

бывших еще недавно монополистами. Еще бы. По инициативе Владимира Герасимовича создана мощная Энергомашиностроительная корпорация, куда вошли крупнейшие машиностроительные заводы, среди которых такие знаменитые, как «Электросила», Ленинградский металлургический, Белгородский и Чеховский «Энергомаш», Петрозаводский завод тяжелого бумагоделательного машиностроения, Уральский турбомоторный завод. И здесь президентом избрали Овчара.

- Теперь, - говорит он, - мы можем поставлять заказчику весь ком-

плект будущей электростанции тепловой или атомной.

Последние странички записной книжки, последние вопросы и ответы. Я перечитываю их и думаю о ноте, на которой надо заканчивать рассказ о судьбе этого человека. Но еще интереснее то, во что они верят? Вот и страничка, на которой записан ответ Овчара:

- Убежден, что акционерное общество будет и впредь устойчиво и успешно работать, а люди более достойно жить. Я не любитель высоких слов, но твердо верю в наш завод и Россию.

What do Presidents dream of?

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He has an unusual biography. He thinks all his life consists of turning points and scars. Nowadays this man guides the big business. He is the Head of JSC «Podolsk engineering plant».

Ovchar Vladimir Gerasimovich was born in 1940, in Buryatiya. His father was a serviceman and their family moved from one place to another all over the country. In 1963 he graduated TPU and after the graduation he started his work in Omsk, at the air-motor plant. His wife was Podolsk born and studied in Moscow. That's why they decided to move to Podolsk where Ovchar continued his work at the plant of Ordzhonikidze. He was hired as a constructing engineer to the department of chief power engineering specialist, then he became deputy head of esteem power department and later — a head of the 3rd workshop.

When Ovchar was 34 he was proposed a post of chief director of JSC «Podolsk engineering plant». And he refused. He thought he wasn't experienced enough for that job. Later Ovchar declined proposals to become the head of Chehovo Plant «Uralmash», chief director of turboconstructing plant in Syzran, instructor in the Central Committee of Communist Party.

After his work in the 3rd workshop Ovchar became chief engineer of the plant and later he moved to Volgodonsk where the largest nuclear engineering plant was just built and started his work there as a chief director of that plant. He worked there for 6 years.

When Vladimir Gerasimovich comes back to the plant of Ordzhonikidze he feels himself a new person with new abilities and features of character. And he begins «new» work in the old place. He had a choice — to go on his career in the Ministry of engineering industry or to come back to Ordzhonikidze plant, which went through its hard time then. In short time the plant was recalled into JSC «Podolsk engineering plant», the consciousness of workers changed according to the new time.

The largest engineering plants, such as «Electropower», «Leningrad Metal», Belgorod, Petrozavodsk, Ural plants and Chehovo «Energomash» have founded their association. Ovchar was elected as its president. Answering the question «what do you believe in?» Vladimir Gerasimovich says «I believe in our plant and I do believe in Russia».