



Annual Report, 1953-1954.

Mr. Chan Siew Jang — Hon. Secretary.

Gentlemen:

Your Committee has great pleasure in submitting this Annual Report and Statement Accounts duly audited.

OFFICIALS FOR 1953-1954:

At the Annual General Meeting held on Friday, March 27, 1953, at Coleman Street, the following were elected:

President:	Dr. A.W.S. Thevathanan (re-elected).
Vice-Presidents:	The Hon'ble Mr. Thio Chan Bee (ex-officio), Mr. Wong Shlan Yein (re-elected), Mr. T. E. Tay.
Hon. Secretary:	Mr. Chan Siew Jang.
Asst. Hon. Secretary:	Mr. Dennis Lee Kim Yew.
Hon. Treasurer:	Mr. Quek Khye Kee (re-elected).
Asst. Hon. Treasurer:	Mr. Chua Kim Yam (re-elected).

Committee Members:	Mr. G. H. Kiat (re-elected), Mr. Lee Chin Ghee (re-elected), Dr. Ong Swee Law, Mr. Yong Ngim Djin (re-elected), Mr. P. C. Lim,
Hon. Auditor:	Mr. Chan Kum Chee (re-elected).

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Six Committee Meetings were held in addition to a couple of Sub-Committee Meetings. The attendance at these was good. There never was an occasion when there was a lack of quorum.

SPORTS:

At the 39th Annual Sports of the School the section reserved for Old Boys was, as usual, crowded to capacity. Those present were treated to a first class thrill in the Inter-O.B.A. Relay for the Tan Chin Tuan Cup. Through the concerted efforts of Soo Hian, Soo Liat and Maurice Ni-

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cholas, Yeo Choon Bee, the last runner of the A.C.S., received the baton almost ten yards ahead of Tan Eng Yoon, the last S.J.I. runner. The latter, however, surprised all supporters of the A.C.S. by tying with Yeo at the tape.

The Old Boys had better luck when they played the Present Boys in both Soccer and Hockey. They won the former by 4-2 and the latter by 1-0. Both matches were played at Barker Road where the good number of supporters present helped to create the "atmosphere" that was so essential to a thoroughly enjoyable game.

REVISION OF RULES:

The Rules of the Association have been revised and passed. For the hard work and great care put into these revisions your Committee is thankful to Mr. T.E. Tay, Mr. Thio Chan Bee, Mr. Lee Chin Gee and Dr. Ong Swee Law, members of the Sub-Committee.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS:

After being amended several times, the Draft Constitution for a Board of Governors has been deferred for reconsideration by the General Body of the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church next January. Members may be interested to know that it was passed by the Board of Education of the Methodist Church at the Annual Conference last January.

This matter has taken more than three years to discuss and your Committee is a little disappointed over the delay in its implementation. This, however, was due to no fault of the Sub-Committee and your Committee wishes to place on record its thanks to Messrs. Lee Chin Gee, Yong Ngim Djin, Thio Chan Bee and Drs. A.W.S. Thevathasan and Ong Swee Law for their splendid "pioneer" work on this matter and particularly appreciates the sympathy and co-operation of Bishop R.L. Archer. Your Committee is ever mindful of the work, care and thought the Bishop himself had put

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into the drafting of the rules, and remains grateful.

DRESSING ROOM (SPORTS PAVILION):

Your Committee has interested itself in its discussion and has good reasons to believe that it will have been constructed by this time next year.

FOUNDER'S DAY DINNER:

This was a great success. More than 600 celebrated Founder's Day and had a reunion. Your Committee sent a special letter of thanks to Mr. Yong Ngim Djin, the Chairman, and his committee for the successful arrangements.

NEW MEMBERS:

Renewals were rather disappointing; only 11 old members renewed their membership by becoming LIFE MEMBERS; 1 renewed his membership for seven years and 1 renewed his for two years.

CONGRATULATIONS:

Your Committee heartily congratulates Mr. Lee Yong Leng and Dr. Tow Siang Hwa for winning the Queen's Scholarships. Dr. Tow also won four medals.

Our largest hand-out of congratulations, however, must be made to the School Athletic Team which won 21 relays and the following trophies — the Sir Arthur Young Cup, the Tan Cheng Siong Cup and the Tan Hock Siang Cup. This was a record that will be well-nigh impossible to repeat and to — beat! Well done! A.C.S. Forever!

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

Your Committee would like to thank Dr. and Mrs. A.W.S. Thevathasan for their generous hospitality at all Committee Meetings.

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STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1953.

1953	INCOME	BANK	CASH
Feb. 28	Balance as per Bank Book	\$1,767.30	
	Cash in hand		\$21.00
Mar. 3	Profit derived from 1953 Dinner Account		356.00
	Subscription collected during 1953		578.00
	Bank Interest for 1953	48.32	
	Deposited into bank	521.00	
	Library Fund — donation		30.00
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		\$2,336.62	\$985.60

1953	EXPENDITURE	BANK	CASH
Apr. 4	Yeo Bros. Co. Printing 2000 copies app. forms		\$ 15.00
June 8	Winston's — Trophies		25.40
Dec. 12	Sundry Expenses		62.70
	30 Koh Yew Hean — 2000 copies		150.00
	Cash deposited into Bank		521.00
	31 Balance as per Bank Book	\$2,336.62	
	Cash in Hand at 31.12.53		211.50 @
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@ Including \$30/- Library Fund.

Hon. Treasurer: Sd. Quek Khye Kee.

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