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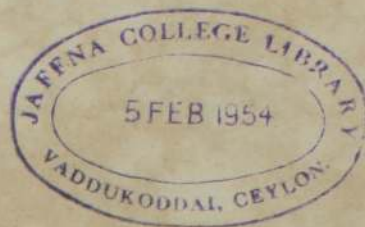


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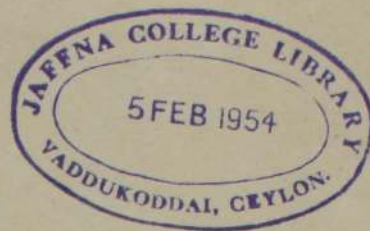
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*From :*

*His Excellency the Rt. Hon.  
Lord Soulbury, G. C. M. G., O. B. E., M. C.  
Governor - General of Ceylon.*

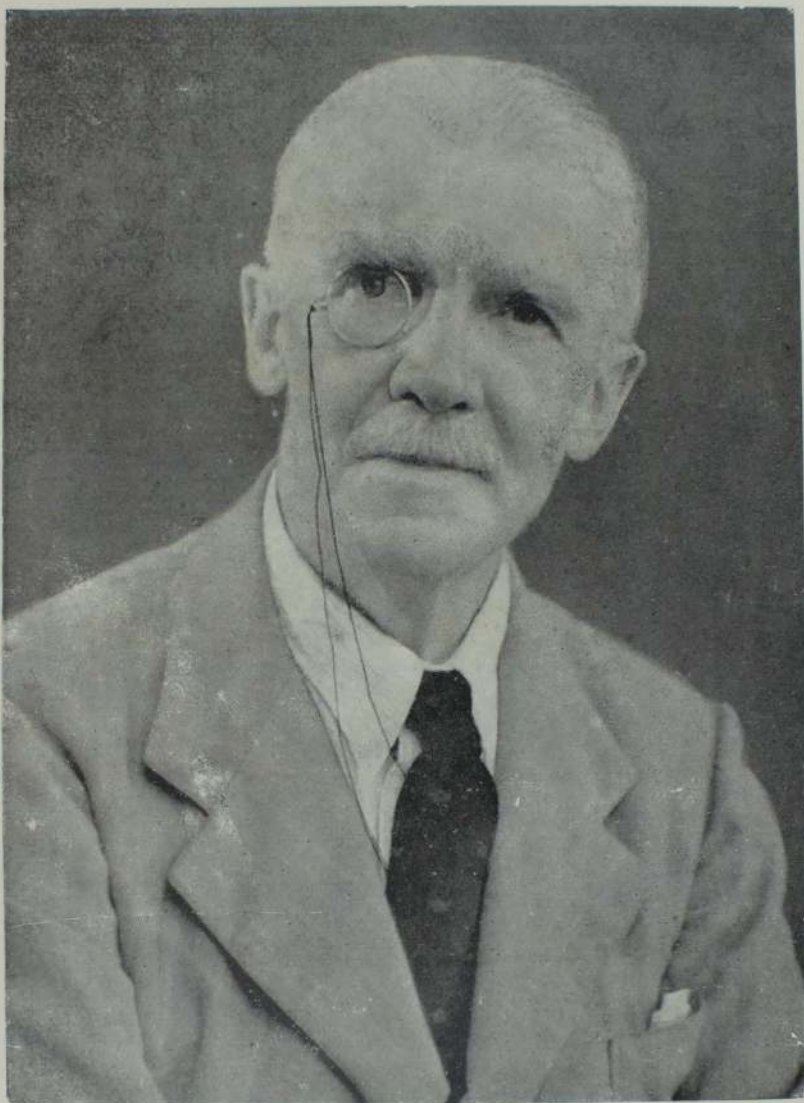
Queen's House,  
Colombo,  
Ceylon.  
5th October, 1953.

THE celebration of the foundation of the Co-operative Hospital at Moolai gives me this opportunity to commend the splendid service rendered to the community by the Founder, the late Dr. K. Kanagarayer and by those who have carried on his work.

When I first visited the Hospital in March 1945, I was greatly impressed by such a fine example of voluntary co-operation and, on my next visit five years later, I was happy to note the remarkable progress that had been made. The records of the Hospital today show that its growth and the demands for its facilities continue unabated.

But those demands involve increased expenditure and I earnestly hope that every citizen will give liberally to an institution which provides outstanding evidence of the value of co-operation and successfully administers to the medical needs of the people.





HIS EXCELLENCY THE RT. HON. LORD SOULBURY,  
G. C. M. G., O. B. E., M. C.,  
Governor-General of Ceylon.







*From :*

*The Hon. Mr. Dudley Senanayake,*

*Prime Minister.*

Department of the Prime Minister,  
Ceylon.

Colombo, 6th October, 1953.

EIGHTEEN years ago a few enthusiastic and far sighted co-operators, both official and un-official, set up in Moolai a Dispensary which has developed today into a Co-operative Hospital fulfilling the medical needs of thousands of people in the Peninsula. Starting with an initial capital of Rs. 700/—, the Society has worked continuously at a profit since its inception while at the same time providing to members and non-members alike a good medical service at rates admitted to be the lowest in Jaffna. Co-operative eradication of illness was a unique and new idea at the time which had never before occurred to co-operators here or elsewhere. The Co-operative Hospital in Moolai has carried this idea to execution most successfully and also provided good dividends both in health and money to members. That accomplishment is the richest reward the Moolai pioneers can claim to have received, and it is only proper that we honour and respect their noble endeavours on this Founders' Day.

May this fine example of co-operative effort flourish and continue to serve the community both in Ceylon and abroad.



From :

*The Hon. Sir O. E. Goonetilleke,  
Minister of Agriculture and Food.*



Ministry of Agriculture and Food,  
Colombo.

October 5, 1953.

I AM glad to have been invited to participate in the Founders' Day Celebrations of the Co-operative Hospital Society at Moolai. Lack of other medical facilities gave birth to this Co-operative idea of securing health, and these men of Moolai have created Co-operative history by the founding, 18 years ago, of the Co-operative Dispensary that has since blossomed into this well equipped Institution of today, with capital assets worth over Rs. 500,000.

The story of the foundation of this Co-operative Hospital reminds one of the celebrated story of the first Co-operative pioneers of Rochdale in 1844. We have every reason to be proud of our own Moolai Pioneers. This unique Institution and the several Co-operative Hospitals based on their example which have since been established in other parts of the Island are the noblest monuments these selfless men can have.



From :

*The Hon. Mr. E. A. Nugawela,*

*Minister of Health.*

The Secretariat,  
Colombo 1.  
20th October, 1953.

THE Co-operative Hospital Moolai is a landmark in the development of our country not only in the matter of Health Services but also in the sphere of Co-operative development. In its life of 18 years this Hospital has been a source of pride to us and a steady example to the Co-operative efforts of other parts of Ceylon and even to the many foreign officials who have visited this Hospital and applauded its good work.

This Institution, built and organised mainly for the purpose of providing free treatment to the poorer sections of the community in the Jaffna peninsula, has become one of the most popular and efficiently run Hospitals in Ceylon. What is more, its members have brought to the administration of this Hospital their unique generosity in that they never claim their profits. Thus we find here a combination of philanthropy and genuine co-operative effort.

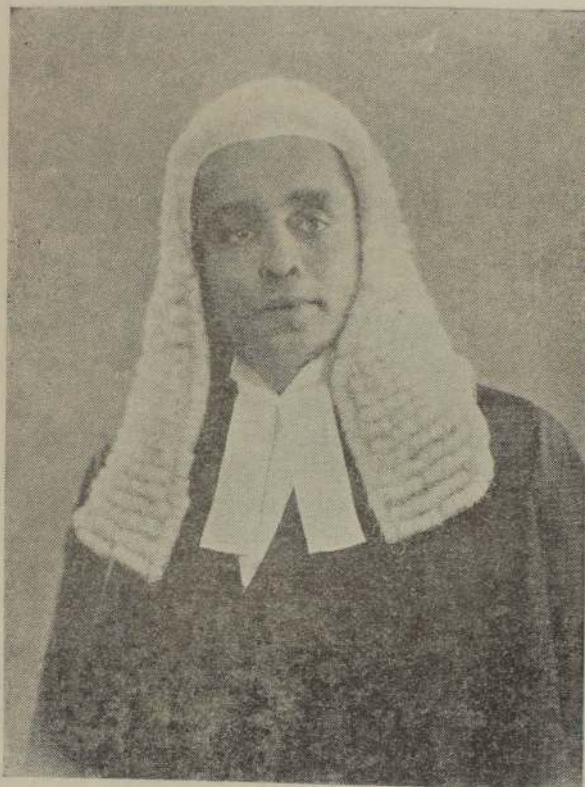
I need hardly emphasize that an Institution of this nature needs the aid of generous individuals in order not only to maintain itself, but to expand and provide itself with further amenities. On behalf of the Moolai Co-operative Hospital Society let me take this opportunity of appealing to the general public to help in a worthy cause which is specifically humanitarian.



*From :*

*The Hon. Mr. G. G. Ponnambalam, Q. C.*

*Minister of Industries and Fisheries.*



Ministry of Industries & Fisheries,  
Colombo.

October 12, 1953.

I UNDERSTAND that the Founders' Day Celebrations of the Co-operative Hospital at Moolai will take place on the 23rd of October, 1953, and am happy to send this message for publication in the Souvenir you propose to issue in commemoration of the event.

Your Hospital has proved to be a great boon to the people of the area, and its establishment some years ago fulfilled a long-felt need in regard to proper medical facilities in the outlying areas of the Peninsula. I am happy to note that your Hospital is patronized not only by the residents of Moolai but by the inhabitants of more distant places as well. I would like to take this opportunity of congratulating your Society and the Staff at the Hospital for the excellent work which is being done, and to convey to all of you my very best wishes for the future.



*From :*

*His Excellency Sir Edwin Wijeyeratne, K. B. E.,  
High Commissioner for Ceylon in the  
United Kingdom.*



13, Hyde Park Gardens,  
London.

CEYLON owes a special debt of gratitude to the founders of the Moolai Hospital for having conceived and created such a unique experiment in co-operative enterprise. It is not merely an example of co-operation; it is an example of co-operation directed to alleviate human suffering. Co-operation accustomed to see co-operation for purposes of destruction. It is my earnest hope that the Moolai Hospital will continue its exemplary work and will be an incentive to similar institutions springing up to adorn Independent Lanka.

I send my greetings to the organisers of the Founders' Day Celebrations.



*From :*

*C. Coomaraswamy, C. B. E.,  
High Commissioner for Ceylon in India*

New Delhi,  
29th September, 1953.

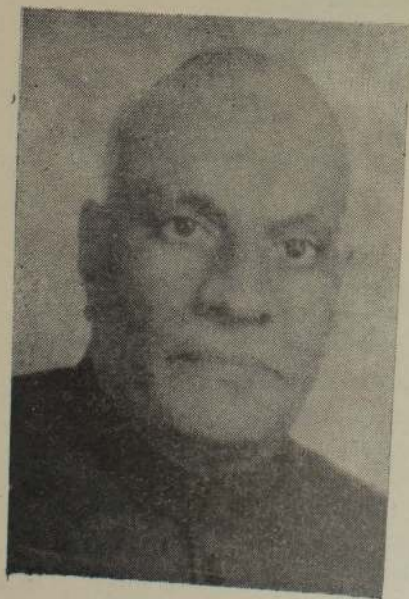
It gives me great pleasure to accede to the request to send a message on the occasion of the Founders' Day Celebrations of the Moolai Co-operative Hospital. The Hospital may well be regarded as a triumph for the co-operative movement in Ceylon. It is a unique institution, being the first of its kind in the East managed by a Co-operative Society and perhaps the only one of its kind in the world. The excellent work done by the hospital, the rapid progress it has been making and the popularity it enjoys among the people from all parts of Jaffna reflect great credit on the management. I wish all success and prosperity to the Institution.

*From:*

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*V. V. Giri, Esq.,  
Minister for Labour, India.*

New Delhi,  
24th September, 1953.

DEAR SIR,



THANK you indeed for your invitation. I always remember that visit I paid to the Co-operative Hospital Society. I have referred to the great work you are doing in many of my speeches in India. I wish many more institutions of your kind come into existence throughout the length and breadth of the East for the benefit of the suffering humanity. I wish your institution every success.



*From :*

*Sir Richard Aluwihare, K. C. M. G., C. B. E., C. C. S.,  
Inspector General of Police, Ceylon.*



20, Reid Avenue,  
Colombo.  
19th September, 1953.

THE Northern Province has once again played the part of the Pioneer by organising a Co-operative Hospital which is doing such useful work.

I should like to congratulate the President and his Managing Committee on this work of mercy.

I hope the Hospital will continue its noble work.



*From:*

*P. J. Hudson, O. B. E., M. C., C. C. S.,  
Government Agent, N. P.*

The Kachcheri,  
Jaffna,  
2nd October, 1953.

THE Jaffna man has won a reputation not only in Ceylon but also outside for his thrift, brains and co-operation. The Moolai Co-operative Hospital is an exemplification of these qualities of the man.

The institution has been hailed as a unique one not only in the East, but also probably in the whole world. The founders, both living and dead, deserve to be congratulated heartily on the foresight and spirit of co-operation displayed in launching into the world an institution which occupies a most enviable position in Health Co-operation and the leaders of the area on the successful manner in which they have been conducting the institution.

That the institution which was started about 18 years ago to cater to the needs of the residents of a few villages in Valikamam West is daily growing in popularity is evident from the fact that it draws its clients now from all parts of the Jaffna District.

I note that the Board of Management are launching an appeal for funds to meet the growing demands on the institution. The appeal is one which I have no hesitation in endorsing.



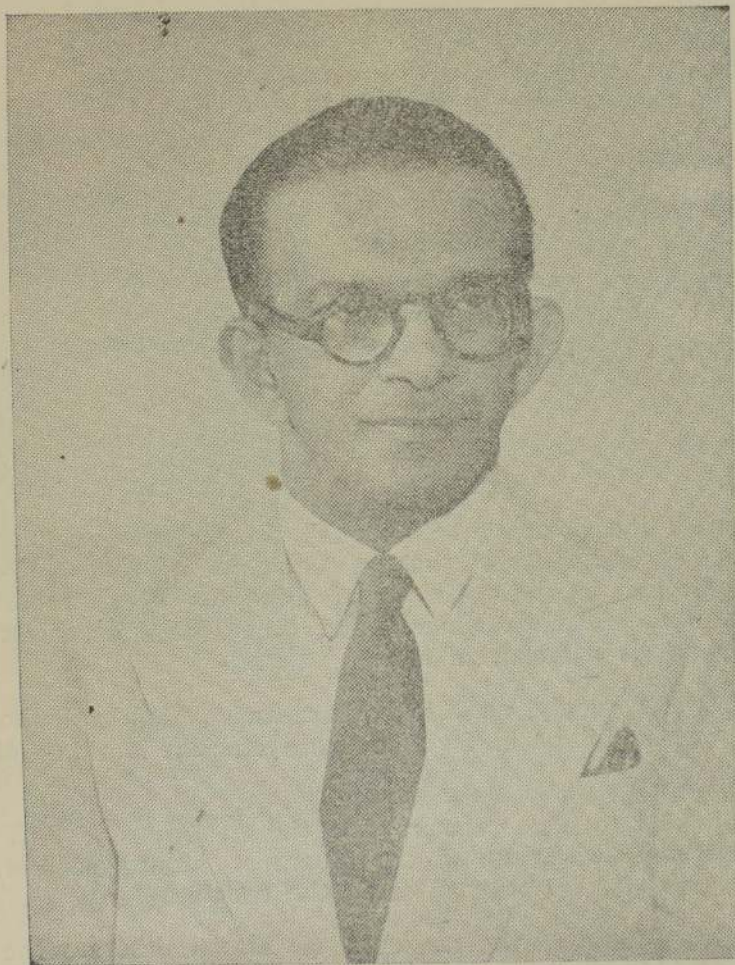
From :

*G. de Soyza, Esq.,  
Secretary, Cabinet Planning Committee, Colombo.*

The Planning Secretariat,  
C 67, Longden Place, Colombo.  
19th September, 1953.

IT is fitting that the Moolai Co-operative Hospital should take time off to celebrate Founders' Day. There is something spiritual in such celebrations, and that so busy an institution should want, at this stage of its progress, to look back and remember its Founders shows how much — and how rightly — it associates present satisfaction with original pioneering enterprise. Founders in the plural, and

can a Co-operative Society celebrate "Founders' Day"? But why not? Not only that first Society in Manchester's Toad Lane but the entire Consumers' Movement of the world would be justified in commemorating the Rochdale Pioneers in one vast and universal Founders' Day.



I remember, as of the other day, the coming into birth and the early growing-up of the Moolai Hospital I remember the small initial Dispensary and its appurtenant land, desert against the Karainagar sky but soon to be covered



with essential buildings. I remember the Physician, himself under great physical disability but the utmost devotion in his ministrations. I remember the first Committee and how they laboured and many of their associates. I remember the "Man behind the scenes", the then Assistant Registrar, a remarkable "Live wire" and himself a son of Moolai. I remember these Founders and I remember the donations and the collections from Jaffna in Malaya which made everything possible. I am tempted too to remember storms and passages-at-arms at meetings and at committee sessions, but these cathartic interludes and episodes are necessary for the health of any democratic body.

Today, Co-operative Hospitals have arisen in many other parts of Ceylon, but it is to Jaffna's initiative and Moolai's imagination that they owe their debt. They too will, I am sure, remember the Founders and they will, as I do, congratulate the Society and its present men on continuing so well what was so nobly begun.

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*From :*

*Dr. J. H. F. Jayasuriya,  
President, C. N. A. P. T., Colombo.*

34, Ward Place, Colombo.  
19 · 9 · 53.

I HAVE visited the Co-operative Hospital, Moolai, and seen for myself the excellent work that is being done there. The popularity of this institution is largely due to the keenness and devoted service of the Medical Officers and other Members of the Staff to whom this work is a labour of love.

A pipe-borne water supply, an X-Ray Plant, and a Modern Pathological Laboratory, are essential needs for the more efficient working of this Hospital.

The recent proposal to build a ward for the treatment of T. B patients is evidence of the awareness of the Board of Management of this pressing problem, and its keenness to serve the people.

The co-operative effort of the residents of Moolai deserves the support of all who love this country.



From:

*K. Somasuntharam, C. C. S.,*

*Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Health.*

Ministry of Health,  
30th September, 1953.

DEAR SIR,

WITH reference to your letter of the 19th instant, I am glad to send you a short message as requested for the Souvenir to be issued by you in connection with the Founders' Day Celebrations of your Society.



I have, of course, visited your Hospital two years ago when I was the Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Food and Co-operative Undertakings and appreciated the good work that was being done there. I found the hospital clean and in good sanitary condition and everyone keen as regards his work. What was important was that the patients were treated as human beings and not merely as 'cases'.

Societies such as yours, formed on proper lines, and hospitals run as efficiently as yours is run, will relieve Government to some extent of its present burden of looking after in its hospitals the sick and the ill of the nation. Institutions like yours have certain advantages, which I need not go into, over similar Government institutions. It is, however, for these reasons that the Ministry of Health and, I believe, the Ministry of Agriculture and Food, are in favour of encouraging such institutions.

I wish your Society and your workers at the Hospital all success in the future, and your patients all good health.



*From :*

*K. Alvapillai, O. B. E., C. C. S.*  
*Permanent Secretary,*  
*Ministry of Agriculture and Food.*

Colombo,  
October 6, 1953.

I HAD the opportunity of visiting the Moolai Co operative Hospital on the 28th July this year. I also happened to pay a visit several years ago and comparing its present state with what I saw earlier, I have no doubt that this institution has made vast progress and is rendering invaluable service to the people of not only the immediate neighbourhood but also of the entire Peninsula. The efficient service the institution has been rendering has made it very popular. I am of the opinion that medical service is just the type of service which can be very satisfactorily administered through the co-operative method and the Moolai Co-operative Hospital is a shining example of the success that can be achieved through co-operation in other fields as well. I wish the institution further advancement and progress in the years to come.

*From :*

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*Dr. S. Subramaniam,*  
*L. M. S. (Cal.) L. R. C. P. & S. (Edin.) J. P., O. B. E.,*

"Octagon,"  
Beach Road, Jaffna.  
26th Oct. 1953.

THE Co-operative Hospital at Moolai is a unique Hospital in the North. It is unique for reasons more than one.

All honour to the founders of this Hospital, who were not only inspired by the ideal of self-help through co-operation but also realised it in this Institution. I have watched with pleasure its growth from strength to strength.

Though the Hospital was at the beginning intended only for Moolai and the adjoining villages its range of service is now considerably extended and includes in it the whole of the Jaffna Peninsula and even beyond.

The Hospital is ideally situated and its one endeavour is to be an up-to-date modern institution. Only through co-operation this can be achieved.

I have no doubt, when so much is already achieved, this also will be achieved.



*From :*

*S. C. Fernando, Esq., M. B. E., C. C. S.,  
Commissioner of Co-op. Development and Registrar of  
Co-operative Societies.*



Colombo,  
1st October, 1953.

THE Mighty Men of Moolai! How they bring to mind the radiant rolls of Rochdale! A tiny act of faith with a small dispensary for effort has since found enshrinement in a vastly expanded and efficiently equipped resident hospital.

Moolai's noble example has inspired over half a dozen such like institutions throughout the Island, and when these become a network, as no doubt soon they will, Ceylon Co-operation in Health will have reason to tread its steps towards Moolai in veneration, for decades to come, in the same manner as the co-operative world pilgrims its way today to Rochdale.



From :

*J. R. Ryan, Esq ,  
Registrar of Co-operative Societies,  
Madras.*

Office of the Registrar of  
Co-operative Societies, Madras.  
Camp: New Delhi.  
Dated 25th September, 1953.

DEAR PRESIDENT,

THANK you for your letter of the 15th instant which I regret I could not reply earlier. I am glad you are celebrating the Founders' Day on the 24th October, 1953. The Co-operative Hospital Society will be completing shortly 2 decades of valuable service to its members and even to non-members. It is probably the only institution of its kind in the East. The success which it has attained both in giving succour to the afflicted and in running the institution as a business concern ought to stimulate Asian Countries to undertake similar enterprises. The management, the Doctors and Nurses and every one connected with it deserve as much praise as the gratitude of those, who sought help at its portals and obtained relief.

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From:

*His Excellency Sir Velupillai Coomaraswamy, C.M.G.,  
Envoy Extra Ordinary & Minister Plenipotentiary,  
Rangoon.*

Ceylon House,  
34, Fraser Road,  
Rangoon.

AS one hailing from Vaddukoddai, I am very proud to think that one of Ceylon's greatest co-operative efforts to run a Co-operative Hospital has proved a great success in and around the area where I come from. Our people may be happy and proud of this example of service and leadership by the people of Moolai and Vaddukoddai.



*From :*

*Rev. S. K. Bunker, B. A., B. D., B. Litt.,  
President, Jaffna College, Vaddukoddai.*



Vaddukoddai, Ceylon.  
29th September, 1953.

I AM very happy to send a message to the Moolai Hospital Souvenir. It has been a great boon to Jaffna College to have such a good neighbour as the Moolai Co-operative Hospital so close to us. As I have had occasion to use it and its services both personally and for our students, I have developed the highest regard for both the quality and the spirit of its service. It has been most encouraging to see how the vision of its pioneers has met with so generous a response from the community around it. From a very small beginning it has grown simply and effectively until it now fills an indispensable part in the lives of thousands of people. It deserves all the support that can possibly be given it, for we know how faithfully it will be used for the common good. On this Founders' Day we certainly should remember with thankfulness those to whose concern for their fellows this Co-operative Hospital stands as a splendid monument.



*From :*

*V. Veerasingham, Esq., M. P.,  
Manipay.*

Manipay,  
27-9-53.

The Moolai Co-operative Hospital is a memorial to the self-less efforts of some of the leading co-operators of Jaffna. If not for the late Dr. Kanagarayar, this Hospital would not have seen the light of day. I attribute the growth of the Hospital to the real spirit of co operation and service that motivated the founder members and the first Doctor. This Hospital has inspired many to organise Hospitals on the co-operative plan in different parts of Ceylon. In order to become really co-operative every inmate should be a member and this Hospital should have under it adequate Co-operative Dispensaries in the outlying villages. It is my hope that this Hospital would encourage the establishment of more Co-operative Hospitals in the Province, each of which specialising in the treatment of specific diseases. I visualise a day when this Hospital will grow into an apex body in charge of the Health Service of this province with a net work of Dispensaries and Hospitals bestowing preventive, curative and specialists' services on a Co-operative basis.



*From :*

*J. A. Sandrasegara, Esq.,  
Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies,  
Colombo.*



Co-operative Department,  
Colombo,  
October 2, 1953.

TO one who had the privilege of being associated, though in a humble way, with the far-sighted pioneers of this unique Co-operative venture, the celebration of the Founders' Day recalls to my mind the self-less devotion and boldness of conception of the local counterparts of the Rochdale Pioneers. On such an occasion we should remember with pride and gratitude benefactors like the late Drs. Kanagarayar and Chelliah and the late Messrs Suppramaniam and Chellappah who rendered service of a high order. Thanks are also due to those from Malaya and Jaffna for the generous contributions they made.

It is my fervent hope that this great institution which is a boon to the people will grow from strength to strength.



From :

*R. C. Selvarasu Cooke, Esq.,  
Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies,  
Jaffna.*



Jaffna,  
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A HOSPITAL is a Service Station and Repair House for human beings. Today a car or, for a matter of that, any machine is taken by people to such service stations and serviced and repaired regularly to be kept always in trim condition. But our people are not very careful nor do they take the trouble to pay prompt attention at the proper time to their bodies. Hence tragedy befalls this all important human machine which has discovered and employs all other machines for its use, ease and comfort. "Taken to Hospital too late," "Too late for medical attention," "He must have had a warning of this cardiac attack," all these phrases are common and add poignancy to the tragedy. Yet we do not care to go in time for a check up in a hospital.

My message to the Moolai Hospital is that it should speedily develop into a model institution with all the specialised branches of medical science, so that its members can and will be regularly and even compulsorily given a check up at periodical intervals. The personal files of each member should reveal at a glance his progress and decline. In short, this institution should become not merely a health giving, revitalising agency, but also a determining force in extending the life's span of people, where they will not only get curative advice but specially receive preventive attention.



# The History of the Co-operative Hospital

By

*Dr. G. Chelvadoray*

**C**O-OPERATION is the most sane policy of the day. When the economic conditions of most of the countries are in the melting pot, co-operative movement is the only answer. In various countries, co-operative societies for several activities have been formed, but the unique distinction of ever forming a co-operative hospital in the East befell the noble founders from Moolai, Tholpuram, Chulipuram and Pannagam.

In February 1935, these pioneers held their first meeting to discuss the essential needs to start a private dispensary. Their genuine motives were rewarded when the late Dr. K. Kanagarayer volunteered to do free service to establish a Dispensary on a progressive expansion into a Co-operative Hospital. On 24th October, 1935, the out-door dispensary was opened in a rented private building at Tholpuram.

In 1936, the founders with the far sighted policy of expanding it into a hospital, had the dispensary registered under the Co-operative Societies Ordinance. At this stage, the members on the roll were 119 and the capital in shares was Rs. 1250.

The steady progress of the institution during the couple of years that followed was entirely due to the selfless and wise directions of the Original Committee. Firstly, the

members were given certain privileges such as three free visits by the Medical Officer and a nominal fee of Rs. 2 for each of the subsequent visits. Secondly, the membership was opened to all, rich and poor. Thirdly, the members enjoyed free consultations at the Hospital and 20% of the profits on the medicines dispensed. Fourthly, the life membership fee is only Rs. 12. Lastly, the admirable superiority this institution commanded over other similar societies is that no members received any cash profits, whatever little profit that was made went into the reserve fund for the improvement of the Institution and for the treatment of the poor.

As the Institution progressed, it instilled brilliant ideas into the minds of the Founders and impelled two of them, one Muhandiram P. Narayanar and the other Mr. K. Sabapathipillai to sail over to Malaya on a mission to reap the generosity of the Ceylonese over there. Within an year, they returned with a substantial collection of about Rs. 18,000. This was supplemented by local collections amounting to Rs. 1400.

In 1937, a piece of land was purchased at Moolai and the foundation stone for the Administration Block was laid on 23-8-37 by Dr. S. Subramaniam, J. P. In March 1938, the building was completed. About the same time the President of the

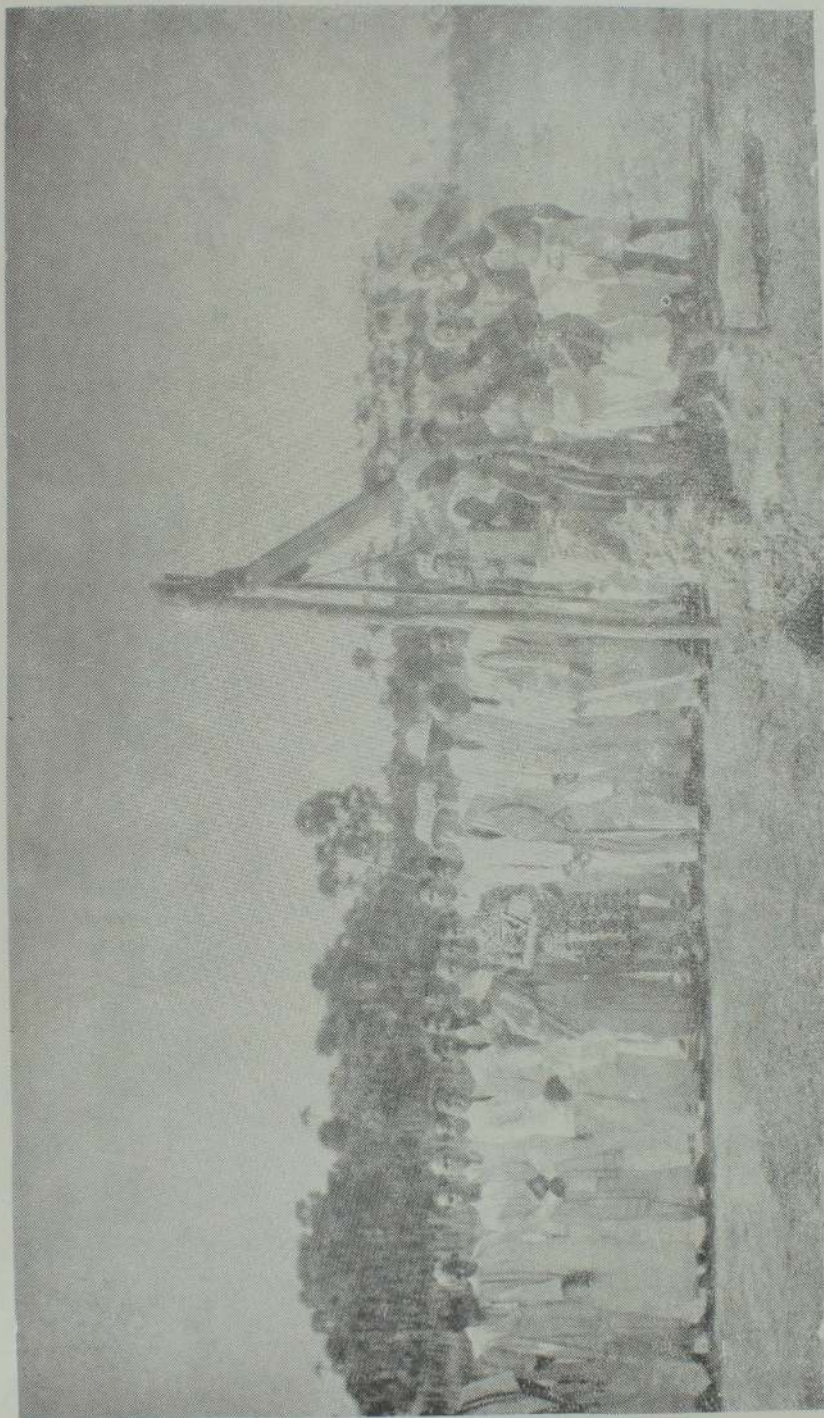


Hospital Society, Mr. K. Subramaniam of Vaddukoddai financed the erection of an Open Ward. The progress of the Institution was very steady and the staff were remunerated with small allowances. The residents of the neighbouring villages requested the Society to expand the area of operation, and residents from the villages within a radius of three miles were made eligible for membership.

In October 1940, the Co-operative Hospital began to function. Then it consisted of the following.—

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|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Administration block                                                                                                                                       | Rs. 6000  |
| 2. Medical Officers' quarters                                                                                                                                 | Rs. 9000  |
| 3. Cottage Ward comprising of 4 rooms donated by:—                                                                                                            |           |
| (a) Dr. C. Chelliah of Vaddukoddai in memory of his wife Thangammah.                                                                                          | Rs. 2000  |
| (b) S. Murugasu of Karanagar, in memory of his son Muthuvelpillai.                                                                                            | Rs. 2000  |
| (c) Mr. K. Sundarampillai of Chulipuram in memory of his daughter Meenambal                                                                                   | Rs. 2000  |
| (d) Mr. K. Subramaniam of Vaddukoddai                                                                                                                         | Rs. 2000  |
| 4. Later in addition to the donation of a room in the cottage Ward 1 Mr. K. Subramaniam donated an open ward                                                  | Rs. 5000  |
| 5. Within 4 years one permanent ward, one semi permanent Ward and two temporary wards were built. The benefactors who contributed to the permanent ward are:— |           |
| (a) Mr. P. Muthiapillai of Vaddukoddai                                                                                                                        | Rs. 2000  |
| (b) Mr. V. S. Kathiravelu of Ponnalai                                                                                                                         | Rs. 2000  |
| (c) M/s. The Valigamam West Bus Co., Ltd,                                                                                                                     | Rs. 2000  |
| (d) Mr. S. Kandiah of Karainagar                                                                                                                              | Rs. 2000  |
| (e) From the building Fund                                                                                                                                    | Rs. 2000  |
| (f) From the building Fund                                                                                                                                    | Rs. 2000  |
| 6. The semi permanent Ward cost                                                                                                                               | Rs. 5000  |
| 7. Temporary Wards cost each                                                                                                                                  | Rs. 2000  |
| 8. In 1946 another temporary Ward                                                                                                                             | Rs. 2500  |
| 9. D. M. O.'s quarters                                                                                                                                        | Rs. 27000 |
| 10. Maternity Ward and Kitchen                                                                                                                                | Rs. 31000 |
| 11. In 1950 a semi permanent Ward                                                                                                                             | Rs. 12000 |





Laying Foundation for the Maternity Ward by His Excellency the Governor Sir Henry Monck Mason Moore on 1-6-'45







In December, 1943, when the Hospital was commencing to progress, with the initiative of the late Dr. C. Chelliah who was then President, the Committee engaged the services of Dr. M O Chacko, M. B., L. R. C. P. & S., D. T. M., a Senior Physician and Surgeon who was connected with the Manipay Mission Hospital for over 20 years. The popularity of Dr. M O. Chacko spread throughout the Peninsula and on to the mainland to such an extent that more than 50% of the out-door patients are from distant areas.

The progress of the Institution was so rapid that the Committee again succeeded in securing the services of Dr. N. T. Sampanthan, M. B., B. S. (Ceylon) a promising young Surgeon. Dr. Sampanthan didn't take much time to get through the F. R. C. S. (Edin.) and F. R. F. P. & S. (Glas.) He too has established his fame as a specialist both in Surgery and Medicine.

Dr. G. Chelvadoray, L. R. C. P. & S. (Edin.); L. R. F. P. & S. (Glas.) who was previously rendering honorary services in time of need was persuaded by Dr. Chelliah to give up his lucrative post in the Ceylon Medical Corps and join the Hospital. This he did in 1946.

In 1945, Foundation Stones for the Maternity Ward and the D. M. O.'s quarters were laid by the

Governor of Ceylon. In 1950, Cottage Ward 5 was put up. About this time, Dr. Chelliah left for Malaya, and Mr. K. Kanagaratnam became the President for the next five years. During his period Mr. Kanagaratnam who was also a member of the Parliament spared no pains in getting an increased annual grant of Rs. 15,000 and further obtained a special grant of one lac of rupees for building the Operation Theatre and the Nurses' Quarters. Just prior to Dr. Chelliah's return to Malaya, he requested Mr. S. Mahadeva of Moolai, a prominent business man of Colombo to erect a Labour room which he gifted at a cost of Rs. 55,000.

At present, the staff consists of 4 Medical Officers, 7 Apothecaries, 1 Laboratory Assistant, 1 Matron and an Assistant Matron, 22 Nurses, 17 Orderlies, 8 Latrine Labourers, 1 Secretary, 1 Accountant, 2 Clerks, 1 Store-keeper, 1 Cashier, 2 Peons, 1 Canteen Manager, 3 Canteen Salesmen, 2 Engine Drivers, 2 Watchers, 1 Mason and 2 Gardeners.

With a view to expanding the Hospital and providing more facilities in the special branches of medicine and surgery, the present President Mr. P. M. Sangarapillai, J. P. has embarked on an improvement scheme and has with the Board of Management issued an appeal for funds from all Well-Wishers of the Institution.



# Statistics from Annual Reports from 1935 to 1953.

| Serial No. | Year     | Out-Patient | In-Patient | Confinements | Operation |       | Free Treatment |      | No of Members |
|------------|----------|-------------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------|----------------|------|---------------|
|            |          |             |            |              | Major     | Minor | Rs             | Cts. |               |
| 1.         | 1935-'36 | -           | -          | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | -             |
| 2.         | 1936-'37 | 5321        | -          | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 148           |
| 3.         | 1937-'38 | 7849        | -          | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 187           |
| 4.         | 1938-'39 | 5219        | -          | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 214           |
| 5.         | 1939-'40 | 4631        | -          | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 212           |
| 6.         | 1940-'41 | 4743        | 32         | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 294           |
| 7.         | 1941-'42 | 4313        | 52         | -            | -         | -     | -              | -    | 314           |
| 8.         | 1942-'43 | 5304        | 72         | -            | -         | 56    | -              | -    | 326           |
| 9.         | 1943-'44 | 11037       | 434        | 28           | 10        | 107   | 61.            | 65   | 469           |
| 10.        | 1944-'45 | 24126       | 1618       | 132          | 48        | 1001  | 2357.          | 20   | 584           |
| 11.        | 1945-'46 | 33654       | 2537       | 221          | 152       | 1108  | 6291.          | 42   | 710           |
| 12.        | 1946-'47 | 38598       | 3497       | 204          | 139       | 1110  | 5142.          | 03   | 824           |
| 13.        | 1947-'48 | 32013       | 3116       | -            | -         | -     | 5446.          | 12   | 931           |
| 14.        | 1948-'49 | 27960       | 2939       | 276          | 141       | 1555  | 6845.          | 70   | 1060          |
| 15.        | 1949-'50 | 30539       | 2820       | 357          | 72        | 2034  | 7541.          | 71   | 1085          |
| 16.        | 1950-'51 | 33179       | 3080       | 308          | 43        | 1036  | 7460.          | 49   | 1209          |
| 17.        | 1951-'52 | 37870       | 3679       | 389          | 63        | 1239  | 7906           | 95   | 1253          |
| 18.        | 1952-'53 | 42246       | 3772       | 370          | 67        | 960   | 12911.         | 93   | 1463          |



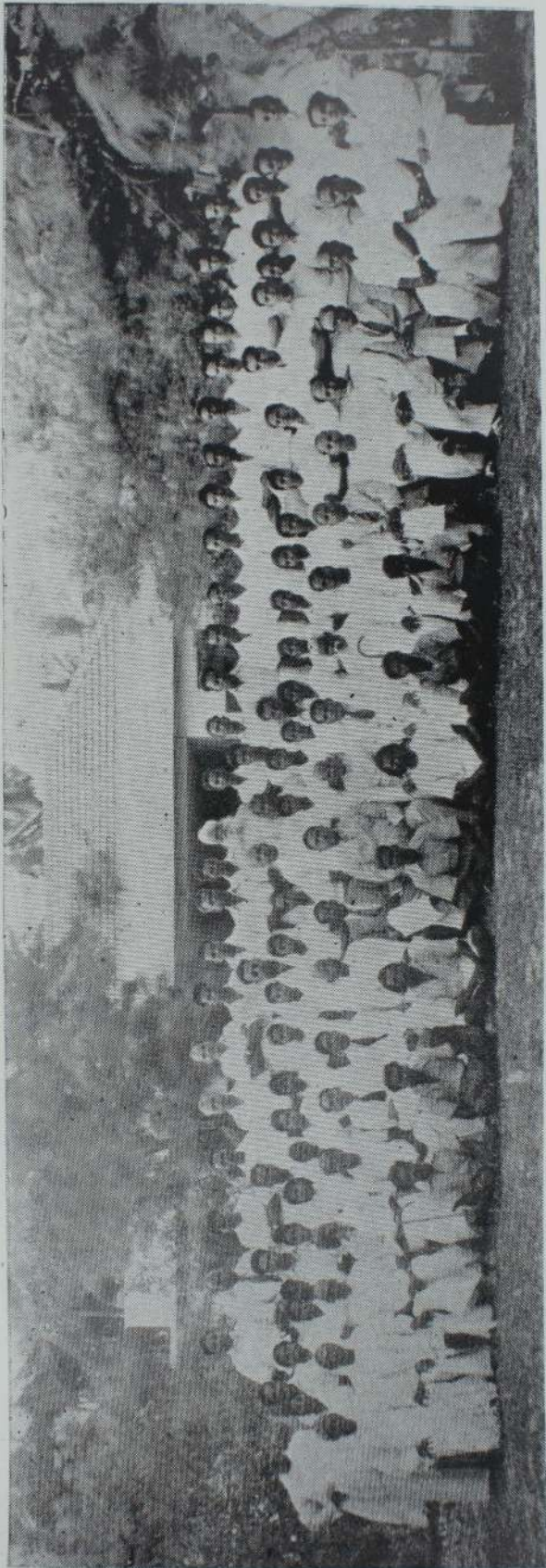






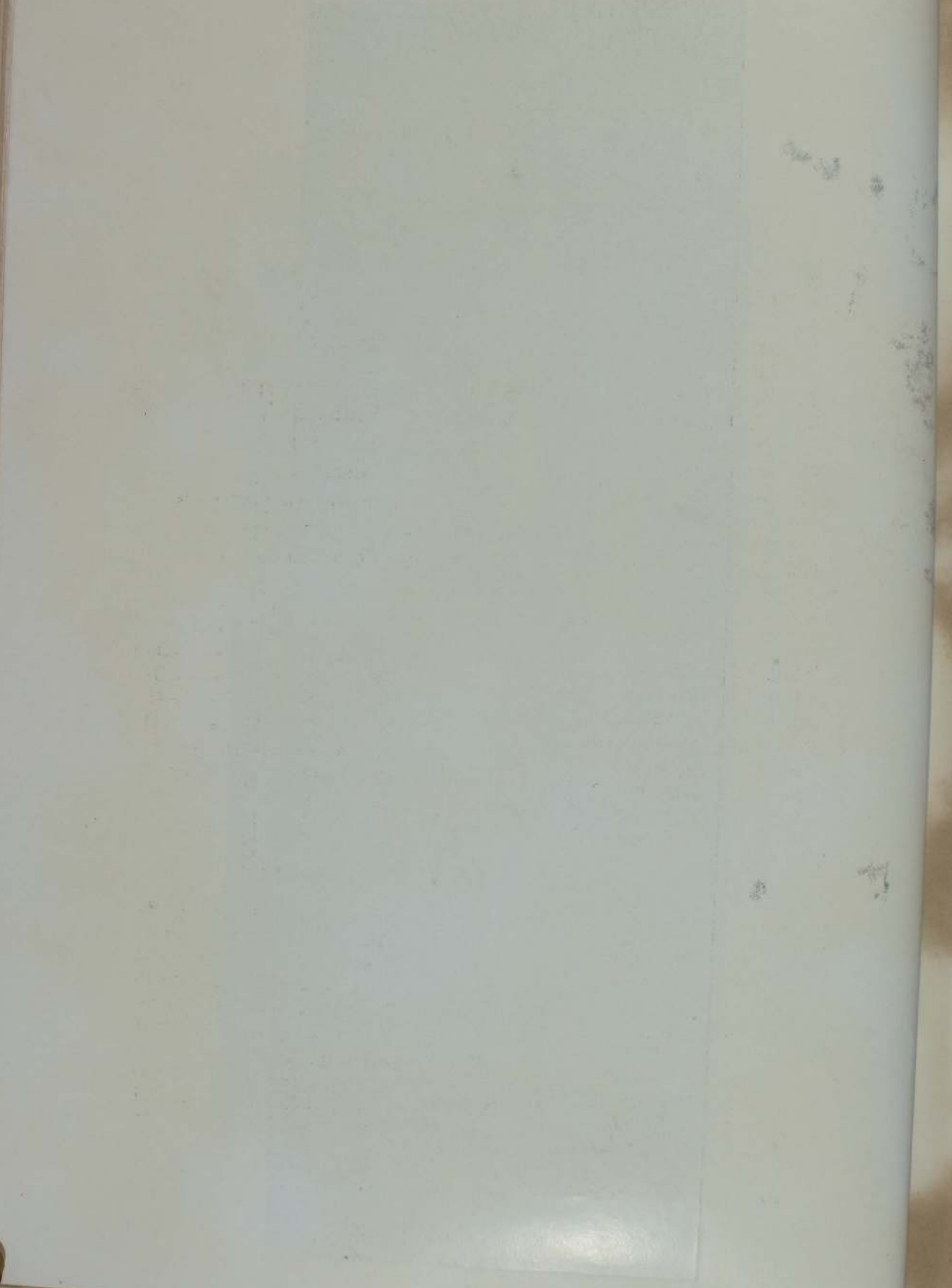
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| 4. Mr. K. Ariacutty               | 3 - 7 - 43 to 31 - 8 - 45    |
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|                                   | 8 - 10 - 50 to 21 - 12 - 51  |
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| 3. Mr. C. Sirinivasan     | 13 - 7 - 41 to 27 - 8 - 41  |
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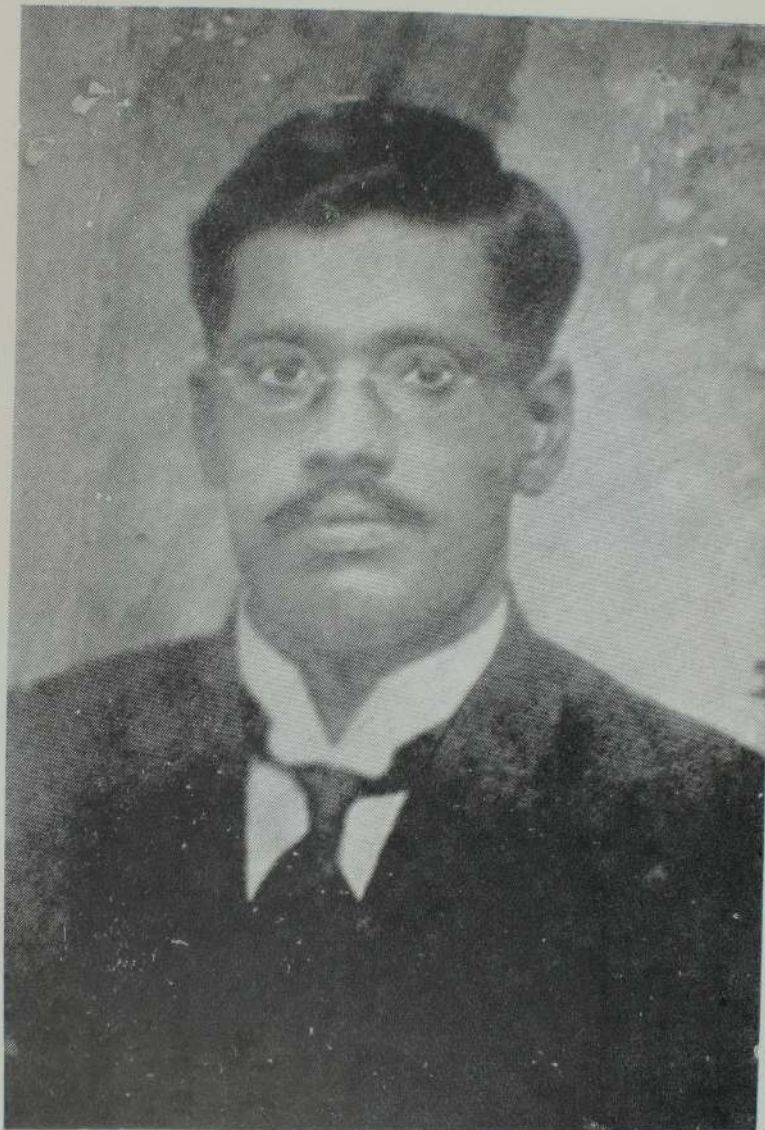
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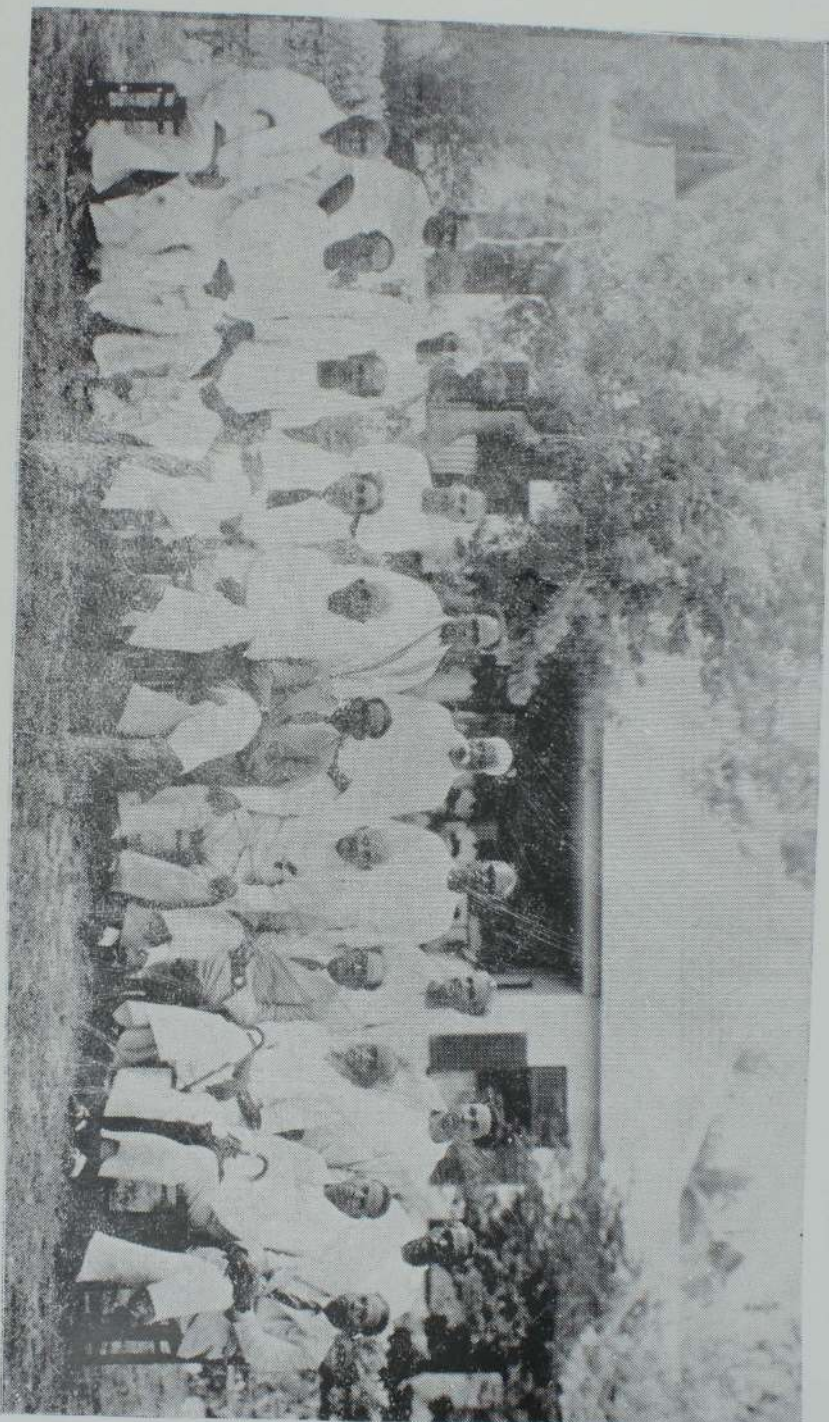
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- Mr. A. Sinnadurai

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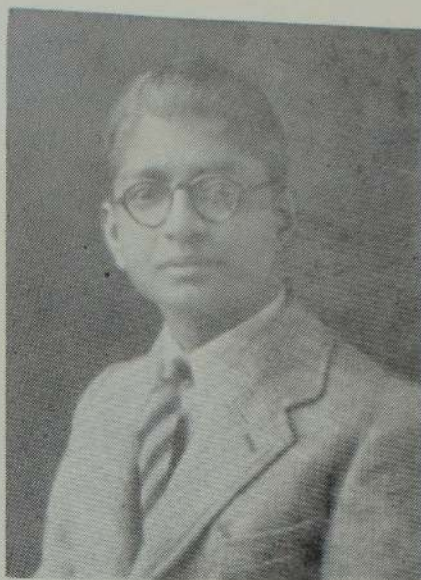
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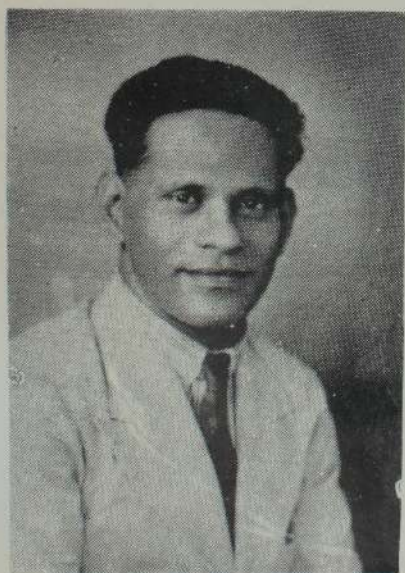
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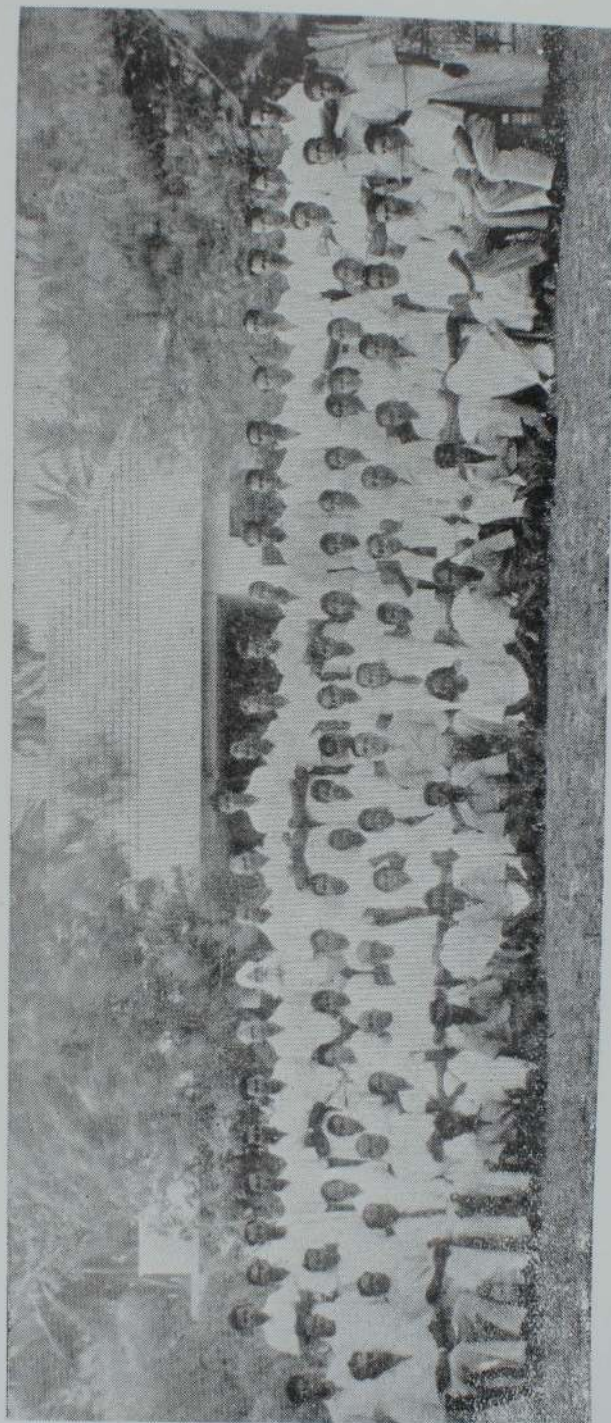


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# Pioneer Efforts in Co-operative Hospital Service

*A Radio Talk by K Kanagaratnam, Esq.*

*( A Past President )*

**T**HE Co-operative movement today is a vital force in the re-adjustment of living relations in every part of the World. The primitive sense of living for one's self has largely given place to community living and this has been greatly influenced by the economic factors of human life. Greed for wealth brought in its trails the exploitation of the unprivileged man in Society and its curse was more evident in the villages where more than 80% of the people of a country live and are exposed to the machinations of seemingly benevolent but really unscrupulous grabbers of wealth, at the expense of the simple and unsuspecting peasantry, the real backbone of the village.

In Ceylon, the movement came into active existence with the introduction of the Co-operative Credit Societies Ordinance No. 7 of 1911 and as the name suggests, it was chiefly concerned in the early days with rural credit and assistance given to the petty farmer and trader to carry on his cultivation and trade on easy loans and moderate terms of repayments. The Co-operative motto laid special emphasis on character and integrity and the movement may be said to have in a great way raised the standard of Credit and moral values in the lives of those who were drawn into it.

With the general progress, which the country has made after the inauguration of the Donoughmore Constitution, the Co-operative movement too has developed and spread itself into various activities and forms of livelihoods and according to the last administration report of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Ceylon has today 77 distinct types of Societies originating with limited and unlimited Credit Societies and ending with provincial Banks and a Co-operative Federal Bank which is a full-fledged Commercial Bank under the monetary Act No. 58 of 1949 and including in between such novel Societies as School Co-operatives, Women's Guilds and Societies for better Living and for Community and Welfare Services. These different types of Societies fall within a total of 8239 Societies in the Country and the variety is most conspicuous considering the fact that in the whole sub-continent of India, there are only 40 different types out of such a large total of 250000 Societies. It is evident that such a large variety in Ceylon has brought almost every section and stratum of Society within the Co-operative membership. The greatest experiment in harnessing the movement to the solution of the Country's acute food situation was made during the last War period when consumer



Societies enabled the Government to introduce the rationing system of food articles in short supply to the best advantage of the people. This experiment proved a great success and today 5 million ration books are attached to these stores out of a total issue of  $7\frac{1}{2}$  millions. The strength of the movement in Ceylon was such that the Adviser to the Secretary of State for the Colonies on Co-operation who visited Ceylon in 1950 stated, that, out of the 16 Co-operative Departments inaugurated in the colonies, after the last War, as many as 12 had their Registrars sent to Ceylon for special training.

With all these tributes to the Government Organisation of Co-operation in Ceylon, it was left to the inventive brain of the Jaffna man to try the first experiment of an organised community effort to provide medical facilities on a Co-operative basis. A high official of the Department of Co-operative Societies once stated that the Jaffna Peninsula was the veritable home of reputed Co-operators and that Co-operation in the Peninsula had assumed a diversity of forms and had touched every aspect of human life. A former Minister for Co-operative Undertakings paid the highest compliment to the Jaffna man as the best Co-operator in the Island. Ever since the Co-operative movement was introduced in Ceylon, Jaffna became the centre of many Co-operative activities. In these activities, the villages of Tholpuram, Moolai and Chulipuram, all contiguously situated on the Western side of the Jaffna Peninsula played a very important

part. When the idea of a Co-operative Society to provide medical facilities first originated with some pensioners who returned from Malaya and some local men, there were as many as 35 other Co-operative Societies of various types in these villages with a credit union to co-ordinate the activities of all these Societies. In February, 1935, a handful of these men met together to discuss the idea and resolved provisionally to start first a Dispensary and run it with the services of an eminent Doctor who had just then retired from the Malayan Medical service and was willing to give his services free for some time. Two Apothecaries who returned from the Malayan Service also volunteered to give free services. In June, 1935, 31 gentlemen from the above villages and the village of Pannagam assembled at a General Meeting and confirmed the original decision provisionally made at the informal meeting of February, 1935. A house was rented for the purpose and a loan of Rs. 750/- was raised. The Dispensary was opened at an auspicious time on the 24th October, 1935, in the village of Tholpuram and the Society was registered on the 4th April, 1936.

The pioneers of the movement little dreamt at that time that they were making history by establishing the first Co-operative dispensary, the first of its kind in the East and as a member of the Soulbury Commission said on his visit in 1945, probably, the only one of its kind in the world. This was later confirmed by the Expert on Co-operative Adult Education attached to the International





PATIENTS ARRIVING AT THE DISPENSARY.



PATIENTS GETTING THEIR ADMISSION TICKETS.







al Labour Organisation who visited the Hospital in 1952 and made an entry in the Visitors' Book that to him, it was a great inspiration to see a Hospital organised on the basis of a Co-operative Society and that it has been one of the most interesting Co-operative experiments he has ever seen. The number of Members enrolled at the first meeting in 1935 was 32 and this number increased to 119 at the date of registration in 1936. The number of members today is 1453.

The Dispensary grew both in popularity and the number of patients treated. The members received free medical advice and paid only the cost plus 10% on the medicines supplied. They also received 3 free visits to their homes from the Medical Officer and paid only Rs. 2 for each subsequent visits. The experiment was so successful that the members resolved to put up a permanent building for the Dispensary. A piece of land a little over an acre in extent was purchased at Moolai on the Jaffna-Chulipuram-Kayts Road in October, 1935 for a sum of Rs. 1435. and the foundation was laid in August, 1937, for the first block of buildings to house the Dispensary and the Administration offices. This building was completed at a cost of Rs. 5911 and opened in August, 1938. For the year ending April, 1937, the register showed that 5321 prescriptions had been dispensed and 295 visits paid by the Doctor to member-patients in their homes. On the financial side, a net profit of Rs. 1024. had been earned. This encouraged the Committee to launch on their main objective of providing an up-to-date

Hospital with adequate provision for treatment of in-door patients.

A scheme for collecting donations from members and well-wishers in Ceylon and Malaya was undertaken. With these collections the second stage of buildings consisting of a Cottage Ward of 4 rooms, each of which was donated by individual members in memory of their beloved ones, Medical Officer's Quarters and some ancillary buildings were completed in 1940 at a cost of Rs. 10,416. Patients from neighbouring villages began to come in large numbers and it became necessary to extend the area of operation to three other villages and today the Hospital covers 10 villages with a total population of 50,000.

At this time, a prominent retired planter from Malaya, a resident of Vaddukoddai became the President of the Hospital Society and he built at his own expense an open Ward for the treatment of poor patients in addition to donating one of the rooms in the first Cottage Ward.

In 1942, another prominent retired Medical Officer from Malaya, a son of Moolai, who came here just before the declaration of the Japanese War leaving behind his children in Malaya and was compulsorily detained here during the war became the President of the Hospital and it may be said with pride that the Hospital made phenomenal progress during the period he was its head. He secured the services of a very distinguished doctor who had just severed his connection with a private medical institution in Jaffna after a period of 23 years' service to take charge of the Hospital



and he also helped the Hospital to grow both in medical efficiency and adequate buildings and other amenities. Two distinguished sons from the villages served by the Hospital who had attained high positions in the medical profession with good prospects in the Government Medical service joined the Hospital, solely motivated by the spirit of service to their people in these remote villages of Jaffna. One of them who was sent to England for higher Medical training has obtained the F. R. C. S. degree specialising in Surgery.

The second Cottage Ward consisting of 6 rooms, four of which were donated by individual members was completed in July, 1944 at a cost of Rs. 15057. Other buildings followed and by April, 1950, buildings to the value of Rs. 104727 have been put up including a Maternity Ward, Assistant Medical Officer's Quarters, an Electricity Power House etc., all out of public donations and profits made out of the Hospital Collections.

In 1943, the Hospital which has been from its very inception run on public subscriptions and its own earnings sought the assistance of Government for increasing its free treatment of poor patients which would have legitimately fallen on Government and the then Minister for Health obtained from Government an annual grant of Rs. 500 in 1944 which was increased to Rs. 2500 in the years 1945, 1946 and 1947. I became the President of the Hospital in 1946 and the Member of Parliament for Vaddukoddai in 1947. The then

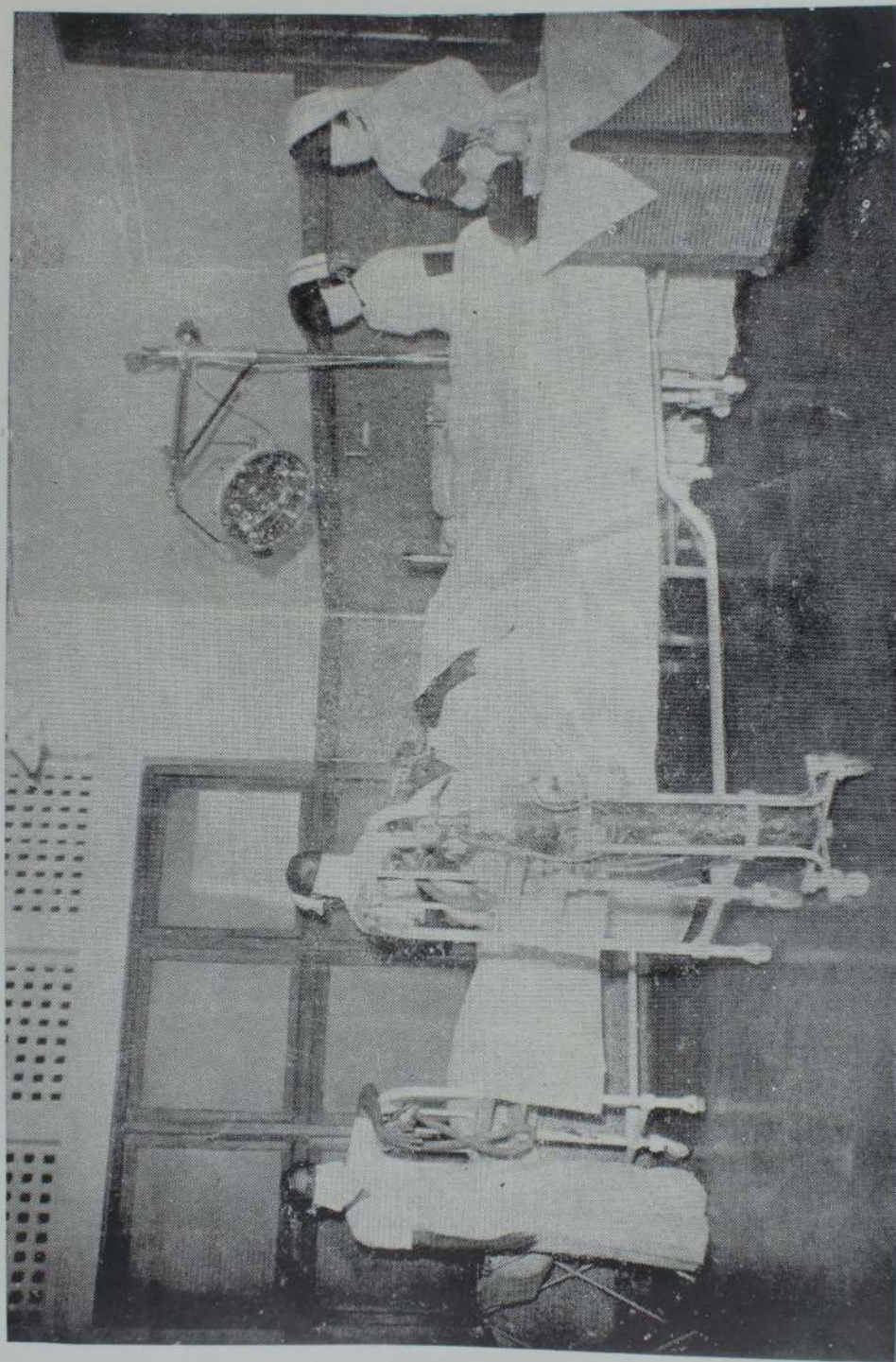
Minister for Health was good enough to visit the institution at my request in 1947 and 1948 and seeing its useful work obtained an increased annual grant of Rs. 15,000, in addition to a special building grant of one lac of rupees with which an Operation Theatre and Nurses' Quarters costing Rs. 132400 were built. At the request of the previous President, a distinguished son of Moolai who is a prominent and leading business man in Colombo built a modern Labour Room at a cost of Rs. 55,000. Today, the assets of the Hospital, in land, buildings, furniture, Surgical instruments, Electricity Plant and other equipments amount to nearly 5 lacs of rupees. It has on its Medical staff 4 Medical Officers including a Lady Medical Officer, 3 of them British qualified, 7 Apothecaries, one Laboratory Assistant, 1 Matron, 1 Asst. Matron, 22 Nurses, 17 Orderlies and on the Administrative side 1 Secretary, 1 Accountant, 2 Clerks, 1 Store-keeper, 1 Cashier in addition to a number of minor employees. The Hospital has accommodation for 100 beds distributed in 50 rooms and 4 open wards.

The Hospital, though intended to serve the members of the Society, had to extend its services to a large number of non-members who by-pass all Government Hospitals in Jaffna and come to it for its efficient service. Its popularity can be gauged from the fact that out of the 15094 outdoor patients and 3679 in-door patients treated in 1952, 12426 and 3243 respectively were non-members. The members receive 20% discount on medicines supplied and a reduction



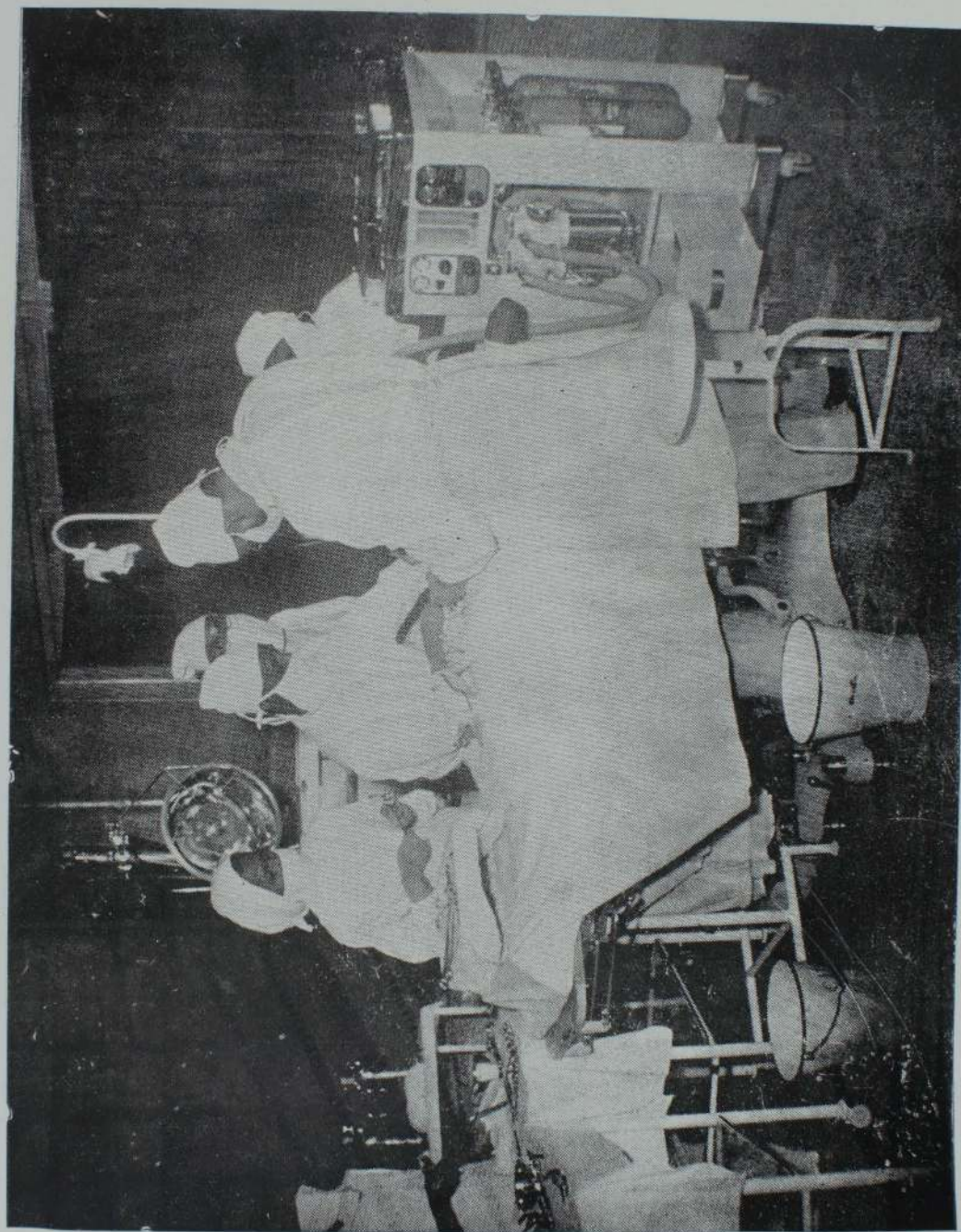






INSIDE VIEW OF THE LABOUR ROOM





AN OPERATION BEING PERFORMED AT THE NEWLY BUILT OPERATION THEATRE







of -/50 cts on room rent in the Paying Wards. Even without these concessions, the charges are the lowest in Jaffna. There were 389 maternity cases, 63 major operations and 1239 minor operations performed during the year. The mortality rates were 5.9% in the case of births and 3.07% in the case of other admissions.

The unique feature of the Hospital is that it is run to suit the customs and habits of the people. It provides a homely place for the patients with full freedom for their relatives to see them at all times of the day subject to medical restrictions according to the nature of the disease and the condition of the patient, thus relieving them of their loneliness and isolation from their homes. It is a legitimate desire of the village folk to be close to the patients during their illness and to take a share in their nursing. In experience, it has been found that the psychological reactions of these concessions has been to the advantage of the patients in accelerating their recovery. Medical opinion may differ but the mortality figures have been negligible in the Hospital. The Hospital does not provide diets to the patients but kitchens are provided for their use and that of their relatives who attend on them. A Canteen is run in the premises by the Hospital to provide all the needs of the patients at moderate prices.

The above is the romantic story of the first Co-operative Hospital started and developed during the past 18 years. Two Governor-Generals, eight Ministers and several distinguished officials had visited it from

time to time. The first entry in the Visitors' Book was made by the late lamented and revered Prime Minister Mr. D. S. Senanayake in 1939 when he was the Minister for Agriculture and Co-operative Undertakings and he described the Hospital as a remarkable institution. He visited the Hospital again in 1950 as Prime Minister and expressed his surprise in its phenomenal growth since his last visit. Co-operative Officials from Uganda, Fiji, Sarawak, Sudan, Nepal, Indonesia, India, Northern Rhodesia, Gold Coast, Malaya, Cyprus, Zanzibar, Thailand and Hong Kong have on the directive of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies visited it to study its Co-operative methods of running a medical institution. The Press and the Co-operative Department have reviewed its work and progress in most appreciative terms. The Registrar wrote in his Administration Report for 1951, that pioneered by Moolai, Co-operative hospitals and dispensaries have captured the imagination of the people and the Co-operative movement is bound to play a prominent part in solving the medical problems of the middle class, particularly the salary earners to whom one serious illness or the inevitable maternity case can often mean a crippling debt for years to follow.

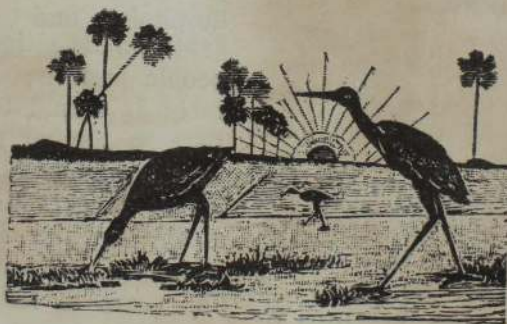
Following the example of Moolai, Co-operative hospitals have been opened at Matara, Bandarawela and Sandalankawa and hospitals without resident accommodation at Kalutara and Kurunegala. The Telli-palai Co-operative Vaidyasalai started as a Dispensary has an ambitious building programme to cost 5 lacs.



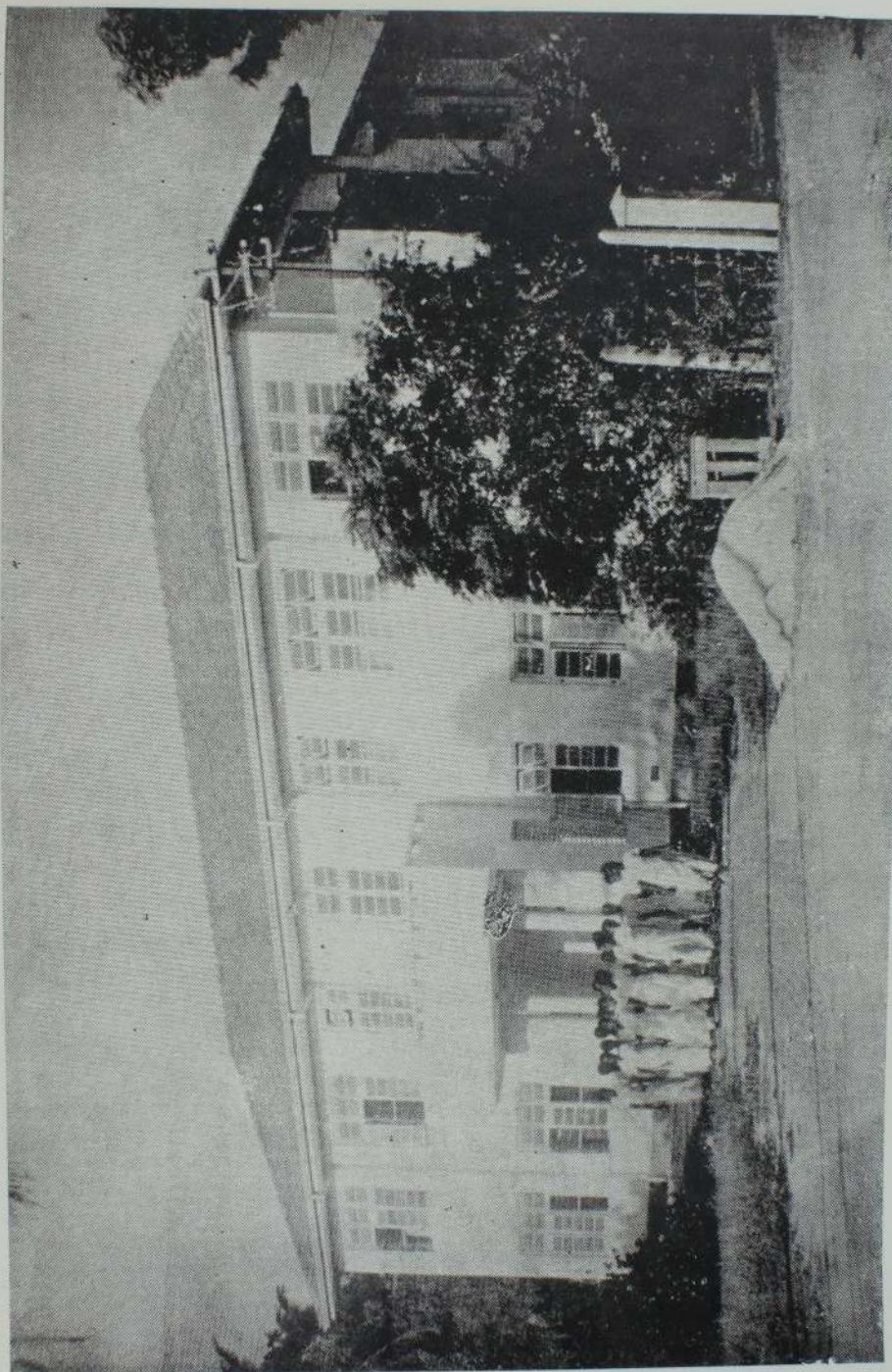
Kandy, Negombo and Kuliyaipitiya are preparing to open Co-operative hospitals in the near future. Colombo which needs a Co-operative medical institution most is still unable to find a suitable building but hopes to open at least a Dispensary institution during the year.

My warning to all these new undertakings is that Rome was not built in one day and that steady and sustained public spirit and self-help are the chief nourishments for any growing Co-operative concern.

Moolai affords an excellent example of steady and progressive growth spread over 18 years. Its needs are still many and to meet them, the President of the Board of Management and the Medical Staff have issued an appeal for funds in connection with the Founders' Day Celebrations fixed for the 24th instant. Emulate the example of its members, who, though entitled to a dividend on their shares every year have never touched it but allowed it to be utilized in the development of the Hospital.







### QUARTERS FOR NURSES

Opened by the RT. HON. D. S. SENANAYAKE, P. C., Prime Minister,  
on 17.10.50.







## Co-operative Hospitals

*By Mr. A. Sembacutti Aratchy,*

*Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies.*

*( Publicity and Information )*

**A**N efficient and adequate public health programme and a curative service are essential ingredients in a progressive economy. It must be admitted that in spite of recent advances in the field of Western Medicine in the way of inventions of new drugs and better methods of treatment of the more complicated human maladies, lack of adequate medical facilities is a crying need in the less favoured and under-developed countries. With all the attempts made by the State in Ceylon in this direction there is still the complaint that the small man and the middle class salary earner are crowded out of state institutions and are compelled to go to the private practitioner or nursing home at costs far beyond their means. It is not uncommon to hear of overcrowded hospitals and maternity homes. Government hospitals with a few hundred beds each are called upon to cater to thrice the number of in-door patients and the resultant overworking of the limited staff is bound to tell on the efficiency of the Service. Hence the medical services become both inadequate and inefficient. The better favoured, however, can afford and do get efficient services at private nursing homes and "paying wards" while one serious illness or the inevitable maternity case in the case of the salary earner often means a crippling debt for years to follow.

Thus arose the need for an institution which would give efficient medical facilities at rates within the means of the middle class man. The Co-operative Hospital Scheme found fertile ground among the community hard pressed by overcrowded hospitals and heavy medical bills.



Mr. A. Sembacutti Aratchy

The Co-operative Hospital Scheme may be described as a long term and simpler form of health insurance. As is usual in any other Co-operative society, the area of operation is limited as is the liability of indi-



vidual members. The value of a share is usually Rs. 100 payable in instalments within a period of ten years. The usual admission fee is Rs. 5 and on admission a member is expected to buy at least one share and pay one instalment before he enjoys the privileges of full membership. The objects of the Society may be defined as follows :

1. To provide hospital facilities to its members.
2. To dispense prescriptions.
3. To do such other things as are incidental and conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

With these objects in view, societies organised may take the form of either of two types. In the more simple type of society only a qualified Apothecary or Medical officer is employed by the society. This officer is expected to visit the various villages or central points where he examines medically the members at appointed times and dates. This examination is free to the members and their families and any malady thus diagnosed is promptly attended to with free medical advice and outdoor dispensary facilities, at nominal rates. Thus the membership is assured of medical attention at the very initial stages of disease on the payment of a nominal fee. This constant visit of the Medical Officer and the regular 'Check up' has the added advantage of making the members health conscious, and thus prevent heavy medical bills. This form of society however has not proved so

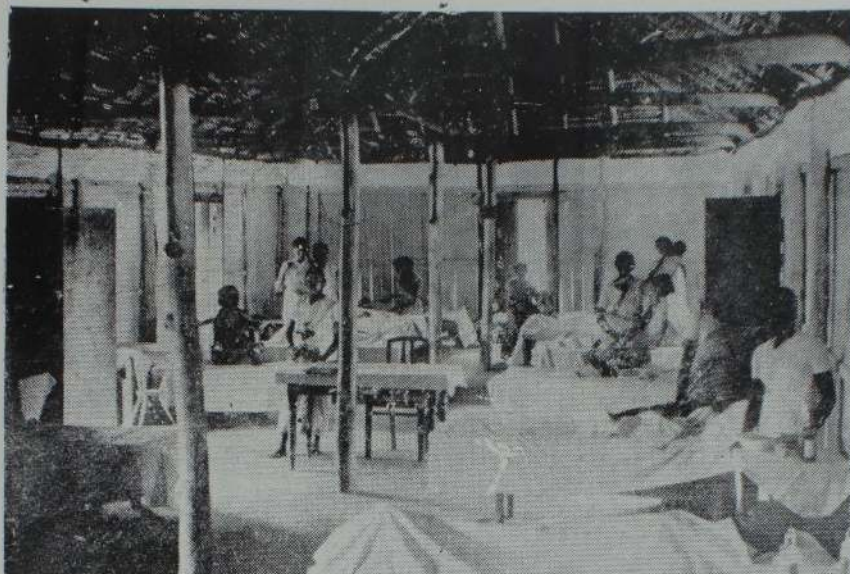
very popular as the other type where the society provides both in-door and out-door medical treatment. Here the Society runs a fully equipped Hospital complete with X-Ray and Operation Theatre and full medical and nursing staffs like in any other private or State institution for the convenience of members. Thus Hospital and Maternity Home facilities with additional expert attention whenever required is available to the members at cost plus a nominal percentage for overhead expenses. This scheme of Co-operative Hospitals has been found to be very popular by experience.

Pioneered by a few—the actual number of original members was 31—Co-operators from Moolai and surrounding villages who were driven by dire necessity—the first Co-operative Hospital in the East was organised on 4th August, 1935. Within a short time, in their own humble way the first Co-operative Dispensary was opened at Tolpuram (village adjacent to Moolai). At this time the members received free medical advice and paid only the cost plus 10% on the drugs and medicines supplied. The members were entitled to 3 free visits from the Medical Officer and any subsequent visits had to be paid for at Rs. 2. per visit. This dispensary and the services rendered by it proved popular as it was a long felt need and the membership increased in the 2nd year to 148 with a share capital of Rs. 1875. Within the short period of two years the Society had proved its value and for the year ending April, 1937 the Society had dispensed 5300 prescriptions and their doctor had paid 290 visits to member







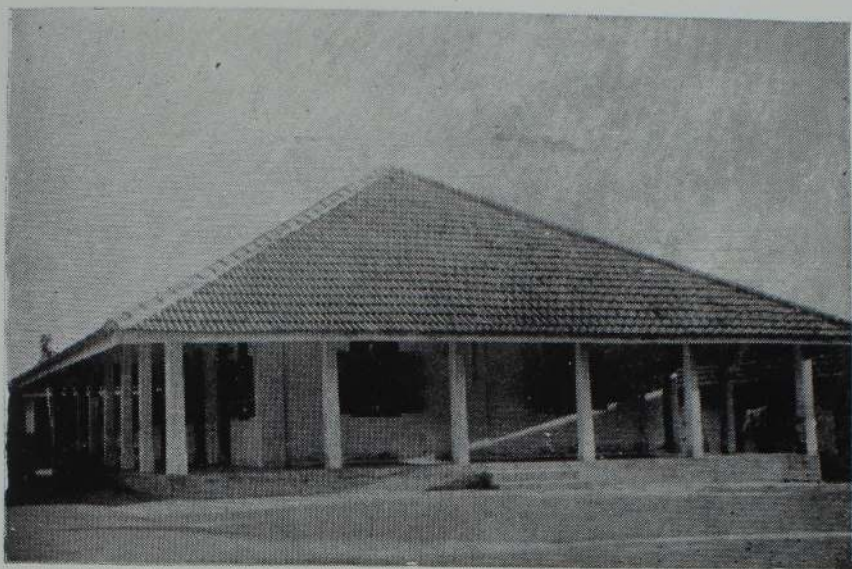


INSIDE VIEW OF THE WARD FOR INFANTS.



LABOUR ROOM DONATED BY MR. S. MAHADEVAN.





COTTAGE WARD No. 2.



TEMPORARY WARD FOR MALES  
which needs replacement.







patients in their homes. This success in their small venture not only encouraged the membership for further development but also created a public opinion and sympathy resulting in donations up to Rs 20,000. Thus in October 1940, the Hospital was opened and admission of in-door patients commenced. In 1941, the Hospital had treated 32 in door patients while 3700 prescriptions were dispensed. The profits and donations increased to Rs 30,000 and the Hospital has been recognised by the State and received an annual grant of Rs. 7500 which was later increased to Rs. 15000, and a further sum of Rs 100,000, towards the building fund. It is today a fully equipped Hospital with an average of 27900 prescriptions and 3700 in door patients per year. It has accommodation for 100 beds and employs 4 Doctors—2 Physicians, 1 Surgeon, 1 Lady Medical Officer,— 7 Apothecaries, 1 Lab. Assistant 24 Nurses and a trained and adequate staff of Attendants.

As is usual in any pioneer venture, the original members, I am sure, had to face numerous difficulties and criticisms in the beginning.

To nurse this scheme from such small beginnings up to what it is today would have required a great degree of patience integrity and selfless service, and I am sure all co-operators will join me in congratulating the pioneers for the success.

Foregoing is but one example—and the pioneer at that—of the application of the Co-operative method in providing medical facilities. The Co-operators in other parts of Ceylon soon followed suit and now the scheme has proved to be popular and today there are Co-operative hospitals adequately accommodated both for in-door and out-door treatment at Tellippalai, Matara, Bandarawala and Sandalankawa, and hospitals without resident accommodation at Kalutara and Kurunegala. More are under organisation.

In concluding it is worthwhile mentioning, that as in any other Co-operative venture profits in this type of society are distributed on the basis of patronage and does it not speak well of the Movement that even ill-health can be made to pay dividends if only the patients will co-operate?





## Sir Oliver Goonetilleke's Visit

*Address by the President, Mr. P. M. Sangarapillai, J. P., on the occasion of the visit of the Hon. Sir Oliver Goonetilleke, Minister for Agriculture and Food on October 11, 1953.*

IT is my privilege, as President of this Hospital, to welcome you Sir, on behalf of myself, the members and Board of Management and the staff on your first visit to us as our Minister for Co-operative Undertakings. We recall today with pleasure your last visit to this Hospital in July, 1944 while you were the Civil Defence Commissioner, when you graciously accepted our invitation to unveil the second Cottage Wards built with generous donations made by some of our countrymen. Nine years have passed since and you have seen today the vast expansion the Hospital has made both in its buildings, equipment and usefulness to the people of several villages served by it, apart to a number of others who come from all parts of Jaffna even by-passing the Government Hospitals, because they receive quick and efficient service from our most efficient medical staff.

I need not refer to the fact that this is the first Hospital founded on Cooperative lines in the Island and as a matter of fact in the world as one of the Soulbury Commissioners jocularly remarked on their visit to us in 1945, Government has always acknowledged its novel features as a unique Co-operative Unit and sent to us all the Co-operative Officials of the various countries who came to Ceylon to study Co-operative methods.

May I say with pride that this Hospital has always been the "Show Piece" of all Government's Co-operative Undertakings.

The Assets of this Hospital today amount to little over 5 lacs, almost all of which were contributed by our countrymen, both in Malaya and here. Our late revered Prime Minister, Mr. D. S. Senanayake was the first distinguished member of the Government to visit this Hospital in 1937 and make the first entry in the Visitors' Book. He repeated his visit in 1950 to open our Nurses' Quarters and expressed his unbounded appreciation of our efforts to give the best medical service in this rural part of Jaffna. Through the kindness and appreciation of our work by Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike, who was then Minister for Health, our then representative in Parliament who was also at that time the President of this Hospital was able to get our annual grant raised to Rs. 15,000, in addition to getting a special grant of one lac of rupees which enabled us to put up the Operation Theatre and the Nurses' Quarters. The magnificent Labour Room which provides up-to-date Maternity facilities is the handsome gift of one of the distinguished sons of this village, Mr. Mahadevan who is one of the leading and flourishing Business men in Colombo.



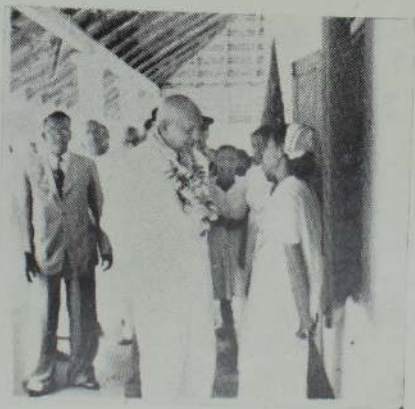
## SIR OLIVER'S VISIT



Being received



Going round the wards



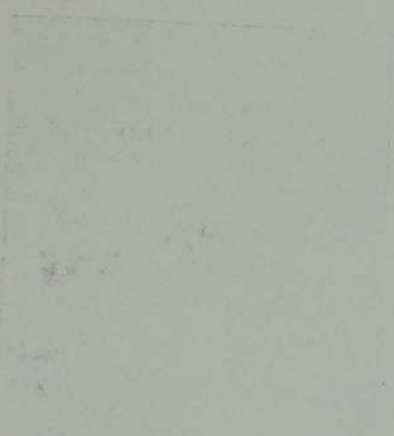
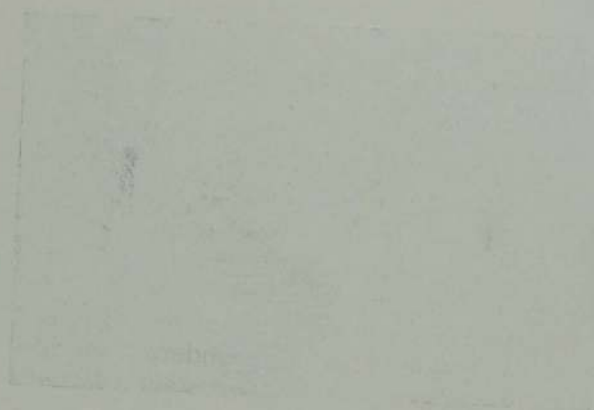
Having a word with the Matron



Addressing the Public meeting



THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO





Since your last visit, we have provided other amenities such as Electricity, clean Water Supply and Anaesthetic Plant. All these help the poor patients to receive modern Medical treatment and facilities at their own doors and at considerably cheaper cost. Our patrons were very generous in their gifts and we are again approaching them for further help in connection with our Founders' Day Celebrations on the 24th instant to which you have accepted our invitation, along with the Minister for Health. During the Celebrations Week, we have organised Health Propaganda work in all the 10 villages served by this Hospital and the Departments of Health, Agriculture, Information and Education are sending their Propaganda Vans with valuable and instructional films. Some of your officials have undertaken to speak on Food Production and other Agricultural problems. Through the kindness and support of Dr. J. H. F. Jayasuriya who is devoting his full time now to the eradication of the dire disease of Tuberculosis in this country, we are planning to open a branch of the National Association for the prevention of Tuberculosis and provide facilities in the Hospital for a mass survey of the 50,000 people in the villages served by this Hospital which includes a fairly large child population in about 50 schools. Whatever we propose to collect in connection with our Founders' Day Celebrations will be just enough to replace some of the temporary Wards already condemned as unfit for the patients' occupation. Knowing the financial position of Government we have not asked for any

monetary grant. We however understood that the Australian Government had given a grant of 3 million rupees for Tuberculosis work in this country and we shall be grateful to you if you will use your influence along with the Minister for Health and get us an X'Ray Plant out of the grant which will go a great way to make mass survey possible on the spot, in addition to its use for other ailments.

In reply to our application for an X'Ray Plant out of the Australian gift, we have just been informed that such a gift would be outside the conditions imposed by the Australian Government and that facilities for X'Ray examination would be provided in the proposed Chest Clinic to be attached to the Hospital in Jaffna. We have built and developed this Hospital in the Co-operative way solely to relieve Government of its responsibility to provide medical facilities for a large section of the population in this area and we are doing it, you admit, Sir, in a more efficient way than any Government Organisation would do, because we are free from the rigidity of the Governmental rules and regulations. We offer the same help to Government to tackle the Tuberculosis problem, perhaps in a much more efficient way and it is therefore in the interests of the Government to relax its rules and help us in the position in which it is able to do so. You know Sir, how long it will take Government to start the Chest Clinic in Jaffna, especially when no Chest Clinics by Government have yet been opened in any part of the country. With an X'Ray Plant and the enthusiasm and readiness



of our medical staff, I may boldly say that we would be in a position complete our survey and extend our work even to other parts of Jaffna before the Government Chest Clinic in Jaffna is ready for operation.

We are aware how you tackled the Food situation during the War. If not for the elasticity of your mind and your timely decisions of all vital problems as they occurred the Governmental wheel would have been clogged many times before the critical situations in the supply of Food were saved from disastrous results. In our request too, we would ask you to solve our problem in your E. O. G. way.

I thank you again for your honouring us with this visit in the midst of your heavy ministerial duties.

## Reply by the Hon. Sir Oliver Goonetilleke

### Reasonable Limits

Sir Oliver, replying said: "Whatever financial difficulties the Central Government may have, requirements of institutions like yours should have assistance within reasonable limits. My Parliamentary Secretary described me as a hero of heroes, and all of you will be probably inclined to believe him." Speaking further, he said that he had the special privilege of working with the Jaffna people and was glad to see that Mr. K. Kanagaratnam was present at the meeting.

He also referred to the forthcoming visit of Mr. Casey, Australian Minister of External Affairs and asked the people of Jaffna to welcome him to their land of co-operation and show him the work of that magnificent Institution.

— *Ceylon Daily News*.





# Founders' Day Celebrations

23rd October, 1953.

**T**HE Founders' Day of the above Hospital was celebrated on the 23rd instant attended by a large and distinguished gathering from all parts of Jaffna. The Day commenced with the laying of the Foundation stone by Dr. J. H. F. Jayasuriya for the new Chest Clinic. This was followed by a public meeting attended by a very large gathering. Mr. C. E. Attygalle who deputed for the Minister for Health was the chief speaker.

*Address by the President Mr. P. M. Sangarapillai, J. P.*

"Friends,

This day, today, signifies an important landmark in the history of this Hospital. Having started and nursed it for over 18 years, we thought it necessary and useful, considering the vast strides, the Co-operative movement is making in the country in various forms in our every day life, that we should take stock of our work and achievements during the past, so that they might serve both as an urge to ourselves to rectify our errors, if any, and supply the gaps that remain unfilled in a complete unit of medical service and also as an example to similar institutions in the making in the various parts of the country. This is the first occasion on which we are celebrating the Founders' Day of this Institution and it is the first duty of those of us, who in the chain of succession, are placed in charge of this Institution to remember those pioneers who struck the first light of a Co-operative Hospital in their fertile imagination and pay them our homage for their initial efforts which, in course of time, bore ample fruits as you have

occasion today to witness them in the various services which the people of these rural areas receive very close to their homes.

We are proud of the fact that we are the torch bearers today of this Institution and we ask for your blessings and support so that we, in our turn, leave over to our successors an unblemished record of work in promoting its growth and usefulness. We are also proud that this Institution has been copied as a model in other parts of the country and used as a "Show Piece" by the Government to enable Co-operative Officials from other countries to visit it and learn its methods of Co-operation in an entirely new field to them. An Official of the International Labour Organisation who visited the Hospital in 1952 made an entry in the Visitors' Book that, to him, it was a great inspiration to see a Hospital organised on the basis of a Co-operative Society and that it has been one of the most interesting Co-operative experiments he has ever seen.



We have in this connection organised a Health and Education Week commencing from the 17th instant in the 12 villages served by the area and the Propaganda Vans sent to us by the Departments of Co-operation, Information, Education, Health and Agriculture along with their respective Propaganda Officers have been showing films in every one of these villages on various Health, Educational and other matters during the whole of this week and will continue to show till early next week. Mr. Periathamby, an Engineer in the Irrigation Department who hails from one of the villages served by the Hospital and has collected a number of films in his official life in various parts of the country has been showing a number of useful films in the Hospital premises.

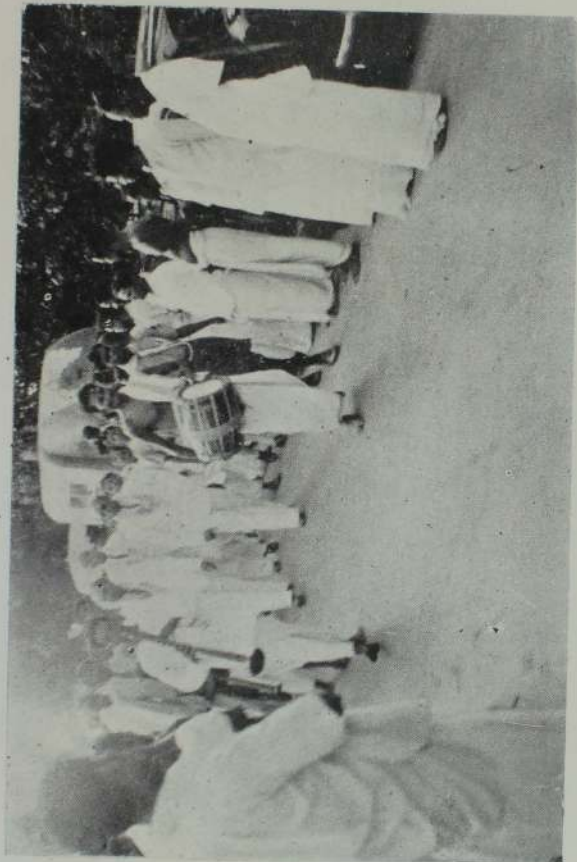
A Play in Tamil narrating the story of the origin and growth of the Hospital and depicting those who were associated with it at the various points of its development is being acted by School children under very able dramatic directions of two members of the Board of Management assisted by some friends of the Institution. The play serves as an inspiration to the younger generation to know the work and achievements of their elders and follow them when they take their places in the life of the Society.

It is needless for me to review here the great services of this Institution. You can obtain all the literature on our work from our office. We are greatly pleased to have in our midst on this happy occasion as our

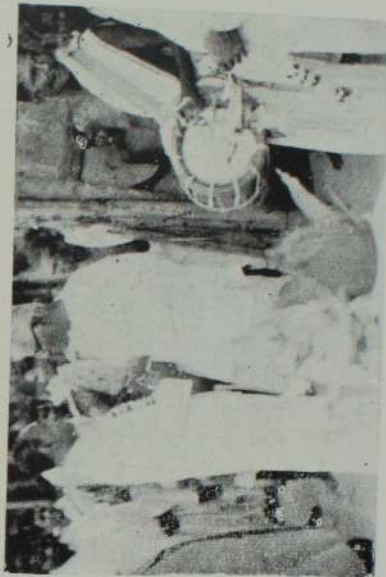
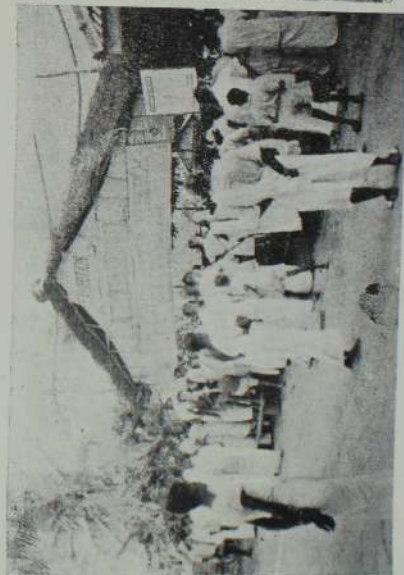
chief speaker Mr. C. E. Attygalle, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health. While deeply regretting the inability of the Hon. Mr. Nugawela, Minister for Health who earlier accepted our invitation, to be with us we are glad that he is being represented by his Lieutenant who comes from a noble and distinguished Kandyan family in the Sabragamuwa Province who incidentally, was my college-mate in Colombo. Mr. Attygalle has a distinguished record of work in Parliament since the inauguration of the Soulbury constitution and I am sure he will extend to us the same sympathy in his new office as he has hitherto shown to his own constituency. I welcome you Sir, on behalf of the Board of Management and the staff on your first visit to this Institution and trust that it will receive all support from the Ministry of Health through you and your Minister who had visited us in 1951 along with Mrs. Nugawela when he was Minister for Education and made an appreciative entry in the Visitors' Book. When the Hon. Sir Oliver Goonetilleke the then Minister for Agriculture, Food and Co-operative Undertakings visited us in advance on the 11th instant, we placed before him our case for an X-Ray Plant for which we have made an earlier application to the Minister for Health and we trust that you, Sir, will overcome all procedural difficulties which seriously affect all Government Undertakings and do your best to provide one from the Australian Gift of 3 million rupees for T. B work in this country.

To commemorate the great services of our late Premier, D. S.





Mr. C. E. Attygalle, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Health,  
Dr. J. H. F. Jayasuriya, President, C. N. A. P. T. and Mr. N. Manicka  
Idaikkadar, Director of Food Production at the Founders' Day Celebrations.









Senanayake in the field of Co-operation, rightly earning the title of Father of Co-operation, the Board of Management resolved to attach a Chest Clinic to the Hospital to undertake mass survey among the 50,000 population served by it and it has been our unique privilege to have the Foundation laid just a few minutes ago for this Clinic by one who in the right spirit of service to humanity according to the tenets of our religions has dedicated his life for this noble cause after a very distinguished career in the Medical Department, as one of the leading Surgeons of Ceylon. It was left to Dr. Jayasuria to discover the hidden effects of the dire disease of Tuberculosis eating slowly into the vitals of our nations and rouse both the Government and the people to wake up to eradicate it before it makes a wholesale destruction of our people. We welcome you Sir, as the saviour of our nation and a prophet with a new health message that Tuberculosis is curable with the active support and co-operation of the people. The country observed the 21st of this month as the T. B. Day. We have read with interest the message of the Minister and the articles which appeared in the Newspapers on this day including the instructive article addressed to the children by Dr. Jayasuria. We offer our unstinted support to him in his great medical missionary work and to assist him actively, we have decided to start a Branch of the Ceylon National Association for Prevention of Tuberculosis to serve the area covered by this Hospital.

We welcome all the other guests who have responded to our invitation. It is my duty to give expression on this day to the great assistance rendered to this Hospital by the various officials of the Co-operative Department. The name of Mr. G. De Soyza who was the Registrar of Co-operative Societies when the Dispensary which was the forerunner of this Hospital was first started will be written large in the history of this Hospital. It is his sympathetic help in all its early tumultuous days that made this Hospital grow from strength to strength. His successor, Mr. Edmond Cooray and the present Registrar, Mr. S. C. Fernando were both towers of strength to us. We express our gratitude to them when we remember our founders and patronisers.

Finally, I would beg leave of you to refer to our appeal for funds to meet the further needs of the Hospital. We have had generous response from our members and patronisers both here and in Malaya and we have no doubt that when our lists close by the end of next month we would have received your fullest support to reach our target. I would be failing in my duty if I do not mention here, openly and sincerely the most valuable assistance I received from the staff both high and low in collecting funds. They all showed that they have really imbibed the true spirit of Co-operation and service in one of the noblest professions one can choose and follow."

Mr. Attygalle eulogised the work of the Hospital and said that it had served as an essential adjunct



to the Government medical units and had played an important part in supplementing the medical supplies of Government which with all its expansion could meet only 50 per cent of the medical needs of the country. He suggested a fair compromise between the Western and the Indigenous systems of Government as a large number of people in the villages still followed the latter system.

Dr. Jayasuriya made an impassioned appeal to the wealthier people to spend their leisure time and wealth in looking after the health of the large number of underfed and ill nourished people of the villages. He exploded the old theory that a person suffering from Tuberculosis was a leper of the society, condemned for ever for isolation from his family ties. With the progress of modern thoracic surgery and other wonder drugs, Tuberculosis today is curable if only people suffering from it disclosed their cases in the early stages without fear of incurring the odium of the other members of the family. He deplored the long lethargy and neglect of the Government in dealing with this problem and stated

that even the handsome grant of 3 million rupees gifted by the Australian Government was remaining idle while Government was still looking for a site in Colombo to build the first Chest Clinic. He congratulated the Hospital in going ahead of the Government programme and undertaking the building of the second Chest Clinic in the country with private aid. He stated that Government should encourage this undertaking with the gift of an X'Ray Plant which is essential for starting the mass X'Ray of the 50,000 people in the villages served by the Hospital.

Mr. N. Manicka Idaikaddar, Director of Food Production stated that the credit of calling the Institution, as 'Our Institution' as the Americans would say, goes to the people of the area as they have built up the Hospital on a basis of self help and mutual co-operation. Messrs V. Veerasingham M, P. and R. C. S. Cooke, Asst. Registrar of Co operative Societies also spoke. The Celebrations ended with the exhibition of interesting films by the Departments of Health, Agriculture and Information and with dance and musical items by the schools in the area.





## IMPRESSIONS OF VISITORS



THE LATE RT. HON. D. S. SENANAYAKE

I visited this Hospital today. It is a remarkable Institution and is unique in that it is the first of its kind in the Island. I am greatly impressed, particularly in view of the example it sets as to the possibilities of social improvement by Co-operative Effort. I wish it still greater success in the future.

19-2-39.

*Sgd. D. S. Senanayake.*



I visited the Co-operative Union Hospital at Moolai today in the company of the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services, the Divisional Medical Superintendent, Jaffna and the M O. H., Jaffna and was shown round the Institution by Dr. Chelliah. It is a monument to the co-operative enterprise and the spirit of public service of the people of Tholpuram. Jaffna is fortunate in the number of voluntary Hospitals which it has hit whereas most such institutions have come into being through the missionary zeal of foreigners. The Union Hospital has been established by the efforts of the people of Moolai. Voluntary Hospitals of this type fully merit all the encouragement and assistance that Government can give and I shall endeavour to secure for this Institution the help it needs.

15th January, 1943

*Sgd. G. E. De Silva,*  
Minister of Health.

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I am very pleased to have visited the Co-operative Union Hospital at Moolai today. I must congratulate all those concerned in running the Hospital as the excellent Institution they have created and are maintaining for the people of the area.

The impression left on me was of perfect cleanliness and I would commend this Hospital to the Minister of Health as a model for the rural hospitals he is intending to establish throughout the Island.

In conclusion I wish to thank Dr. Chelliah for his kindness in taking me to the Hospital and showing me over the place.

4th July, 1943.

*Sgd. A. Mahadeva.*

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I visited the Moolai Hospital today and was extremely glad to see that the Hospital is a very fine example of what Co-operation among people can achieve. This Institution is still in its infancy but has proved its extreme usefulness to the people of this area. I shall endeavour to lend a helping hand to make this Hospital a complete success and serve the people of the area. It appears to be unique in organisation. It will be a very great help, if the Government of this country can give it an annual donation as it is fulfilling a duty which the Government has to perform.



One of Ceylon's greatest Co-operative efforts. A wonderful example of service and leadership.

29-7-44.

*Sgd. O. E. Goonetilleke.*

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I have had the privilege of visiting the Moolai Co-operative Hospital today and have been pleased to note the excellent progress that has been made since my last visit in January, 1943. New buildings constructed since this date is a 6 roomed Cottage Ward. I am also pleased to note that a philanthropic gentleman is providing an Operation Theatre fully equipped. I have been asked for an increased grant which I have promised to consider very favourably. I wish the work of this Hospital every success.

23-9-44.

*Sgd. G. E. De Silva,*  
Minister of Health.

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I had the pleasure of visiting the Co-operative Union Hospital this evening. Dr. Chelliah showed me round the various departments and wards. The Hospital is ideally situated and the fact that it meets a great need is seen by the rush of patients both indoors and outdoors. The Hospital is fortunate in having the services of experienced, efficient and devoted doctors who have already created an atmosphere of service and co-operation.

There is room for expansion so that medical relief may be available to a larger number than can be accommodated now. The institution deserves the generous support, both in personnel and finance of all well-wishers of the needy population of Jaffna. I wish every success of the efforts of the organisers.

Vaddukoddai, 6-2-45.

*Sgd. E. W. Ariyanayakam.*

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It was a great pleasure to see such a fine example of voluntary co-operation.

7-3-45.

*Sgt. Soulbury.*  
*Sgd. S. M. Barrows.*  
*Sgd. J. F. Rees.*  
*Sgd. Trafford Smith.*



It has given my wife and myself great pleasure to see the fine work that is being done here. I have been very pleased to lay the Foundation Stone of the Maternity Ward.

June 1st, 1945.

*Sgd. Henry Moore,*  
Governor of Ceylon,

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I visited this outstanding and unique example of co-operative effort in company with the Assistant Registrar, Jaffna, on 23-2-46 and have been greatly impressed by the excellent work and service that is given. It is clear that there are great possibilities also, not only as regards the curative, but also in the preventive and dietetic directions. I wish the venture continued success.

Uganda, 23-2-46.

Registrar of Co-operative Societies

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It is with great pleasure that I record my impression of the beautiful condition of this Co-operative Hospital. This pioneer work is well worth being copied and it would be an admirable thing to have such Co-operative Hospitals in every village. I wish this institution all success.

Travancore, 21-4-46.

*Sgd. T. M. Krishnaswamy Aiyer,*  
Chief Justice.

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It gave me very great pleasure to meet my old friends of the Hospital Society once again and discuss the immediate problems of the Hospital with them.

The Society is no longer in need of congratulation! What it needs is emulation — all over Ceylon.

2-2-47.

*Sgd. G. de Soysa,*  
C. C. D.



I was very pleased to have the opportunity of visiting this unique Society and its committee. I must congratulate the people of the area on an unparalleled example of self help. I wish it all success in the future.

Northern Rhodesia.

30-4-47.

Registrar of Co-op. Societies.

Followed Boyd Wilson and can only echo the reactions of visitors general throughout this book. In that it has undertaken a service normally the responsibility of Government it is unusual and in that it is a living monument to the public spirit of its Founders and present administrators—a quite exceptional degree of spirit it is equally unusual. It is on institutions such as this that the dream of Co-operative Commonwealth would be built. I note also that the extension of activities on the preventive side has not been forgotten.

Gold Coast.

9-6-47.

Deputy Registrar.

Along with Mr. R. T. Chari, Secy. to the Representative of Govt. of India, I visited the Co-op. Union Hospital. It is indeed a great experiment in the aspect of Co-operative Movement not very much found in the East. It was a pleasure to see Dr. Chacko and his lieutenants at work with a spirit of sacrifice to make the institution a success. I hope the public in Ceylon and elsewhere will help a great venture of this character.

Sgd. V. V. Giri,  
R. G. I.

19-7-47



It was most inspiring and invigorating to study the working of this novel effort of an Hospital on Co-operative basis. While it owes its origin to the munificence of public spirited gentlemen its success is due to the efficiency of medical services rendered and the enthusiasm of its management. The Share-holders are fortunate in their Directors and their Doctors and I hope that they, in their turn, will respond generously to equip the Hospital with an Operation Theatre and the like and also with more Wards. I leave with the hope that it may be possible for me to get people in Madras Province to emulate this noble example.

Madras,  
8-8-47.

*Sgd. J. C. Ryan,*  
Registrar of Co-op. Societies.

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I visited the Hospital today at the kind invitation of Mr. K. Kanagaratnam, M. P. I am sorry that the visit had to be very brief owing to pressure of time. I was much impressed by all I saw in connection with an experiment that is so unique. The Hospital deserves every encouragement.

2-11-47.

*Sgd. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike,*  
Minister of Health and Local Govt.

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I have been able to visit the Moolai Co-operative Hospital and to meet the Vice-President and other members as well as the medical and nursing staff of this Institution.

I am greatly impressed with the excellent work that is being carried out. The Institution appears to be extremely popular and to serve the needs of a large area. As the Hon'ble Minister has stated in the Entry just above mine. "The Hospital deserves every encouragement."

I wish it every success.

3-12-47.

*Sgd. W. G. Wickremesinghe,*  
A. D. S. S.

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It was particularly interesting to myself, as a Malayan Civil Servant to visit the Moolai Co-operative Hospital and to learn that many of the initial donations and subscriptions had come from Govt. Pensioners and others who had worked in Malaya.

The Hospital started in a modest way and is gradually expanding as funds permit. I was glad to learn that the Directors had in mind schemes for anti-malaria and other preventive measures. I understood from the M. O. that Malaria, Typhoid and Dysentery were all scourges of the neighbourhood and I feel sure that much could be done to eliminate them by propaganda on hygiene.

The philanthropists responsible for this Hospital Scheme are greatly to be congratulated and I feel confident that in a few years, sickness in the area will be greatly reduced as a result of their efforts.

Well done !

*Sgd T. F. Carey,*  
Malayan Civil Service,  
Co-operative Societies Dept.

Kuala Lumpur,  
17-2-48.

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Visited the Hospital to lay the Foundation Stone of the Operating Theatre and the Labour Room. I was shown round the Hospital and wards I was greatly impressed by all that I saw. It was well kept and everything was in A 1 condition. This Hospital is entitled to Government support and assistance.

*Sgd. A. Ratnayake,*  
Minister for Food and  
Co-operative Undertakings.

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A highly encouraging example of the ability of the small man to help himself by Co-operative effort. I hope that in due time the idea embodied in this Hospital will be taken on by other countries, as I am sure, once it is set in its way, it will progress by its own momentum.

Registrar of Co-op. Societies.

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Fiji Islands.  
24-9-49.



This is another of the numerous national institutions which adorn this district. I am exceedingly happy to have had the opportunity of meeting it. It is a unique example of self-help, I congratulate the organisers and the staff on the excellent work they are doing. I shall always remember this day as the day on which I became completely convinced of the possibilities our people are capable of achieving in the field of national service under proper leadership.

I wish this institution all success.

*Sgd. E. A. P. Wijeyaratne,*  
Minister of Home Affairs and Rural  
Development.

15-10-49.

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My wife and I visited this Hospital today and were greatly impressed by this wonderful Co-operative effort. All parts of the Island should emulate this type of work.

We wish this institution every success.

*Sgd. G. Wignaraja*

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I visited the Hospital run on Co-operative lines. This is the first institution I have seen run on Co-operative lines. I am glad the Co-operative movement in Jaffna has moved in this very useful line instead of sticking to merely distribution and hope this good example will be followed in other parts of the Island.

19.11.49.

*Sgd. S. Thondaman,*  
(M. P. N'Elia).

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It is nearly five years since I first visited this Hospital and it is good to see that it has gone as from strength to strength and I have been greatly privileged to unveil the tablet to Dr. Kanagarayar, to whom this Hospital owes so much.

25-1-50.

*Sgd. Soulbury,*

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A unique institution which is rendering a great service to this part of the country. The institution appears to be extremely well maintained and efficiently run. I wish this Hospital every success.

18-3-50.

*Sgd. Richard Aluwihare,*  
I. G. P.

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I was shown round the Institution by Dr. Sampanthan an old student of mine. I was extremely interested in the work that is done here and on the keenness of the Medical Officers who give of their devoted service to the patients that seek their advice and treatment. The great popularity of this Hospital is an indication of the selfless services of the Medical Officers and Staff of this Co-operative institution. There is no doubt of the urgent need of institutions of this kind in other parts of the Island.

*Sgd. J. H. F. Jayasuriya,*  
Senior Surgeon,  
General Hospital,  
Colombo.

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12-9-50.

I am very happy to have had the opportunity of visiting the Moolai Co-operative Hospital after several years and to see the improvements that have been effected to this institution.

I do hope that with the great advancement the Co-operative movement has made during recent years, there would be many more such Co-operative Hospitals coming up all over the Island. This is one of our greatest needs and I am confident that the Co-operative Organisation in the Island would come to our rescue.

I wish the Moolai Co-operative Hospital and all those connected with it all success.

*Sgd. D. S. Senanayake,*  
Prime Minister.

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17-10-50.



I much appreciate the privilege of visiting this unique institution of which I have heard so much. It is obviously a great boon to the area and a splendid advertisement for co-operation. I wish it continued success.

Cyprus,  
2-12-50.

*Sgd. C. R. C. Donald,*  
Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

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I visited the Moolai Co-operative Hospital this morning and was shown round by Mr. C. Ragunathan, the Vice-President. It was interesting to learn that this Hospital was the first Co-operative Hospital to be started in the East. The staff are very justly proud of their achievements and I noticed a fine spirit of service and an ardent desire to promote the interests of the communities served by the Hospital.

I wish the Director (Dr. Chacko) and his staff every success for the future.

19th February, 1951.

*Sgd. A. L. P. Himbury,*  
Representative of the British Council  
in Ceylon.

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Very much interested and impressed by the original co-operative urge which started this organisation and the extraordinary generosity on the part of private donors which, with the enthusiasm of the staff, has made its rapid expansion possible.

Zanzibar.  
25-4-51

*Sgd. Hon. A. P. H. T. Cumming Bruce,*  
Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

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I have much pleasure to have visited this Co-operative Hospital. I am very much impressed and have found that the works carried on here are quite to my most appreciation.

Thanks to the Medical Officers and the staff who have been so kind to take me round to see the place and to explain to me everything.

Moolai, 30th August, 1951.

*Sgd. P. Srivardhana,*  
Registrar of Co-operative Societies,  
Thailand.



It was a real pleasure to have gone round the Hospital with my good friend Mr. K. Kanagaratnam. Both my wife and I were greatly impressed not only by the tremendous co-operative effort that is going into this Institution, but also with the manifold selfless individual efforts which are making it such a success. We wish this Institution a bright future. Best wishes.

2nd Sept. '51.

*Sgd. E. A. Nugawela,*  
Minister of Education, Ceylon.

Visited the Moolai Co-operative Hospital after a few years. I was kindly shown round by the Doctor in Charge, Dr. Chacko and the Managing Committee. I have discussed several points of difficulty they have in running the Hospital with the committee. I was very happy to see that the Hospital was clean and in good sanitary condition and every one keen to the post. I believe the Institution is very efficient. I wish the Managing Committee all success in their work.

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*Sgd. K. Somasundaram,*  
Permanent Secretary to the Minister for  
Food and Co-operative Undertakings.

I am very glad to have been able to visit this Society. It is a truly democratic institution, an unusual and perhaps unique co-operative effort. It deserves every support of the members and the support of Government. I wish the Society all success in its undertakings in the future.

Asst. Registrar,  
Co-op. Societies,  
Sarawak.

There is a great inspiration in seeing a Hospital organised on the basis of a Co-operative Society. Hence I was much impressed by the high standards and the scope of the work undertaken. It will obviously continue to be of great value to its members and others. For me it has been one of the most interesting Co-operative experiments I have ever seen.

19 — 11 — 52

*Sgd. E. B. Loveridge,*  
Expert in C-oop. Adult Education, I. L. O.



I revisit this Hospital after 5 years and I am greatly impressed with the improvements made since. The Moolai Co-operative Hospital is a pioneer Institution. It demonstrates what Co-operation can achieve, even in the direction of Health. It has served the people for nearly 17 years. It has an ambitious programme in front of it. I hope the authorities will be able to help this Institution and achieve its objectives.

18 — 1 — 53.

*Sgd. A. Ratnayake,*  
Minister of Home Affairs,

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I paid a very short visit to the Hospital today. I was very pleased with all that I saw, and especially to find what good work has been done as following the principles of Co-operation.

9th February, 1953.

*Sgd. Hilary A. Monguand. M. P.*  
(Formerly Minister of Health in the U. K.)

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A great Institution of Co-operative Service. I heartily congratulate the President, the Board of Management, the M. O. and his Assistants.

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*Sgd. O. E. Goonetilleke,*

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One thing to note here is that there is always some new development when one returns after a year or so. Moolai Hospital grows with the years and is now well in advance of many institutions fully equipped and run by Government. All the more reason why Government should whenever possible supplement its finance from time to time.

One can always testify to the keenness and efficiency shown at this Institution.

11 — 10 — 53.

*Sgd. S. C. Fernando,*  
Commissioner and Registrar.

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I had the honour to represent the Minister of Health at the Founders' Day Celebrations of the Moolai Co op. Hospital Society.

I was greatly impressed by the unique work undertaken by the Society. The Hospital is an example of what the co-operative effort can achieve. I hope others will follow the good example set by Moolai.

I wish the Institution all success.

23 — 10 — 53.


*Sgd Cyril E. Attygalle.*

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I had the great privilege of visiting this great Institution. This is truly a remarkable Institute in every way. May Ishwara help the Institute in every way for the future.

23 — 10 — 53.

*Sgd. N. Manicka Idaiyadar,*  
Director of Food Production.





# எங்கள் ஆஸ்பத்திரி நிதிக்கு

ஸ்ரீ சிவாஜி கணேசன்  
நாடக மூலம் ஆற்றிய தொண்டு

பிரபல சினிமா நடிகர் திரு சிவாஜி கணேசன் மூளாய் கூட்டுறவு ஆஸ்பத்திரியில் புதிய வார்டு ஒன்றைக் கட்ட நிதி உதவி செய்யும் முகமாக யாழ்ப்பாணம் நகர மண்டபத்தில் கடந்த அக்டோபர் மாதம் 28-ந் திகதி புதன்கிழமை யன்று தமது கோஷ்டியாருடன் "என் நங்கை" என்ற நாடகத்தை நடத்தார்.

நாடக முடிவில் மூளாய் ஆஸ்பத்திரிச் சபைத் தலைவர் திரு எம் சங்கரப் பிள்ளை திரு கணேசனின் பேரவையைப் பாராட்டினார். 'திரு. கணேசனே ஒரு நடிகர் என்ற அளவில் மட்டும்தான் நாம் அறிந்திருந்தோம். ஆனால் அவர் நடிகர் மட்டுமல்ல, தமிழ் மக்களுக்காக பணி புரிவதில் பற்றுடையவரும் சிறந்த அறிவாச்சியுமாவர் என்பதை இப்பொழுது தெரிந்து கொண்டோம்' என்றும் அவர் சொன்னார்.

திரு. சிவாஜி கணேசன் தமக்கு அளிக்கப்பட்ட வரவேற்புக்கு நன்றி தெரிவித்து, 'நாடகக்கலையை ரசிப்பதில் உங்களுக்கிருக்கும் ஆர்வத்தை நான்

தமிழகத்தில் உள்ள ஏனைய நடிக நண்பர்களிடமும் எடுத்துக் கூறிப் பெருமைப் படுவேன்' என்றார்.

சுமார் மூன்று மணி நேரமாக நடைபெற்ற இந் நாடகத்தைப் பற்றாற்றுக் கணக்கான மக்கள் கண்டு களித்தனர்.

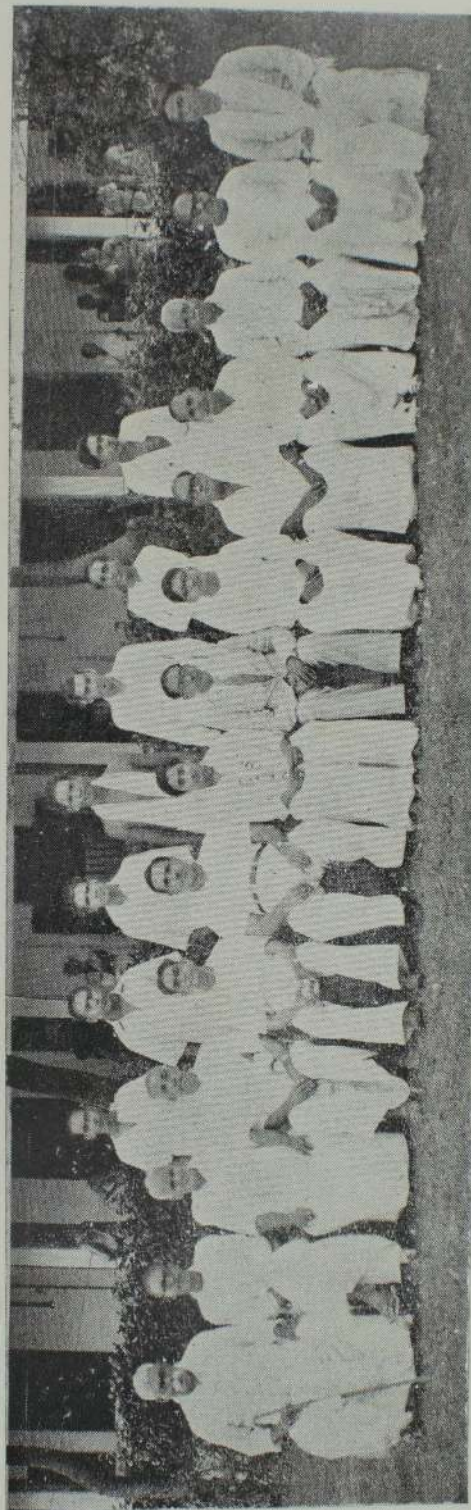
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பலர் விபரம் நிலையத்தில்  
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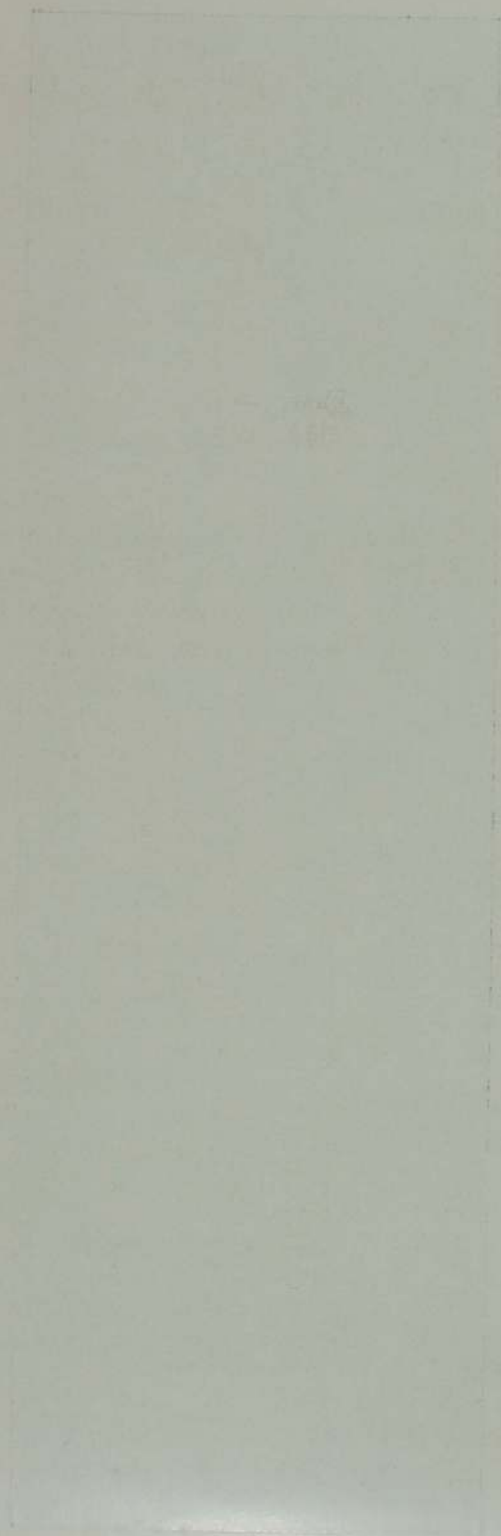






SIVAJI GANESHAN WITH SOME HOSPITAL FRIENDS







## ஐக்கிய சங்க ஆசுபத்திரித் தொண்டின் ஆரம்ப முயற்சிகள்

ஸ்ரீமான் K. கனகாத்தினம் அவர்கள் 21-10-53 ல்  
இலங்கை நேடியோனில் நிகழ்த்திய சொற்பொழிவு.

இன்று உலகெங்கும் நிகழ்ந்து வரும் வாழ்க்கை முறை மாற்றங்களை உருவாக்குவதில் ஐக்கிய சங்க இயக்கம் வலிமை வாய்ந்த ஓர் ஜீவசக்திச் சாதனமாய் இலங்குகின்றது.

தனக்கென வாழும் பூர்வ வாழ்க்கை முறை பெரும்பாலும் குறைந்து, கூட்டுறவு வாழ்க்கை முறை உலகிடை மலர்ச்சி பெற்று வருகின்றது. பொருளாதாரக் காரணங்களால்தான் இச்சிறந்த மாற்றம் உண்டாகி வருகின்றது.

செல்வம் பெருக்குவது ஒன்றினையே குறிக்கோளாகக்கொண்ட சுயநல மனிதனது பேராசை; சமூகத்தில் உரிமைப் பேறு அற்றுத் தாழ்வுற்றுக் கிடந்த ஏழைகளை அடம்பண்ணி அடிமைப் படுத்தும் புன்மைகளை வளரச் செய்தது.

100 க்கு 80 வீதம் கிராமங்களிலே தான் பொதுமக்கள் வாழுகின்றனர். கிராம வாழ்க்கையின் முதுகெலும்பு எனத் திகழ்பவர் ஏழைப் பொதுமக்களே. அவர்களுக்கு நன்மை செய்வார் போன்று நடத்து, அவர்களுடைய உழைப்பின் பயனையெல்லாம் உறிஞ்சி வந்த வகுப்பாருருண்டு. நயவஞ்சக முறையில் பணம் தொகுக்கும் புன்மை, கிராமங்களிலேதான் தனது கோரக் காட்சியைக் காட்டியது. இக்

கொடிய நஞ்சுத் தன்மையைக் கிராமிய வாழ்விலிருந்து நீக்குவதற்காகவே கூட்டுறவு இயக்கம் உலகிடை எழலாயிற்று.

1911 ம் ஆண்டின் 7 ம் இலக்கச் சட்டமாகிய ஐக்கிய நாணய சங்கச் சட்டப் பிரகடனத்தோடுதான் இலங்கையிலே இவ்வியக்கம் உண்மையில் வேலை செய்யத் தொடங்கியது.

கிராமங்களிலே புள்ள ஏழைக் கமக்காரரும் சிறு விடாபாரிகளும் தங்கள் தொழில்களின் பொருட்டு அதிக வட்டிக்குக் கடனைடுத்து அல்லற்பட்டு உழலாமல், அவர்களுக்கு இலேசான வட்டிக்குக் கடன்கொடுத்து உதவும் நோக்கத்துடனேயே இந்நாட்டில் இவ்வியக்கம் ஆரம்பிக்கப்பட்டது.

கூட்டுறவு இயக்கத்தின் இலட்சியம் மக்களிடத்து நல்லொழுக்கம் நேர்மைத்திறம் முதலிய சிலங்களை வற்புறுத்தியது அதன் விளைவாக இவ்வியக்கத்தில் ஈர்க்கப்பட்டோர் அனைவரும் நாணயமாக நடந்து கொள்ளும் நற்பண்பில் உயர்ந்தனர் என்று திடமாகச் சொல்லலாம்.

டொனமூர்த் திட்டத்தின் விளைவாக நாடு முன்னேற்றம் அடையத் தொடங்கியதும், கூட்டுறவு இயக்கமும் வளர்ச்சி யடைந்து நாட்டு விரும்பு



தியின் பல துறைகளிலும் தொழில்  
களிலும் பரந்து பயன் அளிக்கத் தொ  
டங்கியது.

ஐக்கிய சங்க இலாகா அதிபரின்  
சென்ற ஆண்டு அறிக்கையின்படி,  
இப்போது இந்நாட்டில் 77 விதமான  
கூட்டுறவுச் சங்கங்கள் இருக்கின்றன.  
சிறு சிறு ஐக்கிய நாணயச் சங்கங்கள்  
தொடக்கமாக பெரிய பெரிய மாகாண  
ஐக்கிய வங்கிகளோடு மாகாணச்  
சமஷ்டி வங்கி ஈடுக ஐக்கிய சங்க  
ஸ்தாபனங்கள் வளர்ந்து இருக்கின்றன.

மாகாணச் சமஷ்டி ஐக்கிய வங்கி  
யானது, 1949 ம் ஆண்டின் 58 ம்  
இலக்கச் சட்டத்தின்கீழ், ஏனைய வியா  
பார வங்கிகளைப் போன்றதோர் சகல  
உரிமைகளும் பெற்ற, சட்டபூர்வமான,  
வியாபார வங்கியாய்த் திகழ்வது குறிப்  
பிடத் தக்கது. சமூகநலம் தேசிய  
நலம் கருதிய பாடசாலைக் கூட்டுறவுச்  
சங்கங்கள் மகளிர் முன்னேற்ற ஸ்தா  
பனங்கள் முதலிய நவீன சங்கங்களும்  
இவ்வியக்கத்தின் விளைவாக நாட்டில்  
எழுந்துள்ளன.

எங்கள் நாட்டிலுள்ள ஐக்கிய  
சங்கங்களின் தொகை 82.59. அவற்  
றின் வகை 77. பெருந்தேசமாகிய  
இந்தியாவில் சங்கங்களின் தொகை  
250,000 ஆனால் அவற்றின் வகை  
40 மட்டுமே, இதனால் பெறப்படுவது  
என்னவெனில், இந்தியாவிலும் பார்க்க  
இந்த நாட்டில் இவ்வியக்கமானது  
எல்லா வகுப்பு மக்களிடத்தும் எல்  
லாத் துறைகளிலும் அதிகமான வியா  
பகம் பெற்றுக்கின்றது என்பதுவே  
யாகும்.

சென்ற யுத்தம் நடந்து கொண்  
டிருக்கும்போது, நாட்டில் போதிய  
உணவு இல்லாதிருந்தது. கிடைத்த  
உணவை நீதியான முறையில் நாடு  
முழுமைக்கும் பங்கிடு செய்யும் முயற்  
சியில் கூட்டுறவு இயக்கத்தின் திறமை  
பரீட்சிக்கப்பட்டது. நுகர்வோர் சங்  
கங்களை ஸ்தாபித்து, அவை வாயிலாக  
மக்களுக்கு உணவுப் பொருள்களைப்  
பங்கிடு செய்தமையால் அல்லவா,  
உணவுப் பங்கிட்டுப் பிரச்சனையை அரசாங்கம்  
திருப்திகரமாகவும் வெற்றி  
கரமாகவும் தீர்த்துக்கொள்ளக் கூடிய  
தாக இருந்தது. கூட்டுறவு இயக்கத்  
தின் மகத்தான ஒரு வெற்றியை  
இங்கு கண்டோம்.

பிரிந்தானிய சாம்ராச்சியத்திலுள்ள  
பதினாறு ஐக்கிய சங்க பரிபாலன  
இலாகா அதிபர்களுள், பன்னிருவர்,  
யுத்தத்திற்குப் பின்பு, இந்நாட்டுக் கூட்  
டுறவு இயக்கத்தின் நிர்வாக பரிபா  
லன முறைகளைப் பார்த்துப் பயன்  
பெற வந்திருக்கின்றனர் என்றால், எங்  
கள் இயக்கத்தின் வெற்றியும் புகழும்  
உலகப் பிரசித்தமானவை என்பது  
சொல்லவும் வேண்டுமா?

கூட்டுறவு இயக்கத்தை உலகம்  
புகழும் முறையில் வளர்த்து வரும்  
எங்கள் அரசாங்கத்திற்குப் பாராட்டு  
மிக மிக உரியதே யெனினும், ஐக்கிய  
சங்க வாயிலாக ஆஸ்பத்திரித் தொண்  
டும் செய்யலாமென்ற நம்பிக்கையும்  
துணிவும் யுத்தியிற் சிறந்த யாழ்ப்பா  
ணத்தில்தான் முதன்முதல் உதயமா  
யினவாகையால், இத்துறையில் புது  
வழி கண்ட பெருமையும் உரிமையும்  
யாழ்ப்பாண மக்களுக்கே உரியன.



உண்மையான கூட்டுறவு வாதிகள் உறையும் இடம் யாழ்ப்பாணக் குடாநாடே என்றும், பல நிலை மக்களிடத்தும் பலதுறை முயற்சிகளிலும் கூட்டுறவு முறை அதிகப்படியான வியாபகம் பெற்றிருப்பது யாழ்ப்பாணத்திலேயே என்றும் ஐக்கிய சங்க இலாகாத் தலைமை உத்தியோகத்தார்களுள் ஒருவர் அண்மையில் குறிப்பிட்டிருக்கின்றார்.

ஐக்கியசங்க இலாகாவின் முன்னாள் மந்திரியார் ஒருவர், இலங்கையில் மிகச் சிறந்த கூட்டுறவு வாதிகள் யாழ்ப்பாணத்தவரே என்று வாயாரப் புகழ்ந்து இருக்கிறார். இவையாவும் வெறும் புகழ்ச்சியன்று. உண்மைப் புகழ்களே.

இந்நாட்டில் இவ்வியக்கம் தொடங்கிய காலம் தொட்டு, யாழ்ப்பாணமே கூட்டுறவு முயற்சிகளின் பிரதான தளமாக இருந்து வந்திருக்கின்றது. யாழ்ப்பாணத்தின் மேற்குப் பாகத்திலுள்ள தொல்புரம், மூளாய், சுளிபுரம் ஆகிய கிராமங்கள் நெடுநாளாக இம்முயற்சிகளில் பெரும் பங்கு எடுத்து உழைத்து வந்திருக்கின்றன.

கூட்டுறவு முயற்சிகளில் அநுபவமும் ஆர்வமும் படைத்த இக்கிராமங்களிலே யுள்ள-மலையாவில் உத்தியோகம் பார்த்து ஓய்வு பெற்ற சில பெருமக்களும் உள்ளூர்ப் பெரும் பிரமுகர்களும் ஒரு புதுத்துறையில் உழைக்க எண்ணலாயினர். கூட்டுறவு முறையில் ஆஸ்பத்திரித் தொண்டு செய்தல் வேண்டும் என்பதே அவ்வெண்ணமாகும். இவ்வெண்ணம் உதிக்கும்

போது அந்த வட்டாரத்தில் 35 பலதுறைப்பட்ட ஐக்கிய சங்கங்களும் அவைதமக்கு நிதியுற்றும் அமைந்தவொரு பிணைப்புச் சங்கமும் இருந்தன என்பதும் குறிப்பிடத் தக்கது.

1935 ம் ஆண்டு மாசி மாதத்திலே, மேலே குறிக்கப்பட்ட பெருமக்களுட் சிலர் தம்முள் கூடி ஆலோசித்து, ஆரம்பப்படியாக ஒரு ஐக்கிய சங்க மருந்துச்சாலை நடாத்துவதாக முடிவு செய்தனர். மலையாவிலிருந்து வந்திருந்த ஒரு பிரபலம் வாய்ந்த டாக்டர்த்தர் வேதனம் பெருது இம் மருந்துச் சாலையில் கடமையாற்ற உடன்பட்டார். இரண்டு மலையன் அப்போதிக்கரி மாரும் இலவசத் தொண்டு செய்ய முன் வந்தனர்.

1935 ம் ஆண்டு ஆனிமாதத்தில் மேலே குறிக்கப்பட்ட கிராமங்களிலும் பண்ணாகத்திலுமுள்ள 31 பிரமுகர்கள் கூடிய ஒரு ரொதுக் கூட்டத்திலே, இவ்வரிய கைங்கரியத்தை உடனே நடைமுறையில் கொண்டுவர வேண்டுமென்று தீர்மானித்தனர். வாடகைக்கு வீடு ஒன்று உடனே எடுக்கப்பட்டது. ரூபா 750 கடனாகத் திரட்டவும் பட்டது.

1935 ம் ஆண்டு ஐப்பசி (October) 24 ம் திகதியன்று தொல்புரத்திலே கபமுகூர்த்தத்திலே இம்மருந்துச் சாலை நிறுவப்பட்டது. 1936 ம் ஆண்டு சித்திரை (ஏப்பிரில்) மாதம் 4 ம் திகதியில் சங்கம் பதிவு செய்யப்பட்டது.

சமூக நன்மையின் பொருட்டு ஐக்கிய சங்க முறையில் மருத்துவத்



தொண்டு செய்யும் ஸ்தாபனத்தை-  
கிழத்திசை நாடுகளில் எங்கேனும்  
இல்லாத ஒரு அரிய கைங்கரியத்தை  
(சோல்பரீத்திட்டம் வகுத்த நிபுணர்  
களில் ஒருவர் சொல்லியதுபோல்) உல  
கிலேயே இதுவரை சரித்திரம் அறி  
யாத ஒரு புகழமைந்த எத்தனத்தையே  
தாங்கள் ஆரம்பித்து வைப்பதாக,  
அன்று இம் மருந்துச்சாலையை ஸ்தா  
பித்த பெருமக்கள் கனவிலும் கண்  
டார்களில்லை இச்சங்கத்தில் ஆரம்ப  
அங்கத்தவர் தொகை 32. பதிவு செய்  
யும் போதுள்ள தொகை 119. இப்  
பொழுது தொகை 1458.

மருந்துச்சாலை நாளுக்குநாள் வளர்  
பிறைமேன வளர்ந்து பிரபலம் பரந்  
தது. மருந்துக்கு வரும் வேயாளிக  
ளின் தொகையும் வரவர மிகவும்  
அதிகரித்தது.

அங்கத்தவர்களுக்கு வைத்திய  
சோதனை இலவசம். மருந்துக்கும் 10  
வீதம் கழிவு. வீட்டிற்கு டாக்குத்தர்  
மூன்று முறை வேதனமின்றி அழைக்  
கப்படலாம். மும்முறைக்குமேல் ஒவ்  
வொரு முறைக்கும் ஆக ரூபா இரண்  
டே கட்டணம். இவையே அங்கத்  
துவ சகாயங்கள்.

பரீட்சார்த்தமாக ஆரம்பிக்கப்  
பட்ட இக் கைங்கரியம் வெற்றிகர  
மாக நடப்பதைக்கண்ட சங்கத்தார்,  
மருந்துச் சாலையுக்கு ஒரு நிரந்தரமான  
சொந்தக் கட்டிடம் அமைக்கவேண்டு  
மெனத் தீர்மானித்தனர்.

மூளாயிலை தெருவோரமாக ஒரு  
ஏக்கர் நிலத்தை, 1936 ம் ஆண்டு  
ஐப்பசி மாதத்தில் ரூபா 1435 க்கு

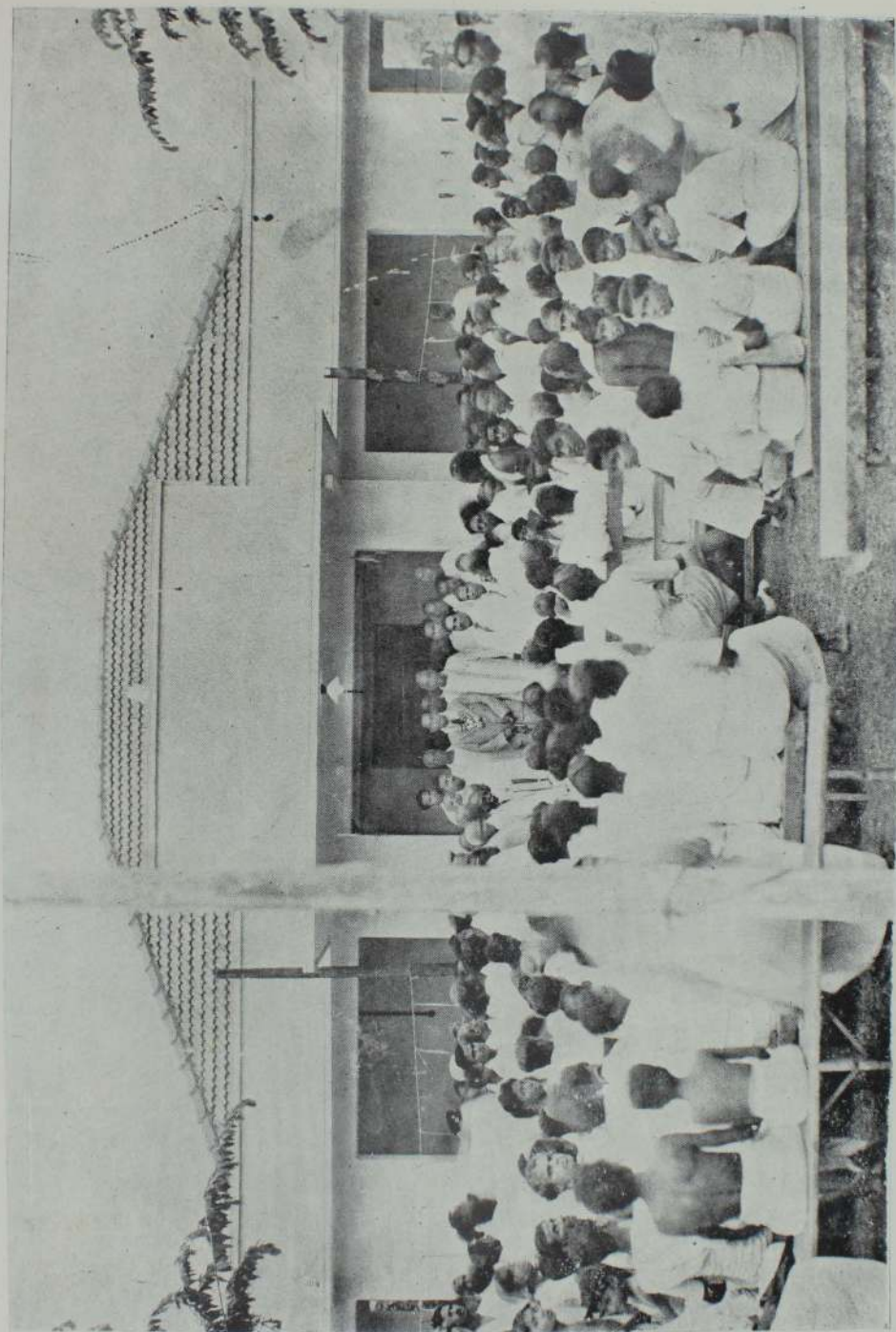
வாங்கி, மருந்துச்சாலையும் நிர்வாக  
நிலையமும் அடங்கத்தக்கதான ஒரு  
கட்டிடத்திற்கு, 1937 ம் ஆண்டு  
ஆவணி மாதத்தில் அஸ்திபாரமும்  
இடப்பட்டது. ரூபா 5911 செலவில்  
இக் கட்டிடம் முடிக்கப்பட்டு, 1938 ம்  
ஆண்டு ஆவணி மாதத்தில் பயன்படுத்  
தப்பட்டது.

1937 ம் ஆண்டு சித்திரை மாதத்  
தை முடிவாகக் கொண்ட ஒரு வருட  
எல்லைக்குள் 5321 துண்டுகளுக்கு  
மருந்து கொடுத்திருப்பதாகவும், 295  
தடவை அங்கத்தவர் இல்லங்களுக்கு  
டாக்குத்தர் அழைக்கப்பட்டிருப்பதாக  
வும் மருந்துச்சாலைப் புத்தகங்கள்  
கணக்குக் காட்டுகின்றன. அவ்வாண்  
டில் சுத்தலாபமாக ரூபா 1024 கிடைத்  
தது இவ்வெற்றிகரமான வளர்ச்சி  
யைக் கண்ட சங்கத்தார், இம் மருந்  
துச் சாலையைச் சிறந்த சாதனங்களை  
புடைய ஆகபத்திரியாக மாற்றும் எத்  
தனத்தில் இறங்கவேண்டுமென்று மன  
எழுச்சி கொண்டனர்.

இலங்கையிலும் மலேயாவிலும்  
அநுதாபிகளிடமிருந்து நிதி சேர்ப்ப  
தற்கு ஒரு கிட்டம் வகுக்கப்பட்டது.  
நிதியும் திரண்டது. அதனைக்கொண்டு  
ஒரு நாலு அறை வாட்டும், டாக்குத்த  
ருக்கு வீறும், நிறசில கட்டிடங்களும்  
அமைக்கப் பட்டன. இவை ரூபா  
10,416 செலவில் 1940 ம் ஆண்டில்  
கட்டி முடிக்கப்பட்டன.

அயற்கிராமங்களி லிருந்தும் ஆச  
பத்திரிக்கு நோயாளிகள் பெருந்தொகை  
யாக வரத் தொடங்கினர். ஆகையால்  
அடுத்துள்ள மூன்று கிராமங்களைச்  
சங்கத்தில் சேர்த்துக்கொள்ள வேண்





A gathering in front of the Operation Theatre when it was opened by the Hon. Mr. S. W. R. D. Bandaranaike, Minister for Health, on 6-3-50.







டி.ப. அவசியம் அப்போது ஏற்பட்டது. இன்றைக்கு 50,000 மக்கள் வாழும் பத்துக் கிராமங்களுக்கு இவ்வாசுபத்திரியின் சேவா உரிமை வாய்த் திருக்கின்றது.

இவ்வாறு சிறப்பாக ஆசுபத்திரி வளர்ந்து கொண்டு வரும் வேளையில், மலையாலில் தோட்ட முதலாளியாய் இருந்தவரும் வட்டுக்கோட்டை வாசிய மாகிய ஒரு தனவந்தர் இச்சங்கத்தின் தலைவரானார். ஆர்வமிக்க அவரது நன் கொடையால் ஏழைகளின் பொருட்டு ஒரு சிறந்த வட்ட கட்டப்பட்டது.

1942 ம் ஆண்டிலே, மலையாலில் உத்தியோகம் பார்த்துக் கொண்டிருந்த டாக்டர்தர் ஒருவர் யுத்த ஆபத்துக் காரணமாக மலையாலிற்குத் திரும்பிப் போக முடியாத சங்கடத்தில் சிக்கிக் கொண்டதன் விளைவாக, இவ்வாசுபத்திரிக்கு அதிஷ்டம் நேர்ந்தது. அவர் சங்கத்தின் தலைவரானார். அவருடைய தலைமையில் ஆசுபத்திரி தீவிரமான வளர்ச்சி அடைந்தது என்பதைப் பெருமையோடு குறிப்பிடலாம். 23 ஆண்டுகளாகப் பிறிதோர் ஆசுபத்திரியில் அருந்தொண்டாற்றிப் பெரும் புகழ் படைத்த டாக்டர்தர் ஒருவருடைய சேவையை இவ்வாசுபத்திரிக்குப் பயன்படுத்திக் கொள்ளக்கூடிய சந்தர்ப்பமும் அப்போது நேர்ந்தது. அதனை நழுவ விடாமல் தலைவர் பயன்படுத்திக் கொண்டமையால் அந்த டாக்டர்தரின் சேவை கிடைத்தது. அவரது வருகையால் ஆசுபத்திரியின் வளர்ச்சி மிகுந்த வேகம் அடைந்தது. இந்த வேளையில், அரசாங்க சேவையிலிருந்த இரண்டு வாலிப டாக்டர்தர்

கள், தொண்டுணர்ச்சியால் உந்தப்பட்டு, அரசாங்க சேவையைத் துறந்து இவ்வாசுபத்திரியில் சேர்ந்தமையாலும், ஸ்தாபனத்தின் புகழ் ஓங்கி வளர்ந்தது. இவர்களுள் ஒருவரை இச்சங்கம் இங்கிலாந்திற்கு அனுப்பி உயர்ந்த கல்வியும் பயிற்சியும் பெற வைத்ததன் விளைவாக அவர் F. R. F. P. & S., F. R. C. S என்னும் சிறந்த பட்டங்களோடு மீளலாயினர்.

1944 ம் ஆண்டு ஆடி மாதத்தில், ஆறு அறைகள் கொண்ட மற்றொரு சிறிய வட்ட கட்டி முடிக்கப்பட்டது. விரைவில் பிற கட்டிடங்களும் எழுந்தன. 1950 ம் ஆண்டு ஏப்பிரில் மாதம் முடியுமுன் ரூபா 104,727 பெறுமதியான கட்டிடங்கள் தோன்றிவிட்டன. அவற்றுள் பிரசவ வட்டும், உதவி டாக்டர்தரின் வீடும், மின்சார சக்தி ஊற்று நிலையமும் குறிப்பிடத்தக்கன. இவையாவும் நன்கொடைப் பணமும் இலாபப் பணமும் கொண்டே கட்டப்பட்டன.

ஆரம்பித்த காலம் தொடக்கமாக நன் மக்களுடைய ஆதரவாலும் ஸ்தாபன இலாபத்தாலுமே, நடந்தவந்த இவ்வாசுபத்திரி, 1943 ம் ஆண்டிலேதான் முதன் முதலாக அரசாங்க ஆதரவை நாடியது. ஏழைகளுக்கு வைத்திய சேவை இலவசமாக அளிக்க வேண்டிய கடமை அரசாங்கத்தின் தாகையால், அந்தப் பொறுப்பை ஓரளவில் ஆற்றி வரும் இவ்வாசுபத்திரி அரசாங்க ஆதரவை நாடியது பொருத்தமே. அந்த காலத்தில் இருந்த சுகாதார மந்திரியார் 1944 ம் ஆண்டில் வருடமொன்றுக்கு ரூபா 500 வீதம் அரசாங்க உதவியி



னைப் பெற்றுக் கொடுத்தார். 45, 46, 47 ம் ஆண்டுகளில் இவ்வுதவி ரூபா 2500 ஆக உயர்ந்தது.

இச் சங்கத்தின் தலைவராகக் கடமை மாற்றும் பேறு அடியேனுக்கு 1946 ம் ஆண்டில் கிடைத்தது. 1947 ம் ஆண்டில், வட்டுக்கோட்டைப் பாராளுமன்றப் பிரதிநிதியாகும் பேறும் கிடைத்தது. அப்போதிருந்த சுகாதார மந்திரியார் எனது வேண்டு கோளுக்கிசைந்து 1947 லும் 1948 லும் இவ்வாசுபத்திரியைப் பார்வையிட்டு, அது ஆற்றிவரும் அரிய சேவையை நேர்முகமாக அறிந்து கொண்டனர். அதன் விளைவாக வருடா வருட உதவிப் பணம் ரூபா 15,000 ஆக உயர்ந்தது. ஃப்டிடங்களின் பொருட்டு, ஒரு இலட்சம் ரூபா வீசேட நன்கொடையும் அரசாங்கத்திலிருந்து கிடைத்தது. இவ்வரிய நன்கொடையால் சத்திரவைத்திய நிலையமும் தாதிமார் இல்லமும் கட்டடக்கூடியதாக இருந்தது. இக்கட்டடங்களின் முழுச் செலவு ரூபா 152,400.

இச் சங்கத்தின் முன்னாள் தலைவர் ஒரு வருடைய வேண்டுகோளுக்கிசைந்து மூளாய் வாசியும் கொழும்பில் பிரபல வர்த்தகராய்த் திகழ்வருமாகிய பெருமகன் ஒருவரால் ரூபா 55,000 செலவில் பிரசவ நிலையம் ஒன்று கட்டப்பட்டது.

இன்றைக்கு ஆஸ்பத்திரியின் சொத்து முழுவதும் ரூபா 5 லட்சம் மதிப்பிடத் தக்க நிலையில் இருக்கிறது என்பதைப் பெருமிதத்தோடு குறிப்பிடலாம். இப்பொழுது ஆஸ்பத்திரியிலுள்ள சேவையாளரின் விபரம் பின் வருமாறு :

- 4 டாக்ருத்தர்கள், இவர்களுள் ஒருவர் பெண், மூவர் இங்கிலாந்தில் பட்டமும் பயிற்சியும் பெற்றவர்,
- 7 அப்போதிக்கரிமார்,
- 1 ஆராய்ச்சிச்சாலை உதவியாளர்,
- 1 தலைமைத் தாதி.
- 1 உதவித் தலைமைத் தாதி.
- 22 தாதிமார்.
- 17 ஓடலிமார்.

நிர்வாக உத்தியோகத்தார்கள் :

- 1 காரியதரிசி, 1 நிதிநிர்வாகி,
- 2 எழுத்தாளர், 1 கருவிப் பொறுப்பாளர், 1 சிறுப்பர், ஏனைய ஏவலாளர்கள்.

ஆஸ்பத்திரியில் இப்போது 50 அறைகளும் 4 திறந்த வாட்டுகளும் உண்டு. இவற்றிலே 100 நோயாளிகளுக்கு இடமுண்டு.

அங்கத்தவர்களுக்கு மட்டுமே யென்று ஆரம்பிக்கப் பட்ட இவ் வந்தாபணம் காலக்கிரமத்தில் அதனுடைய சேவைத்திறனால் யாழ்ப்பாணத்தின் எல்லாப் பகுதிகளிலிருந்தும் நோயாளிகளை ஈர்க்கத் தொடங்கியது. 1952ம் ஆண்டிலே சிகிச்சை பெற்றோர் விபரம் வருமாறு : வெளியேயிருந்து சிகிச்சை பெற்றோர் தொகை 15094. இவர்களுள் அங்கத்தவர் அல்லாதவர் 12428. உள்ளேயிருந்து சிகிச்சை பெற்றோர் தொகை 3679. இவர்களுள் அங்கத்தவர் அல்லாதவர் 3243. அங்கத்தவர்களுக்குக் கிடைக்கும் சகாயம் 100 க்கு 20 வீதம் கழிவு, அறை வாடகையில், நாளொன்றுக்கு 50 சதம் குறைவு யாழ்ப்பாணத்தில் மிகக் குறைவான



கட்டணத்தில் வைத்திய சிகிச்சை கிடைக்குமிடம் இதுவேயென்று சொல்லலாம்

1952 ம் ஆண்டில் 389 பிரசவங்கள் நிகழ்த்தியிருக்கின்றன. 63 பெரிய சத்திர சிகிச்சைகளும், 1239 சிறிய சத்திர சிகிச்சைகளும் நடந்திருக்கின்றன. பிரசவ வகையில் 5.9 வீதமும், ஏனைய வகையில் 3.07 வீதமுமே மரணங்கள் சம்பவித்திருக்கின்றன.

நாட்டு மக்களின் பழக்க வழக்கங்களை அறியுமாறு நடப்பதே இவ்வாசுபத்திரியின் தனிச் சிறப்பு. நோயின் தன்மை, நோயாளியின் நிலைமை பற்றி டாக்டர்தான் தடை விதித்தாலொழிய, நோயாளிகளை அவர்களுடைய உற்றார் உறவினர் எந்த நேரத்திலும் வந்து பார்த்துப் போகவும், தங்கிப் போகவும் செலாகியும் உண்டு. இதனால் நோயாளிக்குத் தனிமைச் சஞ்சலம் இலதாகின்றது. வீட்டிலே இருப்பது போல், அன்புக்குரியவர் மத்தியில் இருக்கும் வாய்ப்புக் கிடைக்கின்றது. இவ்வாறு உற்றார் உறவினர் தடையின்றி வந்து போவதால் நோயாளிக்கு ஒருவகையான மன ஆறுதலும் உற்சாகமும் ஏற்பட்டு, நோய் நீங்கும் துரிதப்படுவதை அநுபவத்தில் கண்டுள்ளோம். ஆனால் வைத்தியர் அபிப்பிராயம் இது விஷயத்தில் வித்தியாசமாய் இருக்கக் கூடும்.

நோயாளிக்கு உணவு ஆசுபத்திரிக் கணக்கில் கொடுப்பதில்லை. ஆனால் ஒவ்வொரு அறக்கும் சமையல்கட்டு உண்டு. நியாயமான விலைக்கு விரும்பிய பொருள்களை வாங்கிக் கொள்வதற்கு ஒரு கண்டினும் (Canteen) உண்டு.

ஐக்கிய சங்க முறையில் முதன் முதல் வித்திட்டு வளர்த்தெடுத்த ஆஸ்பத்திரிக் கைங்கரியத்தின் 18 ஆண்டுச் சரித்திரத்தின் சுருக்கத்தை மேலே சொன்னோம். இரண்டு கவர்னர் ஜெனரல், 8 மந்திரிமார், இன்னும் அநேக பிரமுகர்கள் காலத்திற்குக் காலம் இந்த ஸ்தாபனத்திற்கு விஜயம் செய்திருக்கின்றனர்.

இதன் பெருமையைப் பாராட்டி ஆஸ்பத்திரிப் புத்தகங்களில் முதன் முதல் எழுதி வைக்கும் உரிமை காலஞ் சென்ற எங்கள் மதிப்பிற்குரிய பிரதமர் டி. எஸ். சேனாயாக அவர்களுக்கே வாய்த்தது. அவர் 1950 ம் ஆண்டில் விஜயஞ் செய்தபோது இதன் தீவிரமான வளர்ச்சியைக் கண்டு மிகவும் வியப்புற்றார். உலகத்தின் பலபாகங்களிலுமிருந்து - உதாரணமாக,

Uganda, Fiji, Sarawak, Sudan, Nepal, Indonesia, India, Gold Coast, Malaya, Cyprus, Thailand, Hong-Kong முதலிய தேசங்களிலிருந்து பலர் இங்கு வந்து இத்தாபனம் எவ்வாறு கடைபிற்றுக்கிறது என்பதைப் பார்த்துப் போய்த் தங்கள் தங்கள் நாடுகளிலும் இத்தகைய ஸ்தாபனம் நிறுவுவதற்கு வேண்டிய அறிவைப் பெற்றுச் சென்றிருக்கின்றனர்.

இந்நாட்டுப் பத்திரிகைகளும் கூட்டுறவு இலாகா அதிகாரிகளும் காலத்திற்குக் காலம் இத்தாபனத்திற்கு மிக்க மகிழ்ச்சியோடு புகழ் மாலைகள் சூட்டியிருக்கின்றனர். மூளையை முன் மாதிரியாக வைத்துக்கொண்டு மாததை, பண்டாரவளை, சஸ்டலன் காவை, கழுத்துறை, குருநாக்கல் முத



விய இடங்களிலும் ஐக்கிய சங்க ஆஸ்பத்திரிகள் ஸ்தாபிக்கப்பட்டிருக்கின்றன.

தெல்லிப்பழை ஐக்கிய சங்க வைத்தியசாலை இப்போது ஒரு சிறு மருந்துச் சாலைபாக ஆரம்பிக்கப்பட்டுள்ள தெலினும், 5 டீசம் ரூபா பெறுமதியான ஆஸ்பத்திரிக் கட்டிடத் திட்டமொன்றை உருவாக்கியுள்ளது. கண்டி, நீர்கொழும்பு, குளியாப்பிட்டி, முதலிய இடங்களிலும் இத்தகைய வ்தாபனம் நிறுவுவதற்கு முயற்சிகள் நடைபெறுகின்றன.

ஐக்கிய சங்க ஆஸ்பத்திரி கொழும்பிலே தான் மிகவும் அவசியம் தேவை, ஆனால் கட்டிடமின்மையால் முயற்சிகை கூடவில்லை. எனினும் இவ்வாண்டு முடிவதற்குள் ஒரு மருந்துச்சாலையாகுதல் ஸ்தாபிதமாகுமெனச் சொல்லப்படுகிறது. இந்தத் துறையில் புதிதாக உழைக்க முன்வரும் யாவர்க்கும் ஒரு எச்சரிக்கை செய்ய விரும்புகின்றேன். பொதுமக்களுடைய ஆதரவில் எழும் எந்த இயக்கமும் மெல்ல மெல்லத் தான் வலிமை பெறும். ஆகையால் பொறுமை வேண்டும். நினைத்த அள

வில் இத்தகைய வ்தாபனங்களை நிறுவி விடலாம் என்று நினைத்தலாகாது.

18 ஆண்டுகளாகப் படிப்படியாய் வளர்ச்சியுற்ற மூளாய் ஸ்தாபனம் எல்லோர்க்கும் சிறந்த ஓர் உதாரணமாக விளங்குகின்றது. அதன் தேவைகளோ இன்னும் பலவுள. அவற்றைப் பூர்த்தி செய்வதற்குப் பெரும் பொருள் வேண்டும்.

ஆஸ்பத்திரிச் சங்கத் தலைவரும், பரிபாலன சபையாரும், டாக்டர்த்தர்மாரும் இம் மாதம் 24 ம் திகதியாகிய ஸ்தாபகர் திருநாட் கொண்டாட்டத்தை ஓட்டிப் பண உதவி அளித்திடுமாறு எல்லோர்க்கும் விண்ணப்பம் செய்திருக்கின்றனர்.

அங்கத்தவர்கள், அங்கத்துவ விளைவாகத் தமக்குக் கிடைக்கும் இலாபத்தை யெல்லாம் ஆஸ்பத்திரிக்கே அர்ப்பணம் செய்து வருவது போல, அபிமானிகள் அனைவரும் தங்கள் தங்களாவியன்ற உதவியை அளித்து எங்கள் அரிய கைங்கரியத்தைச் செழிக்கச் செய்வர் என நம்புகின்றேன்.

வணக்கம்.





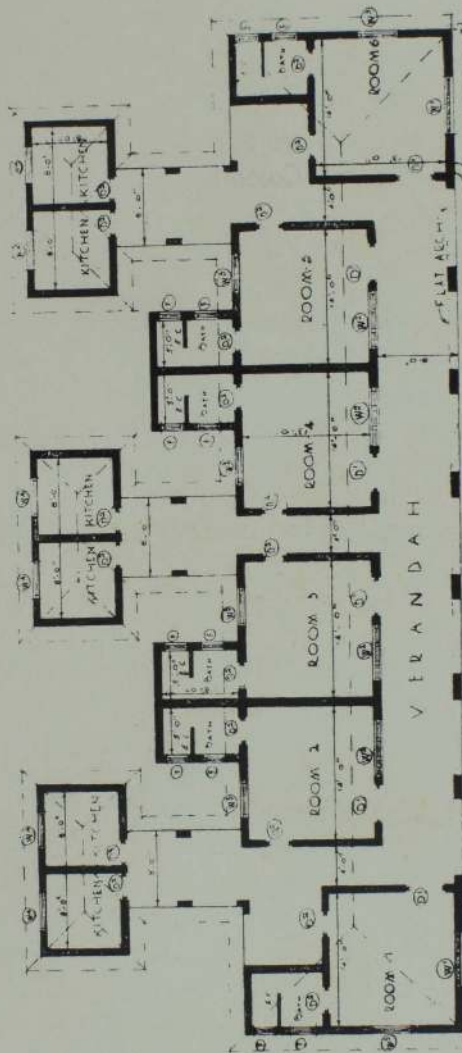




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- (4) Glazed Window 6'-0" x 4'-6" with grill work
- (5) Glazed Window 4'-0" x 4'-6" with grill work
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| „ M. R. Kandiah,                      | 601, Galle Road, Mt. Lavinia.        | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
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| Messrs. Chettinad Corporation Ltd.,       | 16-118, Keyzer Street, Colombo.     | 250 00                         | 250 00                     |
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| Mrs.       | V. Kanapathippillai,  | Moolai Road,                  | 50 00                |                  |
| Mr.        | K. Thillainathan,     | Moolai Road,                  | 20 00                |                  |
| "          | R. Selvadurai,        | Moolai Road,                  | 25 00                |                  |
| "          | R. Coomaraswamy,      | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai      | 10 00                |                  |
| "          | V. Sathasivam,        | Moolai Road,                  | 10 00                |                  |



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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Mr. N. Ehamparam,           | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai.              | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| „ Navaratnam,               | „ „ „                                  | 25 00                          |                            |
| Mrs. S. Muthiah,            | „ „ „                                  | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| Mr. V. Thambiah,            | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai               | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| „ V. Nagalingam,            | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai.              | 15 00                          |                            |
| „ M. Kathiravelu,           | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai.              | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| „ S. Kandasamy,             | Moolai Road, Vaddukoddai.              | 25 00                          |                            |
| „ T. Mailvaganam,           | Co-op. Inspector, Tholpuram.           | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ P. Murugesu,              | Tholpuram.                             | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ A. K. Navaratnam,         | Proctor, Tholpuram.                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ M. Kanagasundaram,        | Tholpuram.                             | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ M. Narayanapillai,        | Pensioner, Tholpuram.                  | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Vaithilingam           | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Sanmugam,              | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Ambalavanar,           | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ V. Saravanamuthu,         | Pensioner, „                           | 25 00                          |                            |
| Mrs. M. Velupillai,         | Tholpuram, Chulipuram.                 | 10 00                          |                            |
| Mr. R. Cumaravelu,          | Pensioner, Tholpuram.                  | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ Sinnathamby Paramalingam, | Tholpuram East.                        | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Karthigesu,            | Pensioner, Tholpuram.                  | 11 00                          |                            |
| „ K. Ariyacutty,            | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ A. Vaithilingam           | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ C. Rajapadcham,           | Govt. Servant, Chulipuram.             | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Ponnampalam,           | Pensioner, „                           | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Suppiah,               | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Navaratnam,            | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Kandiah,               | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ M. Alakakone,             | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ K. Thambirajah,           |                                        |                                |                            |
|                             | Teacher, Victoria College, Chulipuram. | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Arumugasamy,           | Govt. Servant, „                       | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ M. Sivapiragasam,         | Insurance Agent, Chulipuram.           | 10 00                          |                            |
| Mrs. R. Kanapathippillai,   | Chulipuram.                            | 10 00                          |                            |
| Mr. Ramalingam Ampalavanar, | Chulipuram.                            | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ Velauther Paramanathan,   | „                                      | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ K. Karthigesu Gurusamy,   | „                                      | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ T. Suppiah,               | Udayar, „                              | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ V. Muthucumar,            | carpenter, „                           | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ S. Thambiah,              | „ „                                    | 10 00                          |                            |
| „ A. Krishnar,              | „                                      | 10 00                          |                            |



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|----------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Mr. A. Kandiah,                                          | Chulipuram | 10 00                          |                            |
| " Appudurai, V. H.,                                      | "          | 10 00                          |                            |
| " Thillaiampalam, Teacher,                               | "          | 25 00                          |                            |
| " S. Vythilingam, Pensioner,                             | "          | 10 00                          |                            |
| " K. Arumugam, No. 157, Galle Road, Colombo 6.           |            | 200 00                         |                            |
| " S. Subramaniam Principal,                              |            |                                |                            |
| Victoria College, Chulipuram.                            |            | 25 00                          |                            |
| " S. Sarma, Teacher, Chulipuram,                         |            | 10 00                          |                            |
| " T. Appudurai, Pannagam.                                | A Room     |                                | 10 00                      |
| " S. P. E. Innasithamby, Sillalai.                       |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " M. Arumugam, Chanaknai East, Chankanai.                |            | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
| " C. Chelliah,                                           | " " "      | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " Noor Mohamed,                                          | " " "      | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " S. Iyathurai, Chankanai East, Chankanai.               |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " A. T. Velupillai,                                      |            |                                |                            |
| Merchant, Chankanai East, Chankanai.                     |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " V. Selvadurai, Textile Dealer, Tholpuram.              |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " A. Sundarampillai, Kaddudai.                           |            | 20 00                          | 20 00                      |
| " A. Somasundaram, Sithankerny.                          |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " S. S. Vadivalu, Kaddudai.                              |            | 15 00                          | 15 00                      |
| " S. Nagamany, Chankanai East, Chankanai.                |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " S. S. W. Russels, Chankanai East, Chankanai.           |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " G. V. Balasingam, Atchuvally.                          |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| " A. Amirthalingam, Pannagam South.                      |            | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
| " S. Sinnathamby, No. 4. Jalan Dato, Kluang.             |            | 250 00                         | 250 00                     |
| " V. Rajaretnam, General Merchant, Thondamanar.          |            | 500 00                         | 500 00                     |
| Dr. G. Ramalingam,                                       |            |                                |                            |
| Medical Officer, Govt. Hospital, Klang.                  |            | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| Mr. K. Arumugam, Y. M. C. A. Kuala Lumpur.               |            | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| " Selvaratnam,                                           |            |                                |                            |
| S. T. O., C. T. O. Colombo (Chulipuram)                  |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| The Manager, J. S. P. Bank, Jaffna.                      |            | 101 00                         | 101 00                     |
| The Manager, J. S. P. Bank, Jaffna.                      |            | 30 00                          | 30 00                      |
| Mr. S. K. Murugesu, Singaragama (Koddadi)                |            | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| " K. Nagamuttu, Ruwanwella.                              |            | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
| Dr. S. Arulampalam, Vijaya Clinic, Kota Bharu, Kelantan. |            | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| J. T. Paruwathy, New Road, Karamagar.                    |            | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| Mr. & Mrs. James, Rose, U. N. O.                         |            | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| " S. Sithampalam, Chulipuram.                            |            | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
| " A. Ratnasabapathy, Vaddukoddai, West.                  |            | 15 00                          | 15 00                      |



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|-----------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Mr. Sountharanayagam, Anaicottai.                   |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| Hindu English School, Vaddukoddai.                  |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| Miss T. Kumareswary, through Dr. Chacko.            |         | 5 00                           | 5 00                       |
| Mr. S. Thondaman, Wavendon Group, Ramboda.          |         | 250 00                         | 250 00                     |
| „ V. Ramasamypillai, Valivettiturai.                |         | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| Dr. S. Subramaniam, Jaffna.                         |         | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| Mr. P. Sinnadurai, Koddadi, Jaffna.                 |         | 15 00                          | 15 00                      |
| Messrs. Vatican, City Stores, Main Street, Colombo. |         | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| Mr. S. Kanapathipillai, P. W. D., Kolupitya.        |         | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| Messrs. Haji Sulaman, & Co., Toy Shop Jaffna.       |         | 285 00                         | 285 00                     |
| Messrs. Adam Bhai, Stores, Jaffna.                  |         | 150 00                         | 150 00                     |
| Messrs. Muneer, Drapery Mart, Jaffna.               |         | 150 00                         | 150 00                     |
| Gani Bai Stores, Jaffna.                            |         | 150 00                         | 150 00                     |
| Jaffna Textile Co. Jaffna.                          |         | 150 00                         | 150 00                     |
| Mr. A. Mohamed, Jaffna.                             |         | 150 00                         | 150 00                     |
| New Motta Stores, Jaffna.                           |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| Mr. S. Abdul Kareem, Jaffna.                        |         | 15 00                          | 15 00                      |
| „ K. Somasundaram, Stanley Road, Jaffna.            |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| „ V. K. Ragunathan, Sithankerny.                    |         | 25 00                          | 25 00                      |
| Sir Velupillai Coomarasamy, of Burma.               |         | 500 00                         | 500 00                     |
| Mr. S. R. Arumugam, Ayily, Karainagar.              |         | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| „ A. Paramsothy, Thunavy.                           |         | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |
| „ T. Aruliah, Sr, Tech. Assist.                     |         |                                |                            |
| „ Rlys. Bukit Mertarjam, Malaya.                    |         | 100 00                         | 100 00                     |
| „ C. Veerasingam, Singam Dispensary, Malaya.        |         | 75 00                          | 75 00                      |
| „ Thurairatnam, Malaya.                             |         | 30 00                          | 30 00                      |
| „ K. Marimuttu, Malaya.                             |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| „ K. Kathiravelu, Survey Dept. Taiping,             |         | 75 00                          | 75 00                      |
| „ S. Nagarajah,                                     |         | 50 00                          | 50 00                      |
| „ T. Arulampalam, Klang.                            |         | 10 00                          | 10 00                      |

Donations From Malaya per Mr. K. Sinnappu

|                                                         |        |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Mr. A. Ponnudurai, Asst. Vet. Officer, Port Swettenham. | 100 00 |
| „ P. M. Kandiah, Marine Dept.                           | 50 00  |
| „ R. S. Kandiah, Pensioner,                             | 50 00  |
| „ M. Duraisamy, Detention Camp                          | 40 00  |
| „ A. Rajaratnam, Railways,                              | 50 00  |
| „ T. Arumugam, Transit Camp,                            | 30 00  |
| „ E. T. Selvaratnam, Customs Dept.                      | 20 00  |
| „ S. Thambipillai, Customs.                             | 20 00  |
| „ S. Subramaniam, G. T. S. W. R.                        | 30 00  |
| „ S. Ratnam, Slipway,                                   | 10 00  |



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|-----|----------------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|------|----------------|
|     |                                              |                  | Rs.                | Cts. |                |
| Mr. | K. Kandiah, Slipway,                         | Port Swettenham, | 20                 | 00   |                |
| "   | C. S. Navaratnam, H. A.                      | " "              | 10                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Muthucumarasamy, Customs,                 | " "              | 10                 | 00   |                |
| "   | R. V. Kandiah, District Hospital, Klang.     | " "              | 30                 | 00   |                |
| Dr. | C. Nadarajah, Klang.                         |                  | 200                | 00   |                |
| Mr. | S. Vinasithamby, Klang.                      |                  | 200                | 00   |                |
| "   | R. Ampalavanar, "                            |                  | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Kailasapillai, "                          |                  | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | T. Markandoo, "                              |                  | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | C. Kandiah, "                                |                  | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | P. Velupillai, "                             |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | E. P. N. Theagarajah, Klang.                 |                  | 50                 | 00   | 50 00          |
| "   | P. A. Kathiraveloo, "                        |                  | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | T. Arulampalam, "                            |                  | 50                 | 00   | 10 00          |
| "   | A. Rasiah, "                                 |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | K. Arumugam, "                               |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Kulanthai, "                              |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Vellupillai, "                            |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Arunasalam, "                             |                  | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | Y. Paramswamy, "                             |                  | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | T. Somasundaram, "                           |                  | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Sivananthan, "                            |                  | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | G. Selvadurai, "                             |                  | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | J. Chellappah, "                             |                  | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Ramanathan, Clifford School, Kuala Lipis. |                  | 150                | 00   |                |
| "   | K. Sinnathamby, " "                          | " "              | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Narayanasamy, P. W. D.                    | " "              | 25                 | 00   |                |
| "   | M. Chelliah, Telecommunications,             | " "              | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | V. Subramaniam General Hospital,             | " "              | 100                | 00   |                |
| "   | K. Arumugam, Survey Office,                  | " "              | 25                 | 00   |                |
| "   | M. Kathiravelu, Supplies Dept.               | " "              | 30                 | 00   |                |
| "   | T. Mahadevan, C. P. O's Office,              | " "              | 5                  | 00   |                |
| "   | N. Rajaratnam, " "                           | " "              | 5                  | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Nadarajah, " "                            | " "              | 5                  | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Kanagaratnam, Treasury,                   | " "              | 5                  | 00   |                |
| "   | S. Ponnudurai, " "                           | " "              | 5                  | 00   |                |
| "   | C. Ponnudurai, Audit, Office,                | " "              | 10                 | 00   |                |
| "   | K. Krishnasamy, Treasury,                    | " "              | 10                 | 00   |                |
| "   | C. Kandaiya, State Engineer's Office,        | " "              | 25                 | 00   |                |
| "   | K. Shanmugam, Contractor,                    | " "              | 50                 | 00   |                |
| "   | N. Sandrasegaram,                            |                  | 5                  | 00   |                |
|     | C / o. O. C. P. D's Office,                  | " "              |                    |      |                |



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|----------------------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Mr. A. Ponniah, Survey Office,               | Kuala Lipis | 100 00                         |                            |
| " V. Karunananthan, District Office,         | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " M. Kathiravelu, State Treasury,            | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " M. S. Kandiah, M. Rlys.                    | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " A. Chinnathamby, Telecommunications,       | " "         | 100 00                         |                            |
| " S. Kandiah, P. W. D.                       | Kuala Lipis | 150 00                         |                            |
| " M. Nadarajah, B. A.'s Office,              | " "         | 100 00                         |                            |
| " R. Arumugam, S. S. K., P. W. D.,           | " "         | 100 00                         |                            |
| " A. Sinnappah, State Treasury,              | " "         | 100 00                         |                            |
| " P. Thambiah,                               | " "         | 300 00                         |                            |
| " T. Subramaniam, Police Office,             | " "         | 100 00                         |                            |
| " S. Paramanather, Home Guard,               | " "         | 25 00                          |                            |
| " S. Siva Rajan,                             | " "         | 30 00                          |                            |
| " K. Saravanamuttu, P. W. D. Benta,          | " "         | 25 00                          |                            |
| " R. Thambirajah,                            | " "         | 25 00                          |                            |
| " K. Visuvalingam, State Treasury,           | " "         | 15 00                          |                            |
| " M. Subramaniam, Secretariat,               | " "         | 30 00                          |                            |
| " V. Sinnadurai, 10A, Lipis Road, Raub.      |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " A. Murugesu, District, Office,             | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " K. Thambyimuthu, T. A. Telecoms,           | " "         | 40 00                          |                            |
| " S. Chellappah, Govt. Pensioner,            | " "         | 25 00                          |                            |
| " J. T. Rajah, Health Office,                | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " V. Coomaraswamy, P. W. D.,                 | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " M. Mylvaganam,                             | " "         | 30 00                          |                            |
| " A. Velummylum, Hospital,                   | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " R. S. Ramanathan,                          | " "         | 30 00                          |                            |
| " N. Kanapathimuthu, P. W. D.                | " "         | 20 00                          |                            |
| " S. Sundramoorthy, Town Board, Kuala Kubu.  |             | 100 00                         |                            |
| " K. Rajaratnam, P. W. D.,                   | " "         | 150 00                         |                            |
| " S. Navaratnam,                             | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " M. Ampalavanar, P. W. D.,                  | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " E. Arampoo,                                | " "         | 50 00                          |                            |
| " P. Chelliah,                               | " "         | 150 00                         |                            |
| " V. Ramalingam, P. W. D., Ipoh.             |             | 100 00                         |                            |
| " C. Muttaiya, A. L. S. Office, Ipoh.        |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " V. Thamothersampillai, Audit Office, Ipoh. |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " C. Chinnadurai, Ipoh.                      |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " A. M. Muthu, Ipoh.                         |             | 20 00                          |                            |
| " V. Nadarajah, Pensioner, Ipoh.             |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " S. Murugesu, D. E.'s Office, Ipoh.         |             | 20 00                          |                            |
| " S. Kanapathipillay, P. W. D., Ipoh.        |             | 50 00                          |                            |
| " M. C. Thurai Appah, Health, Rlys, Ipoh.    |             | 50 00                          |                            |



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|                                                     |                 | Rs. Cts.           | Rs Cts         |
| Mr. S. Krishnapillai, P. O., K. K.                  |                 | 50 00              |                |
| " S. Velupillai, Welfare Home, Taiping.             |                 | 150 00             |                |
| " K. Velupillai, T. A. Rlys,                        | Bukit Mertajam. | 100 00             |                |
| " S. Arumugam, C. P. W. I. Rlys,                    | " "             | 100 00             |                |
| " T. Aruliah, Clerk of Works,                       | " "             | 100 00             | 100 00         |
| " A. Kanapathipillai, Signal Inspector, M. Rly.     | " "             | 100 00             |                |
| " G. Subramaniam, Prisons Head Quarters, Taiping.   |                 | 100 00             |                |
| " C. Veerasingam, Singam Dispensary, Parit Buntar.  |                 | 75 00              | 75 00          |
| " K. Ampikaipakar, Parit Buntar,                    |                 | 20 00              |                |
| " Thurairatnam.                                     |                 | 30 00              | 30 00          |
| " T. Nadarajah, T. A., P. W. D., Taiping.           |                 | 75 00              |                |
| " K. Marimuthu, Survey Office,                      | " "             | 50 00              | 50 00          |
| " K. Kathiravelu, Survey Dept. Taiping.             |                 | 75 00              | 75 00          |
| " S. Kandiah, Krian Road,                           | " "             | 50 00              |                |
| " M. T. S. Moorthy, Railways,                       | " "             | 100 00             |                |
| " A. S. Ratnam, Contractor,                         | " "             | 50 00              |                |
| " A. Rasiyah, Hospital,                             | " "             | 30 00              |                |
| " N. Kandaiya, Telecoms.                            | " "             | 100 00             |                |
| * " P. Kandappar, Kulim.                            |                 | 50 00              |                |
| * " C. S. Ponnaiah, Surveys, Kulim.                 |                 | 20 00              |                |
| * " K. K. Samy, Hospital, Kulim.                    |                 | 50 00              |                |
| * " R. Rajasundram, Police Dept. Kedah.             |                 | 10 00              |                |
| * Mrs. R. Sarasvathy, (Kedah) Moolai, Jaffna.       |                 | 60 00              |                |
| * Mr. S. N. Chelliah, Inverleith Estate, Pg. Serai. |                 | 20 00              |                |
| Dr. M. Velupillay, Kajang.                          |                 | 20 00              |                |
| Mr. S. Shivarajah, Kajang.                          |                 | 10 00              |                |

\* Will join with the rest in Kedah State who have Promised to build a Room.

**Note:**

1. Chulipuram Union in Malaya has promised to build Rooms in the proposed new Ward.
2. Karainagar Union in Malaya has also promised to build Rooms in the proposed new Ward.





# DONATIONS FROM SINGAPORE PER MRS. S. D. COOMARASWAMY

| Name                                         | Address                            | Amount<br>Promised     | Amount<br>Paid |
|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Mr. N. Eliathamby.                           |                                    | \$ 1001 00             |                |
| Pannagam Community ( Mr. Somasundram i   c ) |                                    | 2000 00                |                |
| Mr. V. Sinnathamby,                          | 40 Mouk's Hill Terrace, Singapore. | 100 00                 |                |
| " M. Rajaratnam,                             | Marshall Road, Singapore.          | 101 00                 |                |
| " S. M. Vasagar.                             |                                    | 100 00                 |                |
| " N. Rameswaram,                             | Ceylon Road, Singapore.            | 100 00                 |                |
| " G. Rajendram,                              | Pulasan Road, Singapore.           | 80 00                  |                |
| " A. Kathiresu,                              | M. Railways                        | 100 00                 |                |
| " S. C. Vadivale,                            | Pulasan Road,                      | 50 00                  |                |
| " S. Sivashanmugam,                          | ( C Delta Avenue, Singapore        | 10 00                  |                |
| " S. Vaithilingam,                           | 396 New Bridge Road, "             | 10 00                  |                |
| " S. Supramaniam,                            | 4 Blari Road,                      | 25 00                  |                |
| " K. Velupillai,                             | 29 Spothswooth Road,               | 20 00                  |                |
| " Supramaniam,                               | 27. " "                            | 20 00                  |                |
| Ceylonese in J. B.                           |                                    | 550 00                 |                |
| " of Sithankerny ( Dr. P T. Nathan i   c. )  |                                    | 500 00                 |                |
| Mr. A. Rajah,                                | Paya Leban Crescent.               | 50 00                  |                |
|                                              |                                    | <hr/> \$ 4817 00 <hr/> |                |

## DONATIONS FROM JOHORE STATE PER DR. S. APPUDURAI

|                     |                                          |           |                     |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Dr. S. Appudurai    | Govt. Hospital, Muar. ( Moolai )         | \$ 101 00 | \$ 101 00           |
| Mr. K. Kathiravelu, | Victoria School, Muar ( K'Nagar )        | 101 00    |                     |
| " N. K. Pillai,     | Health Office, Muar ( Moolai )           | 101 00    |                     |
| " C. Velupillai,    | W. & C. C., Muar ( Tholpuram )           | 101 00    |                     |
| " S. Thurairajah,   | Health Office, Muar ( Vaddu. East )      | 111 00    |                     |
| " V. V. Markandoo,  | 13-2J. Mejidi, Muar ( Mahiyapitti )      | 201 00    | Instal.             |
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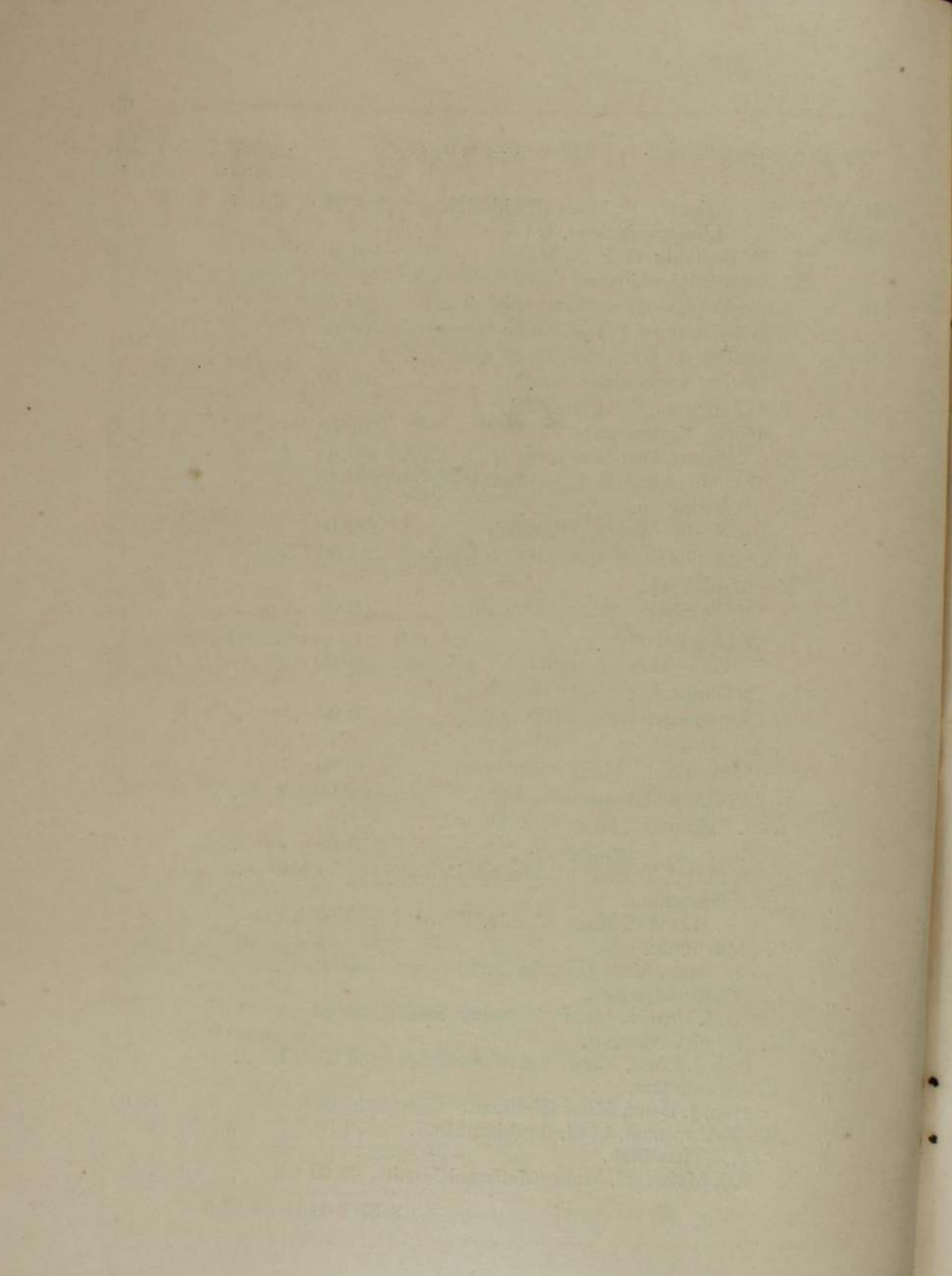


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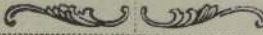


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