

Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your Management Committee, in accordance with Article 22 of the rules of the Association, has pleasure in presenting herewith the Annual Report for the year 1974/1975 and the Statement of Accounts for the year under review duly audited by Mr. Chiam Tee Tong, the Hon. Auditor.

Management Committee: At the last Annual General Meeting, held on Friday 15th March 1974, at 5 p.m. in the A.C.S. Sports Complex, Barker Road, the following were elected:

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| President | : | Prof. Seah Cheng Siang | (re-elected) |
| Vice-President | : | Mr. Tan Boon Chiang | (re-elected) |
| | | Mr. Lee Hah Ing | |
| | | Mr. Chee Keng Lim | (ex-officio) |
| Hon. Secretary | : | Mr. Gan Kee Tian | (re-elected) |
| Asst. Hon. Secretary | : | Mr. Peter Joe Chia | (re-elected) |
| Hon. Treasurer | : | Mr. Quek Khye Kee | (re-elected) |
| Asst. Hon. Treasurer | : | Mr. Chew Poon Kong | (re-elected) |
| Committee Members | : | Dr. Albert Wee | (re-elected) |
| | | Prof. Tow Siang Hwa | (re-elected) |
| | | Dr. Ong Swee Law | (re-elected) |
| | | Mr. Alan Yeo | (re-elected) |
| | | Dr. Winston Oh | |
| Hon. Auditor | : | Mr. Chiam Yee Tong | (re-elected) |

Committee Meetings: During the year under review four meetings were held. At its first meeting the Committee dealt with among other matters, the following items of business.

1. the co-option of Mr. Yong Ngim Djin, Mr. Foo Kee Seng and Mr. Chin Teck Huat into the Committee.

2. the election of the President Prof. Seah Cheng Siang, Mr. Tan Boon Chiang, Dr. Ong Swee Law, Mr. Yong Ngim Djin and Mr. Lee Hah Ing to represent the Association on the Board of Governors.

3. the election of the Chairmen of the various Sub-Committees :

Games : Dr. Albert Wee
 Literary & Social : Mr. Quek Khye Kee
 O.B.A. Reunion Dinner : Mr. Yong Ngim Djin assisted by Mr. Lee Hah Ing
 Scholarships and Awards : Prof. Seah Cheng Siang assisted by Mr. Tan Boon Chiang
 Dr. Albert Wee with Mr. Chee Keng Lim (ex-officio)

A.C.S. Board of Governors: Our representatives were present at all Board meetings.

Honours:— Heartiest congratulations to the following alumni on whom the Republic conferred National Day Honours:

Bintang Bakti Masyarakat : Mr. Ronald Sng Ewe Min
 Public Silver Star.
Pingat Pentadbiran Awam Dr. J.M.J. Supramaniam
 GOLD
Pingat Pentadbiran Awam Mr. John Noel Hanam
 SILVER
Pingat Pentadbiran Awam Mr. Robert Tay Siow Hwa
 BRONZE
Pingat Berkebolehan Mr. Chen Meng Sheng
 Efficiency Medal Mr. Eric Wong Ong Ming
 Mr. Heng Soon

Founder's Day Re-union Dinner

The Guests of Honour at our 83th Founder's Day Re-union Dinner were the Hon'ble Dr. Lee Chiaw Meng, the Minister for Education and Mrs. Lee. Among the distinguished guests were representatives from the Ministry of Education, the Methodist Church, the Universities, School Principals, retired teachers and other O.B.A. Presidents.

Before dinner, the students of the Literary, Debating & Dramatic Society of the School entertained the large audience with delightful music and modern dances.

During the dinner, Prof. Seah Cheng Siang, President of the O.B.A. proposed a toast to the School and the guests. Mr. Chee Keng Lim, Principal of the School replied for the School, and Dr. Lee Chiaw Meng replied for the guests.

It was another successful evening which ended with the singing of Auld Lang Syne.

Games : The Old Boys recaptured the Series from the Present boys by four games to three. The Old Boys emerged winners in Rugby, Hockey, Table-Tennis and Water-polo but the Present boys were successful in Badminton, Chess and Soccer.

Finance : The financial position continues to be satisfactory.

Membership : During the year under review 121 new members joined the Association and the membership stands at 2207 of which 98 are women.

Acknowledgement : The Committee acknowledges with thanks the kind hospitality of the President Prof. Seah Cheng Siang and Mrs. Seah at all committee meetings which were held at their home.

Gan Kee Tian
 Hon. Secretary

BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1974

| Accumulated Funds | S\$ | S\$ |
|--|-----------------|------------------|
| General Fund:- | | |
| Balance as at December 31, 1973 | 5,664.31 | |
| Add:- Excess of income over expenditure for the year | <u>1,236.38</u> | |
| | | 6,900.69 |
| New Club House Fund:- | | |
| Balance as at December 31, 1973 | | 766.60 |
| Welfare Fund:- | | |
| Balance as at December 31, 1973 | | 3,603.72 |
| T. W. Hinch Scholarship Fund:- | | |
| Balance as at December 31, 1973 | 31,937.00 | |
| Add:- Interest on Fixed Deposit | <u>2,932.60</u> | |
| | | <u>34,869.60</u> |
| | | <u>46,140.61</u> |
| Represented by:- | | |
| Cash at bank on Fixed Deposit | 41,000.00 | |
| Cash at bank on current account | 4,527.35 | |
| Cash in hand | <u>613.26</u> | |
| | | <u>46,140.61</u> |

**INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR
ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1974**

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| Income:- | | |
| Members' Subscriptions | 1,244.00 | |
| Interest on Fixed Deposit | <u>477.50</u> | |
| | | 1,721.50 |
| Expenditure:- | | |
| Stationery and postage | 385.00 | |
| Memento to a retired teacher | 40.50 | |
| Income Tax | 18.42 | |
| General expenses | <u>41.20</u> | |
| | | <u>485.12</u> |
| EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE | | <u>S\$ 1,236.38</u> |

I have examined the above balance sheet and income and expenditure account with the books and vouchers produced to me and have found them to be in accordance therewith.

Chiam Tee Tong
HON. AUDITOR

Prof. Seah Cheng Siang
PRESIDENT

Quek Khye Kee
HON. TREASURER

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The Editorial Board wishes to place on record sincere thanks to the following, whose contributions have made the production of this magazine possible:

- our Principal for his encouragement;
- the Staff Advisory Board for their help and advice;
- members of the teaching staff and student body for their contributions of articles and reports;
- the office staff, for their help in supplying stationery and other materials;
- the advertisers for their considerable financial assistance;
- and finally, all others, who have helped in the successful production of this magazine.

The School acknowledges with thanks the receipt of school magazines from the following schools:

- Whitley Secondary School : 1974 magazine
- Bartley Secondary School : 1974 and 1975 magazines
- St. Joseph's Institution : Christian Brothers Schools Magazine, 1974
- Fairfield Methodist Girls' School : 1973-74 magazine
- Chai Chee Secondary School : 1974 magazine
- Catholic High School : 1975 magazine
- Mt. Sophia Methodist Girls' School : 1974-1975 magazine
- Bukit Ho Swee Secondary School : 1975 magazine
- Crescent Girls' Secondary School : 1975 magazine
- Jalan Teck Whye Secondary School : 1975 magazine
- Sekolah Menengah Methodist (ACS) Kampar : The Kacsian, 1975
- Victoria School : The Spectrum, 1975
- St. Margaret's Secondary School : St. Margaret's 1974-1975
- Paya Lebar Methodist Girls' School : The Reflection, 1974-1975
- Pykett Methodist School, Penang : 1975 magazine
- Sekolah Menengah Methodist (ACS) Sitiawan : The Loyal Pioneer, 1975
- Dunman Government Chinese Middle School : The Graduation Class, 1975
- Methodist High School, Penang : Lighthouse, 1975.

We regret any inadvertent omission from the above list.