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## *Sixth Biennial Session Seventh-day Adventist Mission of Malaya Report 1957-1958*

**T. C. Chin, President**

It is with gratitude to God that we present a report to you this morning—a report for the past biennial term. I remember when the last biennial session met in February, 1957 we had but fifty-nine delegates in attendance. This year we have exactly seventy.

Two hundred and seventy souls were baptized during the period covered by this report. We have sixteen organized churches and companies including the one in Muar which was opened not many months ago.

We earnestly ask the delegates assembled in this session to look for prospective young people in your churches to send to the Southeast Asia Union College for training that they may become workers to fill this great need for labourers in the gospel ministry. The Southeast Asia Union influenced us to release one of our workers to the college on the basis that it would train workers for us. If we do not send young people from the field to the college for training, our work in this field will surely suffer. We do need a greater number of trained gospel workers. The hour is late.

I am happy to report our Chinese High School, established in Singapore, has ended its first year's operation successfully. (An article concerning this school will appear in next month's MESSENGER written by the principal, Mr. Yang Chung-pei.)

馬來亞區會會長陳道震牧師



**Pastor T. C. Chin, President of  
the Mission of Malaya**

Our Chinese Primary School in Kuala Lumpur has just spent a successful year. Two students were baptized in 1957, and one in 1958. These students are wonderful young people. They are active in all church activities. This school has an enrollment of 295. Since the arrival of Brother and Sister Benjamin Ku from Hong Kong in August, 1957, excellent progress has been made. We are very thankful to have such good workers as Brother and Sister C. P. Yang, Brother and

Sister Benjamin Ku, and Brother and Sister Jerry Chang. These all came from outside our Union. Brother Jerry Chang serves as pastor of the Thomson Road Church. Brother Ku is principal of our school in Kuala Lumpur. He and his teachers are striving to reach the standard type of Chinese school approved in Kuala Lumpur. We hope to upgrade this school in the not too distant future. Thus, prospective students from this school will also become feeders for our Training College in Singapore.

The Penang Church School needs to be re-organized. Many of us are of the opinion unless we can run it according to the standard there is no point in trying to continue it. However, we are glad Mr. P. G. Miller, secretary of our Union Educational Department, has promised to give study to the improvement of this school. Request has been received from the school board for authorization to solicit funds for a school building in Penang.

During the past two years, twenty-five semi-major evangelistic efforts were held throughout the mission. Twelve were held in 1957, and thirteen in 1958. Our interns and young workers are not afraid of hard work. They launched the evangelistic meetings by themselves. The training and experience they received from the large efforts held in Kuala Lumpur by the Union evangelist,

Pastor D. R. Guild was an inspiration to many of our workers. Though the results of some of these efforts, held thus far, have not been too great, yet we believe that the gospel seeds sown in the hearts of the people will bear fruit in due season. Let us take courage and continue with this good work—EVANGELISM.

We have twenty-two colporteurs in the field. A total literature sales for 1957 was \$104,454.33, and for eleven months of 1958 the record showed a total of \$108,213.76. Just recently we lost Pastor K. T. Chin, our publishing secretary, to the Vietnam Mission, where he is to be pastor for their Cholon Church. Pastor Chin has served in the Malayan mission for over ten years. We have greatly appreciated his work. Pastor E. H. Wu, our Veteran Colporteur of years long experience has consented to step in and carry the work of this department temporarily.

The construction of the parsonage, teachers' homes, and the science hall on the Thomson Road property is still in progress. When this is completed, it will add another \$35,000.00 worth of buildings to the denomination. Definite plans have been laid to erect two church buildings in the early part of this year. One is to be erected in Pontain, and the other in Bagan Datoh. A piece of property of 16,000 square feet was bought for the Pontain church three years ago. In Bagan Datoh, the Bagan Datoh Estate has leased an acre of land to us in a prominent location near town for thirty years at a rental of \$1.00 per year. Word has just been received from the Town Board of Lower Perak to the effect that our building plan has been approved. Construction work for this church building will begin as soon as we can get at it.

The Health and Welfare Center in Singapore is kept active in its work of mercy since the official opening of the centre May, 25, 1958. We look forward to doing a greater work for the poor and needy. I understand tons of relief goods have been ordered from the United States for this purpose. As far as possible this welfare work should be started in every one of our churches in this mission.

The Ingathering campaign participated in by church members and students during 1958 was indeed an encouraging one. It had not been the practice in this field for laymen to participate in Ingathering work prior to 1958. This good work being done by church members and promoted by Pastor V. E. Kelstrom is to continue and with greater success.

I would like to mention the work of Pastor L. C. Wilcox who devoted almost full time service to the College church as its pastor during the time he was head of the ministerial training section of the college. His pastoral work was much appreciated. Pastor Kenneth Juhl succeeded Pastor Wilcox and is continuing this aggressive soul-winning work among the students. Then I would like also to mention Brother H. Y. Cheah whose work for our Johore Church was greatly appreciated by our church members there, and who was released to the College a year ago. This church has been left without a shepherd for one year now. We do appreciate the help given by the college in arranging for speakers for Sabbath services. However, they have temporarily suspended this help. Brother Lim San Hoe is assuming the responsibility for the present.

I would like to say the financial condition of this mission is sound. We are thankful to the Union for having appointed Pastor S. J. Lee as treasurer in addition to his work as Union auditor.

Shall we not sense the heavier responsibilities which have been placed upon each and every one of us by our Lord? Shall we not take hold of the assurance that God will pour out His Spirit upon His church? Money may be a powerful means but we simply cannot accomplish the task without seeking God for the fresh outpouring of His Holy Spirit at this time. This is a time for all laymen and workers to work together in unity and harmony. It is time we made rapid growth in the work of God. With His aid we can overcome all obstacles and work together in unison, doing our duty in preaching the gospel faithfully for the sake of our fellowmen.

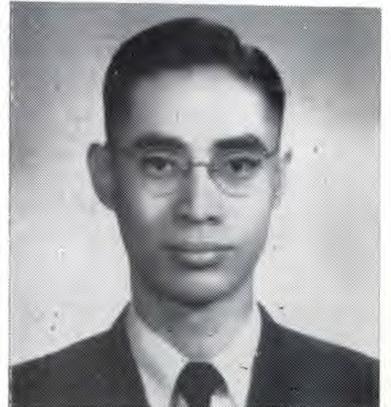
I wish you all a happy and prosperous New Year in soul-winning. And may God shower His blessings on our workers and believers and upon His work.

### Two Workers Ordained to the Gospel Ministry in the Mission of Malaya during the 1958 Biennial Session in Singapore



賴南牧師

Pastor P. G. Rathnam has served in the Mission of Malaya for twenty-one years. He began his work first in Teluk Anson and Bagan Datoh, Lower Perak State in 1936. He worked in the Kulim district from 1941-1949. After this he returned to Teluk Anson and Bagan Datoh and remained there until 1957 at which time he was called to be the pastor of the Sungei Wei Church. He brought in thirteen new members to the church last year.



張仲偉牧師

Pastor Chang Chung Wai received his training in the South China Training Institute. After graduation he entered ministerial

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## Interesting Features At SAUC

### Interesting Features as Southeast Asia Union College Starts a New School Year

B. H. Ngo, Registrar

For 852 boys and girls it was "Black Monday" (or was it really "black"?) when Southeast Asia Union College began its new school term on the twelfth of January, 1959.

Of the total 852 students, 432 were registered in the Morning Session where they are taught by God-fearing teachers in eleven classes, from Primary One to Form Five which was formerly the Senior Cambridge Class. In addition to these eleven classes, there are two classes for advanced study and training at the Junior College level for the English speaking and the Chinese speaking students. The English Junior College has thirty-eight students which is the largest enrollment since its inception in 1951. Thirty-five of the thirty-eight in the English Junior College are regular students. The Chinese Training College has eight students in preparation for service for the Master.

The 375 students who are attending the nine classes from Primary Six to Form Four during the Afternoon Session are being taught by student teachers who do part-time teaching and are being assisted by some of the teachers who are on the regular teaching staff.

The Southeast Asia Union College has students who come from far and near; yes, from faraway places as India and Taiwan (Formosa) and from Vietnam, Thailand and the Federation of Malaya, including Singapore of course. The islands of the sea like Borneo, Java, and Sumatra are also represented in our College.

Another interesting and certainly

在東南亞聯合學院讀書的六對雙生兄弟或姊妹



The six sets of twins attending SAUC

a unique feature is the number of sets of twins studying in our college this year. There are no less than six sets whose picture appears in this issue of the MESSENGER.

Every class in the college was a hive of activity the first two or three days of the opening of school, particularly for the old students who have returned either to continue or to complete their education and to renew old acquaintances. But to the new students in the Secondary School, of the morning session, this first school going experience at SAUC was a matter which held something strange and perhaps mysterious for them. The morning devotional exercises and the other religious activities like the Prayer Bands for instance were utterly new and foreign to them. But in many cases, curiosity got the better of them and they trooped into their classes happy at the thought of seeing new faces and making new friends.

In Chapel one morning, an opportunity was given to the new students to tell of their first impressions of the College and why they had chosen to come to SAUC for their education. Because of limited space, we shall print extracts only of these new students' impressions of the College. However, the sentiments expressed in their testimonials are shared by the remainder of their fellow school-mates.

Paul Wong, Form IIA, who is from Kuching, Sarawak, says: "I am happy to be in a Christian School which I believe will build in me a strong Christian character."

Ethel Tan, who is studying in Form IIA, comes from the Convent of the Holy Infant Jesus, Singapore. She passed the Government Entrance Examination, but declined a place in the Government school. This is what she says: "My guardians have chosen SAUC for me, and the few weeks I have been here I have been happy that I am able to learn and

know more of the Christian faith. I hope to become a Christian one day."

Baldev Kaur, Form IIB, formerly of Anthony Road Girls' School, daughter of a Sikh Senior Inspector of Police in Singapore states: "My father sends me to SAUC because it is the best privately registered school in Singapore. I like this school very much because the students are well behaved."

Y. J. Moses, Form IIIA, formerly of the Government English School, Perak says: "I like SAUC for Bible is taught and the teachers are kind, patient and understanding. They also teach well."

Lie Kim Loan, Form IVA, formerly of Medan Church School, Sumatra has this to say about SAUC: "I am very glad to be a student here because the teachers as well as the students are very friendly co-operative and helpful."

Wong Kim Fong, Form V, says: "Formerly I was studying in the Kenyon-Rea Methodist School in Penang. I am glad to be here because SAUC is different. This school helps me mentally as well as spiritually."

Esther Wong, Junior College, who comes from Kuching, Sarawak states: "I was in a Roman Catholic school for two years studying for my School Certificate. I did not enjoy the Christian-fellowship I do here I am glad to be at SAUC."

T. S. Mong, Junior College, formerly of the Methodist Boys' School Penang, testifies thus: "Programs like prayer bands, Bible studies, chapel, and social activities are shaping my life every day. I shall never regret having attended this college."

In concluding this report, we wish to thank God for what was achieved last year and for the above testimonials. We earnestly solicit your prayers that this new school year of 1959 will see the reaping of a rich harvest of souls for the kingdom God.

work in Hong Kong in the year 1951. In 1952 he was transferred to Taiwan where he was associate pastor of a large Chinese church in Taipei. He answered a call to come to Singapore in the early part of 1958. He is now serving as pastor in one of the largest churches in Singapore, that is, the new Chinese Church on Thomson Road.

東南亞聯合學院學生接受聖經函授學校文憑之情形



Students receiving their pins and diplomas after completing one of the Voice of Prophecy courses.

## Voice of Prophecy Graduation Southeast Asia Union College S. N. Siregar, Teacher

Just prior to the final week of the 1958 school year, during the last chapel hour for the secondary school, at Southeast Asia Union College, a Voice of Prophecy graduation exercise was conducted for 46 graduates.

Form IIIA students, second year secondary school, under the instruction of their Bible teacher, Mr. H. Y. Cheah, have been making commendable progress with their Bible lessons, as have been accomplished by two other classes on the same level. During the third term, the Form Master, after consulting the Principal Mr. P. G. Miller, and the Bible teacher, suggested that one period a week might be profitably employed in a Voice of Prophecy course. The class was enthusiastic with the idea.

Mr. Cheah takes one period a week to give necessary background and encouragement, but the class has gone a way ahead of his expectations for some of them complete as many as three or four lessons a week. As Form Master of this class, I feel happy to see these promising young people taking interest in the "Light of the World," following Whom, they shall not walk in darkness, but

shall have the Light of Life."

Out of forty-two who enrolled in a class of forty-four, thirty-seven completed their course within less than three months. Several first year and third year students also completed their course, and were invited to join the graduation exercises.

Mrs. L. C. Wilcox, Assistant Director of Voice of Prophecy, delivered a brief address to the graduates, and led out in pinning on the graduate pins, assisted by different members of the faculty who were on the platform.

It is also a pleasure to note that during the course of the year, seven students of this class followed the Lord in baptism, with several others in the valley of decision.

During the Ingathering Campaign of this year, the Form was assigned a goal of nine hundred dollars. It was most heartening to see the enthusiasm of the class during the two day campaign. The Lord blessed their efforts, for they raised \$966.00 by themselves. Together with amounts collected by others assigned to help the class, the Form raised a total of \$2,156.00.

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**The day is at hand. For the lessons to be learned, the work to be done, the transformation of character to be effected, the time remaining is but too brief a span.**  
Ed. p. 184.

## The Singapore

### Constitution Exposition

V. E. Kelstrom, Public Relations  
Secretary

Over one million people from Malaya and Singapore who visited the Singapore Constitution Exposition received a welcome from the Seventh-day Adventists. Although all these people did not visit the Seventh-day Adventist booth they could all see the large well lighted sign above the booth which read, "YOUR FRIENDS THE ADVENTISTS WELCOME YOU."

The Singapore Constitution Exposition was the largest of its kind ever held in Southeast Asia. It was open every Sunday afternoon and every night from from 6:00-11:00, January 31 - March 3, 1959. The Seventh-day Adventist booth was open every night except Friday night. On Friday we placed a large sign on the door which read, "SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS OBSERVE THE BIBLE SABBATH BEGINNING AT SUNDOWN FRIDAY NIGHT AND ENDING AT SUNDOWN SATURDAY NIGHT."

Our booth was constructed so the entire sixteen foot front could be opened. As people looked in they saw, a large painting of Christ with His hands outstretched over the city of Singapore covering the entire back wall. Above this painting in large letters was the caption, "WORKING FOR A BETTER SINGAPORE." On each of the other two walls were two large four feet by six feet framed inserted display panels. On these were displayed the Publishing, Medical, Educational, and Voice of Prophecy work being done in Singapore.

The Voice of Prophecy had a very attractive display showing their many Bible courses offered in several different languages and the diplomas given with each one completed. The Malayan Signs Press had a beautiful painting made of a family at home reading together. On the painting was the caption, "BULIDING CHARACTER IN BOYS AND GIRLS IS THE TASK OF FATHERS AND MOTHERS OF SINGAPORE." Then forming a frame around this painting was a display of many of the books published in the Malayan Signs

在星嘉坡自治博覽會內之本會攤位



The Southeast Asia Union booth at the Singapore Constitution Exposition.

Press. The Medical work was depicted by a painting of Jesus holding a sick child in His arms. Above the picture were the words, "JESUS THE DIVINE HEALER." Then around this picture were photos fifteen inches by eighteen inches of our doctors and nurses treating the sick at the Youngberg Memorial Hospital in Singapore. The Southeast Asia Union College had a unique display. They prepared a large photo album about two and one half feet by three and one half feet which was filled with photos depicting the work and activities of the school. Above the album were the words, "SOUTHEAST ASIA UNION COLLEGE WELCOMES YOU TO THE SINGAPORE CONSTITUTION EXPOSITION AND PRESENTS ITS ACTIVITIES IN THE TRAINING OF EDUCATED, LOYAL, ANR USEFUL CITIZENS OF SINGAPORE."

In addition to these displays we showed color slides which told a story of our mission work in Southeast Asia. A tape recording was played which explained the pictures as they were shown. Those who served as attendants in the booth were all volunteers from the several Seventh-day Adventist institutions and organizations in Singapore. Several teams were

organized and each team was responsible for one night each week. There were six or seven on each team. As far as possible we endeavored to get representatives from each institution on each team. We also tried to have a Malay, a Chinese, an Indian, and an American on each team. Each attendant wore a large badge bearing the title, "Your Friends The Adventists."

Thirty-five thousand pictorial leaflets entitled, "Meet Your Friends the Adventists," were printed to give to those visiting our booth. In addition to these we gave out another 30,000 pieces of other literature. Many people signed the visitors book or enrolled in a Voice of Prophecy Bible Correspondence Course. We hope some will be saved in the Kingdom of God because they visited our booth.

## Disaster and Famine Relief Offering

Roger Altman  
Secretary-Treasurer, Southeast  
Asia Union

The General Conference has called upon our churches everywhere to take part in a special offering on Sabbath, May 9, in the interest of disaster and famine



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relief. For a number of years the General Conference has been helping our people in times of calamity. A great deal of clothing has been shipped to distressed parts of the world. Large quantities of food and sums of money have been provided. This has meant the difference between life and death to our fellow-Adventists. We hope our churches throughout the Southeast Asia Union will respond generously to the appeal for a liberal offering on May 9. The goal which has been set for our Union Mission is M\$510.00. If all our churches do their best, this goal is sure to be reached. Plan to do your part on Sabbath, May 9.

News Notes

● Betty Jean Liu's friends will be interested to hear of her recent marriage to Mr. Douglas Wong in Alhambra, California on Sunday the twenty-eighth of December, 1958. Betty is taking the nurses course at the White Mem-

orial Hospital and will continue her course to its completion. Mr. Wong is a Seventh-day Adventist engineer in the city of Los Angeles.

● Dr. G. H. Coffin, Medical Director of the Youngberg Memorial Hospital in Singapore, left for the States by air unexpectedly in charge of a patient needing medical aid in the U. S. A. Dr. Coffin's daughter, Kathy, accompanied her father and has had surgery at the Portland, Oregon Sanitarium and Hospital. Both of Kathy's grandmothers, Mrs. V. T. Armstrong and Mrs. D. D. Coffin were with her at the time of the operation as well as her father. We wish her a speedy recovery and she with Dr. Coffin will be back in Singapore again soon.

● Mr. and Mrs. A. Tarrant and son Paul from Penang were recent visitors on the Union compound and guests of Elder and Mrs. L. C. Wilcox. They were on their way to New Zealand on leave, Mr. Tarrant's homeland. Mr. Tarrant recently accepted the message and was baptized in Penang, December 28, 1958. He is a government surveyor. Mrs. Tarrant is a Seventh-day Adventist having been baptized into this truth before they left Australia over three years ago. Our best wishes go with them with God's continued direction and blessing in their lives.

● The Week of Prayer for the Secondary School at SAUC is progressing under the leadership of Pastor R. A. Pohan. The Primary School Week of Prayer will follow with Mrs. G. H. Coffin leading out. May God's Spirit lead many of the young people to give their hearts to Him.

● Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sherman of Bangkok, Thailand spent their vacation trip which was combined with a Mission building project, in Bandung, Java.

● Elder R. M. Milne until recently the President of the Thailand Mission, has returned from furlough and is now in Hong Kong where he is the Publishing Secretary for the South China Island Union Mission. Mrs. Milne is still in the States but will be connected with the South China Training Institute as soon as she

returns from the United States to Hongkong.

● Elder L. C. Wilcox was taken suddenly ill with a heart condition March 13, and was brought to the Youngberg Memorial Hospital early the morning of the 14th where he is being given the best of medical care. Elder and Mrs. Wilcox desire to express their thanks for the many prayers which have been and are being offered in his behalf and for the kind wishes and thoughts expressed, also for the cards and floral pieces sent to him. We believe God has heard the prayers of the many and combined with expert the medical care he is receiving he will make a satisfactory recovery.

Literature Evangelists

H. W. Peterson  
For Month Ended  
January, 1959

VIETNAM MISSION

NAMES	HOURS	TOTAL
Pham Cuu	216	Ps. 26,229.00
Truong Khoi	250	19,280.00
Truong Nga	259	19,180.00
Pham So	240	15,520.00
Nguyen Duc Duc	208	14,740.00
Vo Tin	204	11,640.00
Luong Huy	240	10,900.00
Huynh Tu Nhon	189	8,625.00
Phu Tai	192	7,360.00
Vo Van Sau	166	6,410.00
Nguyen H Thuong	163	5,580.00
Pham T Nguyen	208	5,505.00
Pham Duy Thanh	191	4,880.00
Pham Hong	144	4,420.00
Nguyen V Phi	133	3,600.00
Truong T Tho	50	2,875.00
Truong Ky	—	1,954.00
Nguyen Khanh	—	1,934.00
Duong Sau	—	1,934.00
Ho dinh Sanh	—	1,934.00
Tran Dao	—	642.60
Tran Ngoc Hien	—	160.00
Cash Sale	—	610.00

22 Colporteurs 7554 Ps. 175,912.60

THAILAND MISSION

Tran Tran	165	Rs. 22,405.00
E. Giang	—	4,846.00

2 Colporteurs 165 Rs. 27,251.00

CAMBODIA STATION

Yung Yong	127	Ts. 3,447.00
Pastar Wu	—	3,200.00
David & James	148	10,505.00
Nai Choot	—	243.00
Chee Miang Poh	—	1,588.00
Nai Pravat	122	3,336.00

7 Colporteurs 397 Ts. 22,319.00

傳教會學校讀書，他說：『我很快樂來此學院讀書，因為師長及同學們都非常和愛，合作，及互助。』

王金芳，中學五號位學生，說：『我以前在檳城美以美金學校讀書。今年來此學院升學，很快樂。這間學院與其他的學校不同，它不但給我們學問上的教育，也培養了我的靈性。』

王以斯帖，初級大學部學生，她說：『我從古晉來此升學。我曾在天主教學校讀過兩年，但我覺得這邊的基督徒友誼遠勝過其他的學校。我很歡喜今年在此升學。』

一位姓孟的初級大學部學生，他以前在是檳城美以美金學校讀書，他說：『本學院的生活節目，如禱告班，查經班，朝會，以及各種社交活動，天天模鑄了我的人生。我絕不會後悔來此升學的。』

末了，我們要感謝上帝的鴻恩，使本學院在去年順利成功，和今年又有了新的美滿開始。這些新生的見證，也使我们非常地快樂，並讚美主名。我們求各位同道在禱告中紀念我們，以便在上帝的賜福之下，今年能有最好收成，引領多位青年男女進入神的國度。

## 東南亞聯合學院學生

### 畢業時兆聖經函授科

施利嘉

一九五八年的末了一週，在東南亞聯合學院

的週會上，有四十六位學生畢業時兆聖經函授課程。

在聖經教員謝漢陽先生領導之下，有很多學生參加研讀這項課程。到了第三季，各級主任同校長商量後，決定每週一次提倡此事，大家都很熱心參加。

在每週一次上此課程時，謝先生給學生們略為講解課程的背景，並予以鼓勵，可是學生們卻熱心得很，甚至在一週之內讀完了三四課之多。這真叫我們大家很是快樂，希望這些可愛的青年能受『生命之光』的照耀，不再行在黑暗之中。

在筆者負責的這一班中共有四十四位學生，而參加修讀此課程的有四十二位，而其中卅七位竟在不到三個月之內就讀完了。還有一些是別班的學生，也紛紛修讀此課，我們請他們也參加此次的畢業禮而一齊畢業。

在畢業於舉行時，由聖經函授學生的副校長衛理覺師母親臨致詞及授證，並由台上的各位教師幫忙給畢業生們戴上徽章。

我們也很快樂地見到今年在本班的學生中，有七位已領浸歸主，另有幾位則仍在準備中。

今年本班會經定下了善工運動目的九百元。在全班學生努力工作兩天之後，他們募得了九百六十六元，再加上其他人員對本班的幫助，我們這一班共募得了二千一百五十六元。這美好的成績，真全我們感謝上帝的許福，並感激這班學生的努力！

## 簡訊

△陽伯紀念醫院化驗師劉少壯先生的千金劉漢文女士於去年十二月廿八日在美國加州與洛杉磯本會教友王道立結婚。王君現為該市工程師，王夫人則仍在懷氏紀念醫院繼續修讀護士課程。喜訊傳來，大家同為歡喜，並共祝其百年好合，幸福無疆！

△陽伯紀念醫院院長高奮醫生近護送一病人前往美國就醫，其幼女佳賽亦隨行赴美。彼年前曾患小兒麻痺症，以致行動不便，現已入院施行手術。吾人在此恭祝其早日康復返星。

△東南亞聯合學院於三月初舉行祈禱週，由巫文區會會長包漢牧師主講，初級部則由高奮醫生娘領導，成績非常良好，已有許多青年男女受聖靈感動，立志皈依救主。

△曼谷衛生療養院工程師薛曼先生及夫人近往印尼萬隆渡假，同時亦幫忙該處教會之建築工程。

△前泰國區會會長米倫儀牧師現已調往香港擔任華南海島聯合會文字佈道部幹事。米夫人現尚留美，不久即可畢業其碩士學位，前來華南三育中學任教云。

△衛理覺牧師於三月十三日晨因急病入陽伯紀念醫院調治，感謝主恩，現已日見痊愈。衛牧師及夫人特此鳴謝各位同道之關心，代祈，贈送花籃及慰問信。

善部，已在救濟貧苦的工作上有積極的表現，我們希望今後能有更大的貢獻。我們現由美國定了許多噸的救濟品，即將運來作為救濟之用。我們應當盡力在本區會的各地教會也開始進行這種慈善救濟的工作。

一九五八年的善工運動真是令人歡騰在躍！在過去多年以來，教友們不多參加此項工作。現今在聯合會幹事紀士敦牧師鼓勵之下，很多教友也都出動，所以成績非常美滿。

衛理覺牧師雖在東南亞學院中擔任傳道訓練班的工作，但他也以全力負責學院教會工作。我們很感激他的服務。自他改任陽伯醫院牧師之後，遺缺由朱肯南牧師繼任，他現對學生們積極展開救靈工作中。

本區會在新山的傳道人謝漢陽先生，已於年前被東南亞聯合學院借用，擔任監學之職，幫助訓練工作，因此新山教會已經一年多沒有有正式工人負責。我們多謝學院方面每安息日派生員前往主持聚會，其中有一個時期暫停此項安排，而由該堂教友，現任南洋時報館司庫之林三和君幫忙主持之。

我們感謝聯合會委派其查賬員李承璋牧師兼任本區會的司庫工作。作者很歡意向各位報告，本區會近年的經濟情形都很穩健美滿。

但願我們大家在此次大會中，更加覺得自己的重大責任，負起主所委託我們各人的使命。我們應當堅心求主沛降聖靈，俾便早日完成大工。金錢雖屬有用，但若沒有上帝聖靈，工作仍難成

就。現今正是全體同工同道應當聯合為主出力之時了！靠着上帝的幫助，戰勝各種困難，我們應當使工作更大更快地發展。我切望在上帝恩佑之下，本聯合會內的聖工日有長進，大家共為所信的福音及救人工作而齊心努力！謹祝各位新年喜樂，救靈工作進步，並求上帝多多賜福各位同工同道以及教會各部門的工作！

## 東南亞聯合學院新聞

註冊  
主任 吳明和

一九五九年一月十二日東南亞聯合學院開學之日，報名入學的學生有八百五十二人，其中有四百三十二人是上午班的學生，從小學到劍橋考試班，共分為十一班，由敬畏上帝的教員們負責教導。此外尚有兩班，一班中文，一班英文，是初級大學的程度。英文的初大班，今年共有卅八位學生，可說是自一九五一年創立以來較多的；其中有卅五位是讀全課，另三位則只選讀幾門功課而已。中文傳道班現有八位，正在受訓練預備為主服務。

下午班則自小學六年級起至中學四號位，有學生三百七十五人。除幾位正式教員從旁襄助之外，餘由大學部學生擔任助教之職。

本學院的學生來自遠近各地，例如印度，台灣，越南，泰國，及馬來亞聯合邦與星加坡，此外還有從婆羅洲及印尼等地來的。

今年本院所收的學生中尚有一特色，即是有

六對雙生的，請參看英文版第三面上的照片。

在開學的頭兩三天，大家都是忙得很。除了舊生之外，那些上午班的新生，對於各種情形，例如朝會及祈禱班等，很是感到陌生和新奇，但不久後也都樂得其趣和交了許多的新朋友。

在某次的朝會中，我們讓新生們有個機會，發表他（或她）們入學第一天的觀感，及參加本院的志趣何在。由於篇幅有限，茲只舉出幾個列后：

王保羅，中學二號位甲級學生，由沙勞越古晉來的，他說：『我很歡喜參加這個基督教的學校，我相信在此所受的薰陶，可以堅立我的基督徒品格。』

陳愛素，中學二號位甲級學生，由星洲天主教聖嬰女子中學轉來的，她說：『我雖然已考取了政府的學校，但我的監護人卻把我送到這個學院來。我自從入學幾週以來，覺得很快樂，並可多明白基督教的信仰。我希望將來會成為一位基督徒。』

柯佩珍，中學二號位乙級學生，以前在星洲安東尼路女子中學讀書，她是一位高級警官之女兒，她說：『我爸爸送我到這間學院，因為這是一間最好的私立學校。我很喜歡這個學院，因為同學們都是品行非常良好。』

毛西，中學三號位甲級學生，前在霹靂政府學校讀書，他說：『我喜歡這間學院教授聖經，教員們也極和善，循循善誘，而誨人不倦。』

李金龍，中學四號位甲級學生，前在印尼棉

女招待員，包括有中西巫印各色人員，在攤位上義務招待進來參觀的各位來賓。

在展覽會期中，我們向遊客分發了三萬五千本特備的小冊『請會見你的朋友——基督復臨安息日會的信徒們』。此外，我們也發出了三萬多張的小冊單張，時兆聖經函授科報名單，以及這次在星洲維多利亞紀念堂舉行的佈道大會之廣告及請帖。我們希望此次的展覽工作，能幫助各界人士更明瞭本會的服務，並使多人對真理發生興趣，而被救進上帝的國。

## 馬來亞區會年會報告

會長 陳道寬

今天很快樂並感謝上帝，可向各位提出過去兩年中的會務報告。前次大會是在一九五七年二月開的，當時赴會代表人數有五十九位，今年則有七十位。

在過去兩年中，本區會有二百七十位男女領浸，並有十六處已成立的教會及佈道所，其中有一處是在麻坡，乃最近才開辦的。

我們特請本屆大會之各位代表，留心貴處的本會青年男女，設法送他們來東南亞聯合學院受訓練，以便日後能應付福音工作的大需要。東南亞聯合會已借用一位本區會的同工，幫忙東南亞聯合學院來為我們積極訓練工人。如果我們不派青年人前來受訓練，將來工作必受重大的損害。我們現在確實需要很多受過訓練的傳福音人員。

時候已經遲了，希望我們應當趕快作成此事。

我很快樂報告各位，本區會已在星洲中文教會的樓下開辦了一間華文三育中學，工作非常順利美滿，第一學年剛於日前結業。關於此間中學的進步詳情，請參閱楊忠培校長的一篇報告，茲不贅述。

本區會在吉隆坡的德新學校近年也甚進步。在一九五七年有兩位學生領浸，在一九五八年也有一位歸主。這些學生們都是很好的青年，並且積極參加教會的各種活動。今年報名入學的學生有一百九十五人。自從一九五七年八月古道新先生及夫人由香港前來參加服務以來，該校日有起色進步。

我們由華南海島聯合會請來了這批生力軍，如楊忠培，古道新，張仲偉等伉儷，他們先後參加教育及傳道服務，貢獻甚大，真是令人快樂和感激。古先生和該校的教师們，現正盡力使該校達到美好的標準，並希望在不久的將來，能移送一批青年人繼續到星洲的高級學校受訓練，將來為教會服務。

檳城的新會學校在亟待改組之中。我們大家的意見，認為如果不能照良好的標準來辦，那就不如不辦。我們很快樂現任聯合會教育部幹事梅樂先生，已答應設法改善這間學校。該校的董事部也已來函申請准予發動募捐，以便進行建築校舍的工作。

在過去兩年中，本區會各地舉行了廿五個中等規模的佈道會。在一九五七年有十二個，在一

九五八年有十三個。我們的青年同工及實習人員不怕工作辛勞，自行開佈道會。他們曾在吉隆坡參加由聯合會傳道協會幹事蓋以德牧師主持的大佈道會，受訓練，得經驗。這些佈道會的成績雖不太大，但我們相信真理種子被撒在很多人的心中，等到時期成熟，必會結出果子來。因此我們應當剛強，繼續進行此項佈道工作。

本區會共有廿二位文字佈道士，在一九五七年銷售的書報價值十萬四千四百五十四元三角三分，而在一九五八年的頭十一個月中，也售了十萬八千二百十三元七角六分的書報。可惜本區會的文字佈道部幹事陳光大牧師，最近到越南堤岸中文教會去擔任主任牧師的工作。陳牧師曾在過去十年中大力貢獻於本區會的文字佈道工作，成績優越，令我們十分感激。他的遺缺，現由富有經驗的文字佈道老將吳榮華牧師暫時代理着。

我們在星洲湯申律中文教堂的後面興建了一座三層大廈，一層為牧師屋，一層為校長舍，底層則為三育中學的科學室。全部建築不久即可完成，這就為本區會又加了一座價值三萬五千元之建築物。今年年初我們也特別計畫要興建兩間教堂，一是在柔珍，一是在巴干拿督。柔珍教會在三年前就已買了一塊地皮，作為建築會堂之用。巴干拿督地方則由大園主將一塊好的地皮租給我們卅年之久，每年租金僅收一元。現在建堂案已經該地當局批准，在不久的將來我們就可以下手建築了。

在一九五八年五月廿五日正式成立的星洲慈

