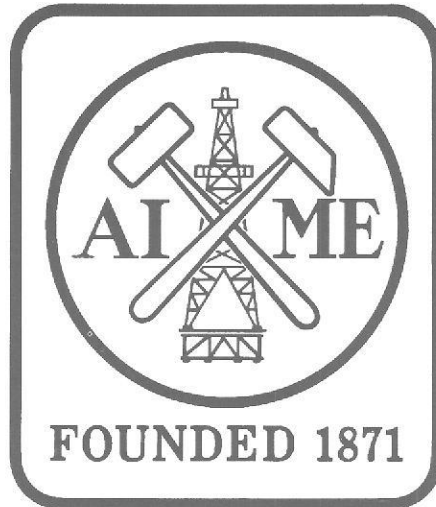


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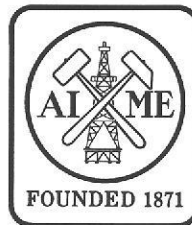


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Report of the 1993 President



G. Hugh Walker, President – 1993
American Institute of Mining,
Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers

Last year, 1992 AIME President Roshan B. Bhappu reported on the developments of two major activities: *Transformations* Project of the Public Issues Committee and actions of the All-Institute Government Affairs Committee. I am pleased to report to the AIME Member Societies and their members on the significant progress of these two projects and on other developments. Both projects reached important milestones during 1993; these and other activities continue to show our ability to develop and implement meaningful projects of benefit to the Institute and Member Societies.

1993 AIME ANNUAL MEETING

A highly successful AIME Annual Meeting was held in Reno, Nevada in February hosted by the Society for Mining, Metallurgy and Exploration (SME). The AIME Keynote Session, chaired by 1994 AIME President-Elect Noel D. Rietman, featured three distinguished speakers and was very well received. The annual banquet served to recognize the recipients of Honorary Membership as well as the other prestigious AIME Awards. An account of the 122nd Annual Meeting may be found on page 8, followed by the names of the award winners.

TRADITION

The Iron and Steel Society (ISS) is hosting the 1994 AIME Annual Meeting in Chicago. As a long term solution, the AIME Board of Trustees agreed that SME will host the AIME Annual Meeting in 1995 and all years beyond with TMS hosting the Annual Meeting every fourth year commencing in 1996. I thank all Member Societies who have so graciously hosted AIME and acknowledge with gratitude SME and TMS cooperation in planning for the future.

EDUCATION

Transformations Video Series

Throughout 1993 AIME has evidenced a commitment to improving middle school education by continuing to support the marketing and distribution of *Transformations* Video Series: Science, Technology and Society.

Throughout 1993, the user base for *Transformations* grew, as more and more teachers selected the series for use with their students. In 1993, 750 units were sold bringing the number of sets in use in classrooms nationwide to over 1,500. With current placement at over 1,500 locations, we estimate that over 4,500 teachers are using the series today. Word of mouth, plus endorsements, reviews, press coverage, advertising and exposure at educational conferences all contributed to the growing users base. I congratulate Dr. Frank V. Nolfi, Jr. and his committee on their continued accomplishments.

The *Transformations* Project: Partnering Technology with Education and Society

At the Reno meeting the AIME Board of Trustees approved the *Transformations* Project with the proviso that it would fund the project 50