

Form Lower Six Association

A host of activities were organized by the Union and were opened to all Form Lower students, and such had played an important role in cultivating friendship among the Four Lower Six classes. A series of activities including basketball, handball, football and cross-country were organized and were met with enthusiastic support.

The Bridge

The school newspaper, "The Bridge", served its function of giving a profile of highlights of the school functions, featuring interesting articles from students, and was well-supported by schoolmates with their contributions of articles and the staff with their donations.

Inter-House Contest Results

<i>House</i>	<i>Point</i>	<i>Position</i>
Wallington - - - - -	135	1st
Kay - - - - -	128	2nd
Morris - - - - -	112	3rd
Sargison - - - - -	105	4th
Ferguson - - - - -	103	5th
School - - - - -	74	6th

Sportsman of the Year: LAM SHUN CHIU (Wallington House)

KING'S COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION NEWS

1. The Executive Committee for the session 1975-76 was composed of Mr. Peter C. Chan as President, Dr. Kwan Lai Hung and Mr. Paul Fan as Vice-Presidents.
2. It being the Golden Jubilee Anniversary of our Alma Mater, a sub-committee was established to work on the celebration programmes and to co-ordinate with similar functions of King's College. In consequence, the Golden Jubilee Bazaar was organized by the Association at King's College on 14th February 1976 to raise scholarships for the students of the College. On 9th February 1976, the Association held a joint press conference with CTV at City Hall to give full publicity to the aims of fund-raising function, one of which was to offer assistance in the context of education to needy children of the victims of the Aldrich Bay Blaze through the service of the Department of Home Affairs. The Bazaar turned out to be a great success, and the Association must thank all people concerned for their advice and support. With the funds raised from the Bazaar, the Association is now in a position to offer through the Education Department at least three scholarship funds of \$5,000 each to outstanding students of King's College, and has contributed eight King's College Golden Jubilee Scholarships each at a value of \$50 to the pupils of K.C.O.B.A. Primary School and C. K. Lam Memorial School.
3. Two outdoor functions were organized for members and friends, one being an evening barbecue on the beach of Middle Bay in August 1975, and another afternoon barbecue in Sheung Shui in December 1975.
4. A Re-union dinner was organized on 18th July, 1976 at the City Hall to mark the Golden Jubilee of the Alma Mater as well as to promote fraternity among members of the Association.
5. The Association was always in close contact with the Alma Mater, supporting various school functions and contributing to the Dux Medal prize and the school magazine "Fig Tree".

of which had organized regular activities for members. The Society also published a bi-monthly publication "The Pioneer" for distribution to schoolmates. Lectures and star observations were the frequent activities of the Astronomy Section, and its display project on "The Sun" in the Open Day won much acclaim from the spectators. In the P.C.M. Section, experiments, surveys and inter-class competitions were organized. The publication of "The Contact" was another contribution from this section. Projects and "Blood Group Test" were organized by the Biology Circle in the year. The E. and W. section also enriched schoolmates' knowledge in the field of electricity with their projects and film-shows.

Stamp Club

Meetings were held for exchange of stamps in the Club. A visit to the Central Post Office was organized in November to promote students' interest in philately. The Club also subsidized her members in the purchase of First Day Covers and newly issued stamps, and was enthusiastically supported by the junior students.

St. John Ambulance Society

It had been an eventful year for the Society, during which the ambulance cadet had rendered various first-aid duties to the School and the public. Apart from the regular meeting held every Saturday, the Society also participated in the Annual Summer Camp organized by the St. John Headquarters and a picnic with Ho Tung Nursing Cadet Division. Variety shows and Christmas parties were the other functions of the Society.

Sports Club

With an aim to improving the standard in sports, various training courses were organized for members in basketball, volleyball and cross-country run practices. The Club held internal contests in the school, such as Inter-House Marathon Basketball and Volleyball Competition, Half-Court Basketball Competition. The Club also offered a hand in organizing the School's Swimming Gala and the Annual Sports Day. In the Inter-School Handball Competition, the Club had scored satisfactory results. In many aspects, the Club had contributed much in upholding the sports spirit of the College.

Table-Tennis Club

Eventful activities were arranged by the Club, which included an individual and a double tournaments, inter-class table-tennis tournaments, School Team Selection Match and scheduled training courses throughout the year. Our school teams made remarkable achievements in the Inter-School Table-Tennis Competitions. Out of the many participating schools, both our A and C grade teams finished as runners-up.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Scheme

The scheme was made up of four sections: Service, Expedition, Interest and Physical Ability, all of which aimed at promoting the physical fitness, co-operation and persistence of the youths. Lectures on safety precaution and expedition techniques were given, and under the scheme, one student passed the expedition assessment instructor examination with the Bronze Award and 20 students were awarded the Bronze Medals.

The 5th Hong Kong Scout Group

It had been another progressive year for the 5th Hong Kong Group. A team of seven scouts representing the troop participated in the Fung Ho Po Shield Competition of Hong Kong Western District, and had won the third place. Regular meetings, first-aid course and troop camps were held, and normal duties were carried out by the Group on Speech Day, Swimming Gala, Sports Day and the Golden Jubilee Bazaar of the School.

the history of King's College was undertaken. Valuable photographs of pre-war "Kings" were displayed which became the focus of attention. A joint-society quiz was held in May, bridging the communication gaps among members of different societies. To round up the school term, a seminar and a "Marathon Quiz" were held as post-examination activities.

Junior Red-Cross Cadet Unit 21

Two issues of the Cadet Unit magazine "Ours" were published which gave reports on the activities of Unit 21. The Unit also offered training courses for members in First Aid, Fire Protection, Nursing, basic drills and section leader training camp. Besides the regular activities and district functions, the cadets also performed different services to the School and to the public.

Life Saving Club

Besides serving as life-guards in the Annual School Swimming Gala, the Club also carried out duties in the School's swimming pool. The Club took part in the Inter-School Life Saving Competition, and training courses were opened for many more new members in the year.

Music Association

The Music Association is divided into 4 sections: the Harmonica Band, the Chinese Instrumental Group, the Glee Club and the Concert Section. It served the musical interest of the whole school through the organization of a variety of functions, such as the October Concert, an Instrumental Contest and a Singing Contest. The lunch time concert held every Friday morning with enthusiastic support and the Sing Along organized by the Glee Club attracted a number of participants. Results in the Music Festival were again encouraging, of which the School scored totally 3 firsts, 4 seconds, 3 thirds, together with numerous Certificates of Merit.

Photographic Club

Photo-taking is one of the popular extra-curricular activities at school. The Photographic Club, well-supported by many students, offered lectures and training courses on various photographic techniques; and outings to the Peak and Nam Sun Wai were organized for practical application. The annual event of the 3rd King's College Students' Photographic Contest was organized in December. To celebrate the 50th anniversary of the School, the Golden Jubilee Photographic Contest was held in February. On the Open Day, an exhibition of prints of the Contest was arranged, and the remarks from the guests were encouraging. The highlight of the Club's activities was the 21st Hong Kong Students' Photographic Contest sponsored by Pentax Company, which enlisted wide support from Hong Kong students.

Pen-Pal Club

The Club succeeded in helping many of the fellow schoolmates to find pen-pals overseas, namely from Canada, U.S.A., South Africa, Australia and other European countries. Most of the F. 3 students showed keen interest in the Club's activities which helped to broaden their knowledge of the customs and culture of people from the other parts of the world.

Rambling Club

A series of outings was organized by the Club, namely Tai To Yan in October, Need Hill in December, Au Pui Wan in March, Fairy's Route in Tai Lam Chung in April, Tai Shir Shek Kong in May and Cloudy Hill in July. Such outings were not only good exercises for the physical well-being and endurance of the members, but were also gatherings with great fun and excitement.

Science Society

The Science Society continued to be popular in school, as revealed by a large enrolment this year. The Society had a sectional structure, comprising the Astronomy Section, the Physics-Chemistry-Mathematics Section, the Electronics and Wireless Section and the Biology Circle, etc.

Chinese Literature Society

With an aim of fostering among schoolmates their depth in Chinese Literature, the Society organized various essay competitions, quiz and lectures throughout the year. An Inter-class Chinese Calligraphy Competition was held in November. In the December's Joint-Society Golden Jubilee Arts Festival, the Club arranged an essay competition and a Chinese Debating Competition as part of the programmes and were met with warm support from schoolmates. The Society also organized a visit to Sing Tao Jih Pao in April, a joint-society quiz in May, and a final round-up of the term's activity in July with an annual picnic to the Bridge's Pool.

Drama Society

The Society organized an Inter-form Lower Six Drama Competition which also served as one of the programmes in the Golden Jubilee Arts Festival in December. Mr. C. P. Kwok, our former staff adviser of the Society, was kind enough to offer the school a lecture on the history of Drama Society in King's College, and Mr. C. T. Wong, gave a lecture on stage make-up, both of which had offered invaluable information to our members on drama production.

English Literary and Debating Society

The Society aimed at raising the standard of English of the schoolmates and promoting their interests in public speaking. A variety of items were organized to cater for the abilities of the members, such as an inter-form debate for senior-formers and a variety show for junior-formers. An Inter-house Debate was held in the year, and it was gratifying to witness the increasing response and enthusiasm from the junior schoolmates.

Geography Society

Realizing that Geography could not be studied "in an arm-chair", and that pure academic study in the classroom was of little avail, the Society aimed at organizing numerous outings, visits and film shows for members under the guidance of the staff advisers. The excursion to Ping Chau in the Mirs Bay marked the first event of the year, and had enriched the participants their knowledge on coastal landforms. The visit to Kwai Chung Container Terminal in November, the numerous geographical film shows and the joint-society quiz were amongst the few popular items in the school's extra-curricular activities. On the Open Day, the Society attempted a survey on the population of King's College students, the statistics so revealed were both enlightening and informative to visitors. Finally, the Society also maintained its annual publication the "Geographer 76" and had printed a specially designed book-mark for distribution to members.

Gardening Club

Members of the Club performed their daily duties of watering, weeding and fertilizing the school garden. Books on gardening were also available on loan for members from the library of the Club. The different plants in the garden turned out to be a popularized background for photo-taking in the Golden Jubilee Bazaar held in February.

Handicraft and Woodwork Club

The interest and expertise of the school in handicraft and woodwork were revealed in their impressive model making. The Club organized a Model Competition among the junior forms. Two projects which purported to introduce the School were displayed to the public on the Open Day. These projects, including a model of King's College and a paper sculpture board, were specially designed to celebrate the event, and had received praise and encouraging remarks from visitors.

History Society

The Society put on film shows regularly throughout the year. A picnic to Pak Sin Range was organized in November, and a classroom Display Board Competition was held in March. The Society's activities reached a climax on the Open Day, during which a project concerning

Art Club

The club was divided into the ceramic, screen print, plastic, drawing and etching group which provided a variety of Art items for members. A Christmas Card Design Competition was held in November, and the club participated in the Arts Festival in December as part of the Golden Jubilee celebrations. Fantastic art exhibitions were centres of attraction in the Open Day in March, and the club organized successfully the Art Exhibition in July.

Bridge Club

The Club introduced contract bridge to students and meetings were held every week for practice. Elementary training course and various external tournaments were organized, and the club provided reference books and wallets for playing duplicate bridge for members. The high-light of the year's activities was marked by the Golden Jubilee Inter-Class Bridge Tournament held in January, and was met with enthusiastic support from schoolmates.

Badminton Club

Coaching, practices and tournaments on badminton were the regular programmes of the Club. An Individual Single Badminton Tournament was organized to promote the members' interest. The Club also participated in the Inter-School Badminton Competition and satisfactory results were obtained.

Civics Society

The Society organized various visits, film-show, picnics and inter-class Joint Society Quiz and were met with overwhelming response from members. Visits were made to Cross-Harbour Tunnel, the Winner Food Products Company, the Kadoorie Experimental Farm, the Tai Lam Chung Preventive Service Training School and the Commercial Television. The Society's activities reached its climax in the School's Open Day Project on "Tourist Industry in Hong Kong", and was highly praised by the visiting guests.

Catholic Society

The Society is concerned with perfecting the spiritual life among students by providing opportunities for group prayer and religious discussions. Besides talks given by priests, the Society also lead daily morning prayer and Friday Mass in the Chapel of St. Clare's Primary School. Bible studies and film shows were also regularly held throughout the year.

Christian Fellowship

With a goal of spreading the message of Jesus Christ to every schoolmate, the Christian Fellowship conducted talks, Bible studies, discussion and evangelistic meetings at school.

Chess Club

The Club made great achievements in popularizing the game among students. Normal free practices for members were held every week. Inter-class Chinese Chess Tournament and Chess Individual Tournament were held and had aroused keen interests from students. To celebrate the 50th anniversary of the School, a Golden Jubilee International Chess Tournament co-sponsored by K.C.O.B.A. was held. In the inter-school matches, the school was the Champion of the International Chess Tournament and runners-up in the Chinese Chess Tournament organized by Joint School Chess Association this year.

Canoe Club

The Club had recruited thirty members with a basic qualification of passing a 400 m. swimming test as a safeguarding measure in the Club's activities. Various canoe camping activities were held during the Chinese New Year in Tap Mun and Tai Me Tuk to improve the physical well-being of the members.

THE RELIGIOUS SIDE

The school does not give any formal religious instruction. But there are two societies organizing religious activities for and giving spiritual guidance to the pupils. The Catholic Society and the Christian Fellowship hold regular meetings and morning prayer. Other activities include Bible studies, hymn-singing, talks and film shows.

CAREER GUIDANCE AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Vocational guidance was given due attention. Working alongside with the career section of the Education Department, valuable information on studies abroad and local employment opportunities were posted up on the career notice board. Students were taught to orientate themselves in society when they leave school. The career talks and visits to career exhibitions arranged were geared to this end. Above all, the much sought-for individual counselling was offered by the career masters.

STUDENT CAREERS

Upper Six:

Among the 102 Upper Six students who completed the Matriculation course, 66 students were admitted to the University of Hong Kong. Our students' interest and potentialities for science and medical studies were revealed by the following statistics:—

U.6 students admitted to H.K.U. 1975-76

Medicine	- - - - -	23
Engineering	- - - - -	9
Pure Science	- - - - -	16
Social Science	- - - - -	7
Law	- - - - -	2
Architecture	- - - - -	2
Arts	- - - - -	7

Three students were admitted to the Chinese University of Hong Kong. 11 enrolled at the Hong Kong Polytechnic. 9 students went abroad for further studies — 4 to the U.S., 1 to Canada, 3 to Australia and 1 to Taiwan, 4 repeated F. U6 in the other schools and 11 began to work.

Lower Six:

One student in Lower Six gained entry to the University of Hong Kong while 2 to the Chinese University. 4 students went abroad — 3 to Australia and 1 to Canada.

Form Five:

Out of a total of 160 students who sat for the School Certificate of Education, 97 continued their studies in Form L6 and 4 repeated F. 5 in this College. 29 students proceeded to Lower 6 and 6 repeated F. 5 in other schools. 5 enrolled at Hong Kong Polytechnic and 3 at technical institutes. 1 attended commercial classes in private institute. 6 went overseas for further studies, including 5 to Canada and 1 to United Kingdom and 5 started to work.

The above figures show that the majority of our students were enthusiastic in pursuing further academic studies, either locally or abroad. Only a small percentage entered employment.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND SOCIETIES

A great variety of extra-curricular activities were organized by school clubs and societies to cater for the different interests of the students, to provide opportunities for them to develop qualities which made for effective leadership, and to turn to advantage their spare time.

reasonable freedom to choose their subjects and most of them take at most 9 and at least 5 subjects in the Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination.

Class division in Form six remains the same. The four streams include one Arts, one Pure Science and two Biology classes.

Cultural education and physical training are of prime importance to a well-balanced education. Thus, from F. 1 to F. 6, physical education is offered twice in a cycle while Music and Art are taught up to F. 4. Though the two cultural subjects are not made part of the curriculum of F. 5 and F. 6, senior students are encouraged to take an active role in music activities organized by the Music Association and the Art Club, in which they explore their musical talents or refine their artistic skills. Their distinguished achievements in the School Musical Festival and the Art Competition are highly commendable.

Integrated Science, first introduced in 1973, has been taught up to Form 3 in the 1975-76 academic year.

Economic and Public Affairs was offered to F. 5 students in 1975. Our students, who sat for the 1976 Certificate of Education Examination, achieved outstanding results. They obtained 12 distinctions and 21 credits in this subject. The Advanced Level Economic and Public Affairs course was first introduced for the academic year 1976-77.

PREFECTS

	1975-76	1976-77
<i>Head Prefect</i> - - - -	Ma Kwok Fai (U6C)	Lee Chi Kwan (L6I)
<i>Vice-Head Prefect</i> - - -	Wong Yuet Chung (U6A)	Ching Chi Chor (L6A)
	Lam Chuen Shun (U6C)	Sin Chung Yau (L6I)

The prefects are elected from forms 4, 5 and 6. Working in consultation with the Principal, Discipline Master and senior members of the staff, they help in maintaining the discipline of the school. When the regular prefects were released from duties to prepare for examination, their places were taken up by other pupils selected from Form Lower Six and Form 4.

THE LITERARY SIDE

To celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the school, "The Fig Tree Golden Jubilee '76" was published. This special edition gave insight into the past, the present and future development of the school. In addition, a section was dedicated to the former principals. Following the Golden Jubilee Section was the general section which presented an authentic picture of the main event of the year and recorded the wide variety of activities organized by the clubs and societies in the school.

'The Bridge', the 7-year-old school newspaper was beset with financial difficulties. However, owing to the generous donations from various sources and the strenuous effort of the business managers in seeking advertisement, the difficulties were surmounted and 4 issues were published during the academic year. The newspaper continued its function by giving a profile of the highlights of the school functions and featuring interesting articles from students.

To promote students' interest in extensive reading and independent research, the library is well stocked with varied reading materials. Every effort has been made to improve the library making it an ideal place for cultural pursuits and self-education. Old books were disposed of and new books, recommended by the teaching staff, were added, catering for the needs of the students. The total number of volume of books in English was 25141 and Chinese books, 3188 making a total of 28329. The F. 6 section, the Staff Reference Section and the Mathematics Section established three years ago received favourable support.

Mention should also be made of the bulletins published by the Science Society and the Geography Society. Besides providing a general idea of the activities sponsored by the societies the bulletins gave ample opportunities for students to contribute their thoughts and record their findings or discoveries in the respective areas of interests.

STAFF

For the 1975-76 School year, the staff comprised the following:

Mr. D. R. Madan — *Principal*

Teaching Staff

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| Mr. P. J. Harrison | Mr. S. D. Yip | Mrs. F. Chan |
| Mr. S. T. Lung | Mr. C. F. Au | Mrs. S. M. Ho |
| Mr. P. Young | Miss E. Chan | Mr. Y. T. Hon |
| Mr. S. Y. Poon | Mr. S. C. Chan | Mr. J. Hung |
| Dr. M. L. Ng | Mr. Y. A. Chan | Miss S. M. Kam |
| Mr. Y. S. Yung | Mrs. L. Cheung | Miss S. K. Lai |
| Mr. Y. W. Sun | Mr. Y. L. Choi | Mr. H. K. Lau |
| Mr. C. H. Yuen | Mr. M. L. Fung | Mr. W. Lam |
| Mr. D. Ho | Mr. T. S. Fung | Mr. W. H. Law |
| Mr. C. W. Leung | Miss J. Ho | Mr. C. C. Lee |
| Mr. C. K. Lee | Mrs. S. L. Lo | Mr. S. K. Tuit |
| Mr. H. C. Lee | Mr. H. K. Ma | Mr. C. T. Wong |
| Mr. Y. Lee | Mr. K. H. Poon | Mr. H. K. Wong |
| Mr. C. F. Leung | Mrs. S. Y. Tang | Miss M. W. Wong |
| Mr. H. F. Leung | Mrs. W. O. Tse | Mr. K. H. Yim |
| Mr. S. C. Leung | Miss A. Tsui | |

Laboratory Staff

- Mr. C. C. Tsang
- Mr. H. B. Poon
- Mr. K. W. Chee

Clerical Staff

- Mr. B. Y. Lam
- Mrs. K. M. L. Kwan
- Mr. W. S. Tong

STAFF CHANGES

Outgoing

- Miss S. Lo
- Mr. C. P. Kwok
- Mr. F. W. Chu
- Mrs. I. Leung
- Mr. C. K. Lo
- Mr. P. Y. Ng
- Miss K. H. Lam

Incoming

- Mr. C. F. Au
- Mrs. F. Chan
- Mrs. S. M. Ho
- Mr. Y. T. Hon
- Mr. H. K. Lau
- Mr. W. H. Law
- Mr. Y. Lee
- Mr. Y. S. Yung
- Mr. C. F. Leung

**CLASS ORGANIZATION AND CURRICULUM
1975-76**

F.1	F.2	F.3	F.4	F.5	F.6	U.6			Total		
					Arts	Pure Science	Medicine	Arts	Pure Science	Medicine	
4	4	4	4	4	1	1	2	1	1	2	28

The school has 28 classes consisting of 4 streams. Students are offered a broad general education before they specialize in arts or science in Form Lower Six. F. 5 students are given

Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (English) (1976)
— 189 Distinctions and 573 Credits

As revealed by these results a fairly high academic standard was maintained.

GAMES AND SPORTS

Annual Swimming Sports:

22nd October, 1975 (HEATS)

31st October, 1975 (FINAL)

This was held at the Victoria Park Swimming Pool. Apart from the usual events, the Medley Relay was introduced this year. Six new records were registered. The Guest-of-Honour was Mr. Peter C. K. Chan.

Annual Athletic Sports Meet:

This was held at the Hong Kong Government Stadium. The girls' relay and 100 m. race were the two new events introduced. Records had been expected to be as excellent as those of the previous years and two were indeed registered. Wallington House scored 275 points and became the Champion House. The Guest-of-Honour was Mr. Paul Fan.

Inter-School Competitions (1975-76):

Athletic Meetings

After very keen competition, our teams scored two champions in the individual events.

Basketball

Results were promising as our C grade team entered the Final Round of the Competition and ranked the Third position.

Cross-Country Run

This competition was held at Stanley. Our B grade team ranked second among the other schools and represented Hong Kong area to participate in the overall champion.

Swimming

Results were encouraging. We scored two champions in the individual and relay events.

Table-tennis

Four of our team members in A grade and seven in B grade became the runners-up in this competition.

ENROLMENT

The enrolment figures show a slight increase when compared with those of previous years:

September, 1975: 1,000 boys + 41 girls = 1,041 total

September, 1976: 1,077 boys + 45 girls = 1,122 total

In September, 1975, 158 students were admitted to Form 1 and 132 to Form Lower 6. For September, 1976, the corresponding figures were: 230 to Form 1 and 132 to Form Lower 6. The addition of two new Form 1 classes brought about slight increase.

- C. Table-tennis
- D. Quiz
- E. Chess
- F. Cross-country Run
- G. Chinese Essay Competition
- H. Art Competition

11. Golden Jubilee Issue of School Magazine:

July, 1976

To commemorate the 50th Anniversary a special issue of "The Fig Tree" was compiled through the efforts of the editorial board composed of Staff and student editors.

A new cover design competition was organised in November, 1975 and the special issue was printed in July, 1976.

The contents included the history and development of the school in the past 50 years, contributions of past and present principals, memoirs, and interesting facts about the different facets of school life. It was the first written record of its kind and provided valuable information to those interested in the history and growth of the school.

12. Golden Jubilee Reunion Dinner:

18th July, 1976

This was the climax of the year-long celebration and was organised by the K.C.O.B.A. It took place at the City Hall Restaurant with enthusiastic participation of over 400 present and old members of the school. The attendance of many pre-war Staff and students afforded an unprecedented opportunity for exchange of experience between the old and young generations. Among the many distinguished guests was the Deputy Director of Education, Mr. C. Haye.

13. Golden Jubilee Art Exhibition:

19th July, 1976 to 20th July, 1976

The Art Club sponsored this final programme of the Golden Jubilee celebration in which a large collection of works of art of the students were on display.

THE STUDENT OF THE YEAR AWARD, 1975-76

This honorary and much coveted annual award sponsored by the South China Morning Post was won by our Head Prefect, Ma Kwok Fai. The prizes included an airline tour of Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur and Singapore, a cash scholarship from Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank and a permanent trophy. Ma Kwok Fai was selected by a panel of judges who commented favourably on both this academic attainment and his activities in sports and extra-curricular spheres.

Ma Kwok Fai also won a scholarship in the "Living Classroom Programme" sponsored by the Sing Tao Newspapers Ltd. He went on an educational tour to England and Scotland in the summer.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

The following results were obtained in the public examinations:—

Hong Kong University Advanced Level Examination (1976)
— 59 Distinctions and 154 Credits

5. Golden Jubilee Inter-Form and Individual Bridge Tournament:

January and June, 1976

Organised by the Bridge Club this competition was designed for the senior students in Forms 4 to U6. The prizes were contributed by the K.C.O.B.A.

6. Golden Jubilee Bazaar:

14th February, 1976

This function marked a highlight of the celebration. The K.C.O.B.A. organised an unprecedented event with a view to raising funds for founding 3 scholarships to commemorate the Golden Jubilee. The venue was the school open playground and the various stalls were decorated and games devised by Form 4 students, Prefects, members of the Junior Cross, St. John Ambulance Society and Scouts. The opening ceremony with ribbon cutting was officiated by prominent old boys, the Principal, and CTV actors and actresses.

The proceeds of the Bazaar amounted to \$15,000 were eventually pooled as funds for 3 annual scholarships awarded to 3 outstanding students in Forms 3, 4 and 5. Another 8 scholarships for pupils of the K.C.O.B.A. Primary School and C. K. Law Memorial School were also founded.

7. 50th Anniversary Speech Day:

26th February, 1976

The Hon. Director of Education, Mr. K. Topley specially honoured the occasion by attending as the Guest Speaker. Many old boys, former staff from the Education Department and parents also attended.

8. Golden Jubilee Photographic Contest:

5th March, 1976

While the Photographic Club organised this contest the K.C.O.B.A. sponsored and donated all the prizes for the winners. The theme for this contest was the Golden Jubilee Bazaar during which CTV stars posed as models in the School Garden.

9. Golden Jubilee Open Day:

25th March, 1976

As part of the celebration the main feature of the Open Day was an exhibition of students' projects in the Hall. This included a large model of King's College (Handicraft and Woodwork Club), an outline of history and development of the school in the past years (History Society), statistics and graphs on the interests and characteristics of the students (Geography Society), and a display of the winning photographs of the Golden Jubilee Photographic Contest (Photographic Club). The total number of visitors was over 800.

10. Golden Jubilee Prefects Cup Competitions —

Commenced on 23rd March, 1976

These competitions in different fields of sports and arts were organised by the Prefects' Body specially for the junior students in Forms 2 and 3. The following contests were conducted from end March to May:—

- A. Basketball
- B. Volleyball

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IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE YEAR

The Golden Jubilee Celebrations

The 50th Anniversary celebrations were the highlights of all school activities in the academic year. A Golden Jubilee Celebration Committee formed by the Principal, members of staff and K.C.O.B.A. representatives was entrusted with the planning and executing of a varied programme. The celebrations spanned throughout the year catering for the different interests of both past and present members of the school in the following fields:— (A) social and recreational; (B) sports; (C) academic and educational. Various extra-curricular clubs and societies of the school also participated in organising the following functions which conjured up a festive atmosphere throughout the year:—

1. Golden Jubilee Swimming Gala:

22nd October, 1975 (HEATS)

31st October, 1975 (FINAL)

This event lifted the curtain of celebration and the President of the K.C.O.B.A. was the honourable guest to distribute the trophies and medals.

2. Golden Jubilee Athletic Meet:

28th November, 1975 (HEATS)

5th December, 1975 (FINAL)

Held at the Government Stadium this important event added a sportive atmosphere to the 50th Anniversary celebration. The Guest-of-Honour was Mr. Paul Fan, an old boy.

3. Golden Jubilee Arts Festival:

8th December, 1975 to 19th December, 1975

This fortnight festival was jointly organised by the Art Club, Chinese Literature Society, Drama Society, Music Association, English Literary and Debating Society and Photographic Club. A varied programme covering literary and musical activities was planned to afford opportunities for participation by both junior and senior students of different classes. Summarily, the following competitions were conducted:—

- A. Senior Form Singing Contest — F. 4 to F. U6
- B. Music Instrumental Contest — for both western and Chinese instruments
- C. Chinese Essay Competition — for junior and senior classes
- D. Chinese Debate — F. 4 to F. U6
- E. Inter Form L6 Drama Competition
- F. Variety show for F. 1 to F. 3

4. Golden Jubilee International Chess Individual Competition:

16th January, 1976 to 22nd January, 1976

This was organised by the Chess Club with prizes donated by the K.C.O.B.A.

Finally it is with a sense of achievement, not only of the last academic year but of all former years, that we mention the Golden Jubilee Celebrations. The celebrations were the highlights of all school activities in the academic year. The King's College Old Boys' Association nobly responded to the occasion and joined with the Principal, staff, and students to make it a memorable one. Much planning and effort were needed to make a success of the varied programme which is set out for your perusal in the Annual Report.

Before I close, I would like to thank most sincerely all the teaching staff, the laboratory assistants, the office clerks, and the minor staff for their support and hard work during the past year. In mentioning the teaching staff, I feel I must include a special word of thanks to our Senior Masters, Mr. P. J. Harrison and Mr. S. T. Lung, who have both rendered valuable service to the school in so many ways. I would also like to thank especially those masters who so willingly gave much of their summer vacation in order to get things under way for the new academic year.

I wish also to record my appreciation of the most valuable service rendered by the Head Prefect, Deputy Head Prefects and by the body of prefects in general and also the student librarians.

It now remains for me to thank Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cheng and all our guests here this evening for their presence and listening to me.

It gives me pleasure to invite Mrs. Cheng to present the awards and prizes.

the past three years. He is doing a great deal to advance the interests of the present pupils as well as the activities of the old boys.

In accordance with our custom, the Annual Report of the last session together with the programme has already been distributed and you should all have received a copy. I shall not, of course, read the Annual Report to you but I do feel that I should touch upon a few of the most significant and interesting aspects of it.

As is traditional, I will first mention the academic results. 160 pupils sat for the Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (English) 1976 and obtained 189 Distinctions (compared with 125 and 66 in the two previous years) and 573 Credits (compared with 470 and 398).

In the University of Hong Kong Advanced Level Examination out of a total of 102 students who entered, 99 matriculated fully, thus giving a percentage of 97.1%.

Of the 102 pupils who sat for the Hong Kong University Advanced Level Examination 1976, 66 students were admitted to University of Hong Kong, 3 were admitted to the Chinese University of Hong Kong, 11 were enrolled in the Hong Kong Polytechnic, 9 went abroad for further studies, 4 repeated Form Upper 6 in other schools, and 11 secured positions in society.

The varied facilities offered by King's College, recreational as well as academic, are reflected in the success of our Head Prefect, Ma Kwok Fai, who won the Student of the Year Award. This annual award is sponsored by the South China Morning Post. The prizes included such material inducements as an airline tour, a cash scholarship and a permanent trophy.

As a matter of civic note, you will be pleased to hear that during the last academic year there was a record number of instances of blood donation in King's College, the total number for students being 136.

Principal's Speech and Presentation of his Annual Report (1975-76)

Mr. T. C. Cheng, Mrs. Cheng, Mr. Peter Chan, Ladies and Gentlemen, and pupils of King's College, good evening and welcome to our Annual Speech Day.

It gives me great pleasure to introduce Mr. T. C. Cheng, but first I would like to thank him and Mrs. Cheng for finding the time to come here this evening to officiate at our ceremony.

Mr. T. C. Cheng, O.B.E., J.P., who is at present Head of the United College of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, and concurrently Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University and Director of the School of Education of the Chinese University, is an old boy of this school. He graduated from King's College in 1935 and entered the Hong Kong University. On graduation, Mr. Cheng served with distinction in the Hong Kong Government Education Service, and meanwhile had conferred on him the M.A. in Education, University of London. He then entered the Hong Kong Government Administrative Service where he occupied responsible positions serving the needs of the community. Mr. Cheng still finds time to make a significant contribution to welfare and cultural activities in Hong Kong, particularly relating to the Hong Kong Red Cross and the Royal Society of Arts.

However, the exacting nature of his academic and other commitments has not prevented him from remembering his old school, and he has maintained a helpful association with it, as his presence here today attests.

It is also my pleasure to welcome (once again) another old boy, Mr. Peter Chan Chi Kwan, the President of the Old Boys' Association for