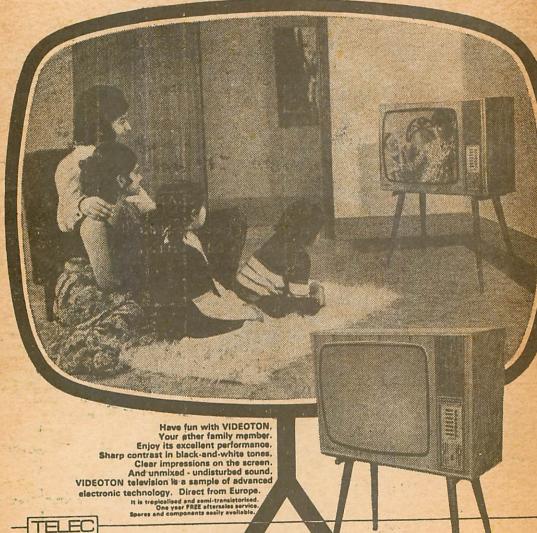


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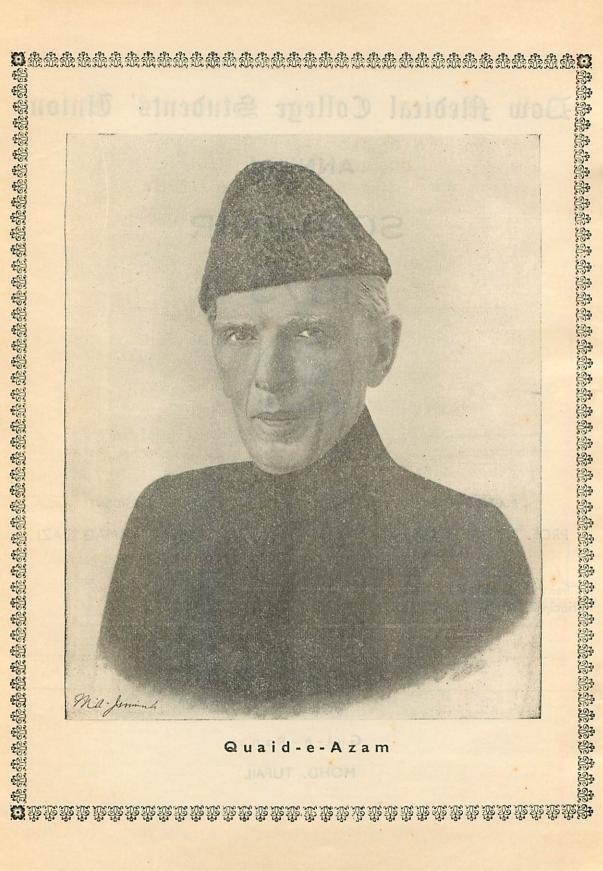
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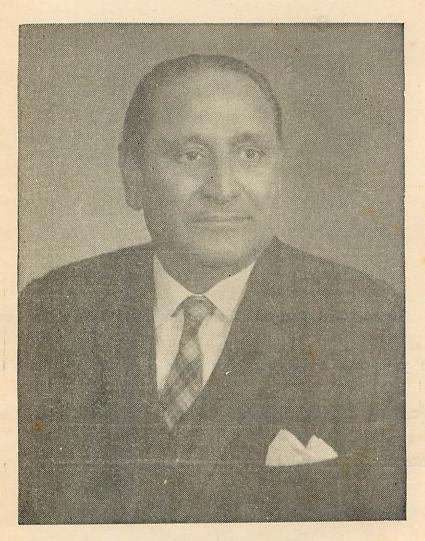
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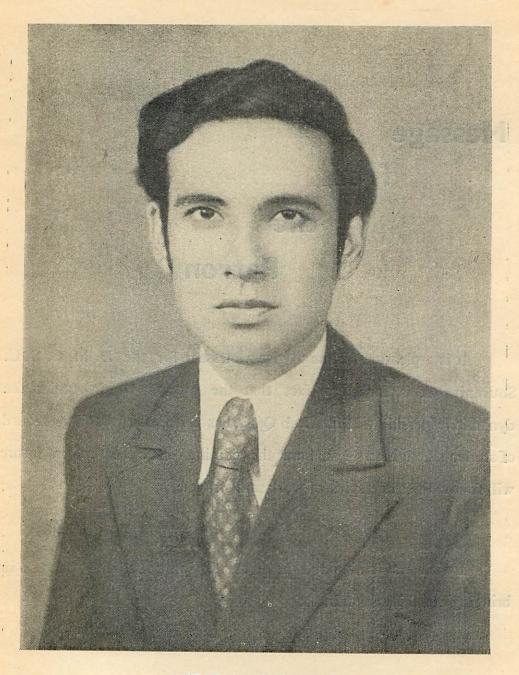
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Patron

It is a pleasure for me to give a message for the D. M. C. S. U. Souvenir. It is indeed a fact that the present Union under the dynamic leadership of Mr. Aftab Qazi, has performed a unique record of students activities. I am sure the coming office bearers in future will follow the same spirit of work and struggle,

I wish the Union and the Souvenir Committee every success in bringing out this souvenir.

STUDENTS' JUNION



AFTAB AHMAD QAZI
PRESIDENT DOW MEDICAL COLLEGE
STUDENTS' UNION

MANIFESTO

To open the Lending library, which has remained closed for the last one year and to ensure a distribution system free from bias.

To shift the Girls Common Room and provide indoor games facilities.

To furnish the boys common room and provide indoor facilities.

Making prescribed books available at cheaper prices in the college.

To improve the D.M.C. bus transport by making it more efficient and to end the malapractices of previous cabinet.

To ensure the smooth functioning of the Fair-price shop and Drug Bank free from party influence.

To provide periodicals in the girls and boys common room.

To strive for the announcement of the examination dates at the begining of each academic year.

To arrange for regular inspection by wardens in order to improve the standard of hygience etc. in the hostels.

To strive for the increase of library hours near the examination.

To increase the number of new editions of text-books in the Library.

Provision of water cooler's in the boys and girls common room.

To provide indoor games facilities in the girls and boys common room in the Hostel.

To provide periodical and newspapers in the boys and girls common room in the Hostel.

To strive for the repatriation of people stranded in East Pakistan and those being held as P.O.W.'s in India,

To help the Foreign students and those from East Pakistan in the solution of their problems.

To strive for a telephone extension in the girls common room.

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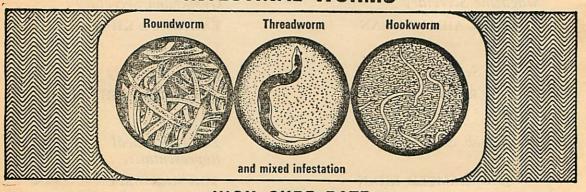


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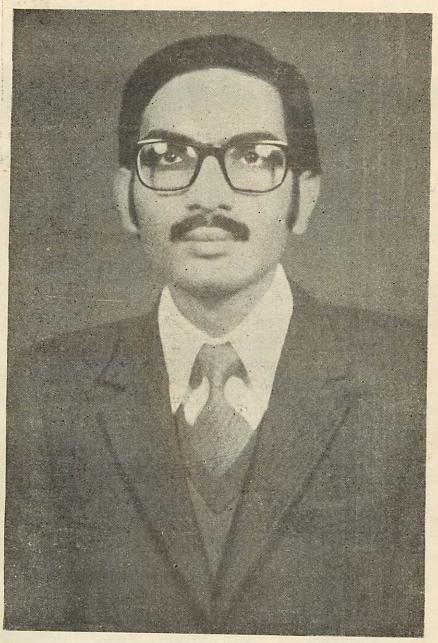
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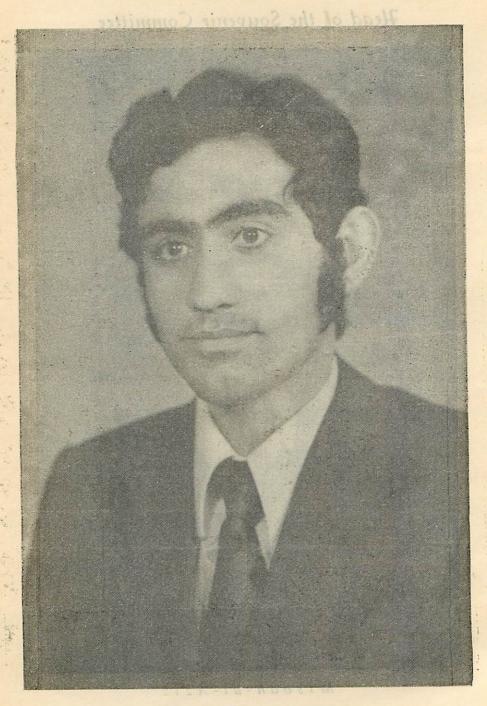
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ZUBAIR FAROOQ 3rd year M.B.B.S.

Hostel Report

TELEPHONE IN HOSTEL

Telephone has been installed in the hostel which sends as well as receivers calls.

Thus a great demand by the students has finally been fulfilled. Thanks to the Union.

NEWS PAPERS PROVIDED IN HOSTELS

Various News papers have been provided in the hostels, previously this was lacking.

FURNITURES AND WHITE WASHING OF HOSTELS.

New Furnitures have been provided in the hostels to replace the junk left by the previous unions. Also a complete white washing of the hostels have been carried out.

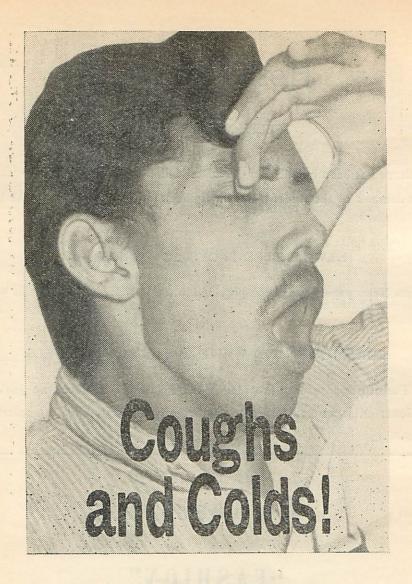
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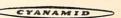
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Lending Library as I see it

1. SHAHID RAFIQUE.

This year the Lending Library has been functioning regularly. I have received as many books as I wanted without any hitch or trouble. I hope those incharge of the lending library next year will do the same.





2. AMIN HAJI KARIM.

Those incharge of the lending library should be congratulated. Good work. Keep it up.

3. ALI AHMED RIND.

Living in the hostel I have observed that many people cannot afford to buy costly medical books. The lending library this year has increased its stocks and the needy students have been provided with whatever they wanted.

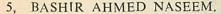


Thanks to the Union.



4. SAEED FAYYAZ

Although I don't need to go the lending library so frequently but whenever I do go there I receive my books in a friendly atmosphere. All students belonging to any group are given what they need. It is very good that for once all students are being treated same in this college.



I must thank this year's lending library incharge for the efficiency with which he has run the lending library impartially and in a friendly atmosphere unlike the previous year when the lending library hardly functioned if at all it did. Congratulations to him and his associates for the efficient handling of their responsibility.





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The Hell of Waters!

By Zubair Farooq

3rd year M. B, B. S.

It came - rapid and soul tearing morbidly gripping human hearts with terror endlessly torturing having no pity on their helplessness unceasingly - came the hell of waters to the Punjab and deserts of Sind sweeping men. animal and crop unwaveringly it moved non stop in a mass wave of death, destruction. Man made measures failed to stem its tide Famine so fierce struck man and beast alike A soul exasperated in ills fell out with everything - agonizing it friends, itself Calamity neither repelled by fortitude escaped by flight or greatness, eluded by obscurity, hit at all class of man bringing doom and destruction as it went Famine and disease tolled many All was lost to the last penny possessions, son and wife were drowned as relatives watched but helplessly looting and thefts reached its zenith even helpers did not hesitate unflinchingly they did aid and abet those who looted O God the merciful! have mercy O humanity do not shrink at misery But do put forward your hand as a disposition of heart to be relieved.



Aftab Qazi Projected to the Syndicate

By Shahab Javaid 2nd year M.B;B.S.

Dow Medical College has got the distinction to have Aftab Ahmed Qazi as the first elected member of the Karachi University Syndicate to represent the students of Karachi.

According to the new University act, two seats have been allocated for the representatives of the students of Karachi in the Syndicate. One of these two seats is reserved for the President of the Karachi University Students Union, while the other is to be filled by an election held between all the elected Presidents of the Students Unions of different colleges of Karachi, Dow Medical College being one of them. This election was of prime importance and Islami-Jamiat-e-Talba selected Aftab Ahmad Qazi, President of D.M.C.S.U. as a candidate. On the other hand all the other student groups formed an alliance and extended their support to Mr. Hassan Feroze. Making an honest decision the Voters voted for Aftab Ahmad Qazi, thus giving the representations of Karachi students in the correct hands of Islami - e - Jamiat - e - Talaba, because both the student Members of the Syndicate were nominees of the same Ideological Movement. By this selection of President of D.M.C.S.U., Dow Medical College got the honour of representing all the students of Karachi.

Due to the delay in the election of the teacher's representative to the Academic Council, the Syndicate, met at a late date. With the completion of these elections We take pride that Dr. Shakir Ali Jaffery, Asstt. Professor of the Biochemistry department of Dow Medical College was elected against the seat reserved for teacher's at the K. U. Academic Council. Now it's hoped that the Syndicate & Academic Council will start functioning normally. Aftab Qazi will certainly be there to look after the interest of Karachi students in general and of Dow Medicl College in special, as his foremost duty.

The absence of a working Syndicate was badly felt when the movement for restoration of merit seats in the Medical Colleges of Sind for the students of Karachi was going on. Had there been a functioning Syndicate, this matter would have been solved much earlier, Even then we proved our worth. We can say that whether the Syndicate is working or not, we shall go on working in the interest of the student's community.



Aftab and the Premedical Students

Ya ibrary Hours Increased

SOHAIL AHMED ANSARI

"A friend in need is a friend indeed" a proverb in which I have always believed came through, during the hectic days of the past few months. The Highlights of the admission policy to the Medical Colleges of Sind, included the reduction of merit seats of Karachi from 405 to 245, whereas the number of first divisioners of Karachi increased from 450 to 650.

To press for the reinstatement of their seats, the Premedical first divisioners formed an action committee and elected me as their chairman.

When all seemed to go against us it was, the Ghazi of D.M.C. Aftab who came to our rescue, and with his unflinchable support' he has able to turn the tide.

He was with us in all the six meetings we had with the Provincial Chief Minister and the sixteen meetings with the Provincial Health Minister; it was due to his sense of responsibility and concern to the matter that we were ultimatety able to break the ice. Mr. Qazi criticised the principle of dividing Karachi, into the so called rural and Urban areas and termed it a step to minimize, if not cancel, the authority of merit.

When all his efforts failed, he resorted to display puplic efforts in getting our demands accepted and the matter was taken up by the Karachl Students council. A chain of public meetings, processions were held at various colleges. In the last meeting at the N.E.D. Engineering College Mr. Malik Mujahid the Chairman of the Council and Mr. Aftab Qızi delivered an ultimatum that unless the demands were accepted by 5 p.m. that evening the students would take matters in their hands and an indefinite strike would prevail.

We kept a dialogue going and eventually succeeded in getting all our demands fulfilled.

The Premedical action committee owes its success mainly to Aftab Qazi. His selfless devotion to our cause was a morale booster, his determination a source of inspiration and his zeal and labour were a welcome aid to us.

Few More Achievements of the Present Union

INAMUL HAI 4th Yr. M. B., B. S.

"Library Hours Increased"

This was the common complaint of students of the hostels that they could not make good use of Library because the Library hours were not properly scheduled. Soon after the oath taking ceremony the Library hours which were previously from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. were extended upto 9 P.M. to provide the maximum facilities. With the extention of Library Hours new volumes of different books have been provided. Now the students can get the required books in the library.

"Water Cooler in the Library"

It was one of the demands from the students that there should be water cooler in the reading room. This has been achieved and a new cooler is waiting for your personal use in the library.

"Telephone in Girls Common Room"

The girls were demanding a telephone in their common room since a long time, one which could be whole and sole at their disposal. A direct telephone connection has been provided in the girls common room.

"Periodicals in Girls Common Room"

The new Union has arranged different periodicals in the girls common room. This is due the great interest shown by girls in current news and different articles, The periodicals provided are Urdu Digest, Sayyara Digest, Khawateen Digest, Akhbar-e-Khawateen, Chatan and Society and Screen. Apart from these periodicals the Union has also arranged for daily News Papers such Hurriyat and Dawn.

AT LAST:

"Examinations Start on Time"

Dow Medical College turned the corner recently when the First Professional M.B., B.S. and Final Professional (Supplementary) Examinations started on time.

In the past, it had been the popular practice of certain Political chanvinists to get the examination postponed to satisfy their ulterior motives. They used to pressuries the authorities by using arm-twisting methods and getting their demands accepted.

However, the story has been quite different this year. President of the Students' Union had been firm on this point. No postponement in examination dates." Despite pressure tactics which were employed by certain students to get the examination postponed, the President refused to give in. This has resulted in the setting up of a very healthy tradition i.e. the starting of the examination on set dates. The President hopes that the in-coming union will also uphold this tradation.



Mr. Malik Mujahid Member of K. U. Syndicate and Chairman of Karachi Students Council addressing the students meeting during the struggle for merit.

" MIGRATION PROBLEM SOLVED"

Another great achievement of Aftab Qazi is that the Karachi students will get admission in the medical colleges of Karachi and will not be sent to Larkana as were sent last year.

"RESTORATION OF FEES"

Fees had been increased by the government from Rs. 237 to Rs. 415 and the hostel charges were doubled this year. But they have been restored. Thanks to the President D. M. C. S. U.

"GIRLS MEDICAL COLLEGE"

A Girls Medical College the first of its kind in Sind is expected to start soon in Karachi. Aftab Qazi is in touch with the concerned authorities in this respect.

"Medals for the Medicos"

By Nikhat Akhtar

IInd yr. M.B.B.S

Medical science is regarded the world over as one of the most complicated and difficult subject to study and master completely. It is for this reason that only the top most students can get admission to the medical colleges and then too not all can match the grades required for passing the tough and gruelling annual examination. Yet, there are students who not only pass these exams but secure positions as well, which for many remain only a dream. It is these outstanding scholars of whom the nation can be proud and and look upon to shoulder the responsibilities of safeguarding the national health and well being.

Dow Medical College is an institution which has over the years produced not only doctors, but doctors who have won fame for this institution as well as for their country. It is indeed a pity that many such heroes have passed unhonoured and unsung due to the negligence of the government and the administration.

Aftab Qazi and his workers, unlike their predecessors, did not waste any time in recognizing the work of such meritorious students. It has been their first and foremost thought to honour these students on behalf of the students union; so that they may work even harder and bring fame and glory to the institution. To attain these objectives, they have laboured hard all the year and now finally have succeeded in obtaining gold and silverymedals which will be awarded to the outstanding students very soon at a remarkable and colourful ceremony.

It is noteworthy to mention that this is the first time ever that gold medals are being awarded to position holders in all professional examinations from the year 1970 onwards, and as such the President of the Union deserves praise from all quarters.

In all "16" gold medals will be awarded to the 1st position holders and students securing Roll of Honour in different subjects. Medals weigh 1\frac{1}{4}, Tolas each consisting of 18 K of gold. A total number of "14" silver medals will be awarded to the 2nd and 3rd position holders. Besides the gold and silver medals, Merit Certificate will also be awarded.

At the time of our going to the press, hectic preparations are underway to mark the occasion in a grand and memorable fashion.

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1st Prof. 1st Abdul Aziz A. Mohd (Gold Medal)

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2nd Khalil Malik (Silver Medal)

3rd Misbah-ul-Aziz (Silver Medal)



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1972

1st Prof. 1st Amin Haji Karim (Gold Medal)

2nd Bye Hassen Damry (Silver Medal)

3rd Shahida Chishti (Silver Medal)



Amin Haji Karim

1971

2nd Prof. 1st Nur Jehan Qureshi

2nd Iffat Ahsan Abbasi

3rd Amjad Iqbal

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Bye Hassen Damry

1972

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2nd Abdul Razzak (Silver Medal)
3rd Abdul Aziz A. Mohd. (Silver Medal)



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2nd Nur Jehan Qureshi (Silver Medal)
3rd Amjad Iqbal (Silver Medal)

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Final Prof. 1st Dr. Fauzia Quddus (Gold Medal)

2nd Dr. Asif Hussain (Silver Medal)

3rd Dr. Alamgir (Silver Medal)



Amjad Iqbal

Gold Medals for :

Best Dow Graduate 1972 Dr. Fouzia Quddus

Physiology: Amin Haji Karim
Anatomy: Bye Hassen Damrey
Physiology: Abdul Pazzak

Pharmacology: Abdul Razzak
Gen. Pathology: Amjad Iqbal
Medicine: Dr. Asif Hussain

Gynaecology: Dr. Rabbia Shoukatullah Surgery: Dr. A. Yaqoob Mansoor



Dr. Fouzia Quddus

GENERAL VIEWS

Shahina Sheikh

Cooler should not be kept in front of the bath room, instead it should be in the common room

Bus service is efficient but only when it leave at 3-30 P.M. Lending Library is also efficient but new editions be issued. There are lot of books available at book shop and also journals should be available there.

Miss Seema Monim

More game facilities should be provided for girls in the girls common room. There be a good cafeteria for girls near girls common room. Lending Library is very efficient. Fair Price shop should have all the necessities and its timings should be from 9 A. M. to 12 Noon.

Miss Shaheen Farzana

Common room should cleaned early in the morning and not when students start coming. Bathroom taps were always leaking. Timing of the Fair Price Shop should be changed according to the time table. College bus should leave at 3-30 P.M. New editions of books should be issued from the Lending Library.

Miss Rohi Amjad

There should be more lockers in the common rooms. Fair Price Shop should have all the neccessities of students. Lending Library is very good.

Miss Tanveer Husain.

Bathrooms are very dirty. There should be some good magazine in the girls common room. Lending Library is very efficient. Fair Price Shop should have more books and journals.

Miss Shahida Rishi.

Journals should be available at Fair Price Shop. Girls Common Room should be properly cleaned. College buses should leave at 3-30 P.M. Lending Library is very efficient. Hygiene books should be issued to third year students.

Miss Salma Hafeez.

Common room is never properly cleaned. Lending Library is very good, Fair Price Shop should have more books and journals. Buses should leave at 3-30 P.M.

Miss Anis Shaikh.

Lockers are very small. Buses should leave at 3-30 P.M. There should be all the books and journals available at the Fair Price Shop, so that students do not have to go out.

Miss Sanober Chaudhry

There should be a small cafeteria near the girls common room. Bus service and Lending Library are very efficient. Timings of Fair Price Shop should be changed according to the time table.

Miss Farzana Husain.

There are no indoor games facilities in the girls common room. More books should be available at the fair price shop. Lending Library should issue books of patholgy and hygiene to third year students. College buses should leave at 3-30 P.M.

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MOCK TRIAL

Case presented in Court

PATIENT Vs DOCTOR

Patient stands for the common people who are liable to become sick.

Doctor Stands for all Doctors.

THE CHARGES

Doctors were accused of negligence in their duty producing bodily hurt and mental torture, taking advantage of their patients' sufferings, trying to earn more and more money and adapting social evils.

THE VERDICT

According to the Jury,
the charges put by the prosecution were weak,
influenced by emotions and showed that only
few doctors were responsible for these
charges, the majority of the doctors were free
from these, hence the case was dismissed.



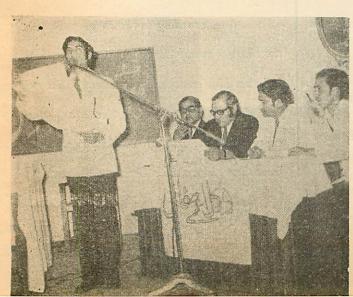
THE JUDGE

Justice Qadeeruddin

COUNCIL FOR PROSECUTION

Junaid Farooqi Shafi Naqi Jamai Saadia Roshan Faiza Siddiqi





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Once I even reached the college

When the bus service was started by our predecessors last year, it was only one way and extremly irregular. The buses were in bad shape, the seats were torn. Besides this no receipt was issued for the fare charged from the students, consequently no records maintained. All this the Senior Classes can confirm.

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Realising the difficulty, students have to face, a Committee was organized and I was appointed its incharge. We worked out the routes. Bus services was immediately restored on two routes. One covering the Fedral B Area to college via Nazimabal, the other covering the Society area. Both are quite extensive and have been modified much since. Proper receipts given to the students,

Meanwhile, we persuaded the Provincial Government and got two more buses. after relentless efforts. Thus it was possible for us to spare one old bus, we got it repaired. The same dilapidated bus now has definitely improved seats and a positively better performance. This also gave us a chance to run on a third route covering Defence Society and Malir area. Although many people showed their willingness to travel on this route very few availed this opportunity. We were therefore compelled to terminate it.

Inspite of the fact we want the bus service to be free for the students yet it is not possible at the moment on account of lack of funds. Probably a year or more of persistent efforts will bring us at par with the bus service of the Karachi University. Let us hope we will soon achieve our goal.

Opinions about the Bus Service

1. ASHRAF ZHEER HASAN

When posted with Prof. Col. Najib there was a need for us to be punctual and I was not sure whether I would be able to reach the clinics in time because of my bitter experience with the bus service provided by the previous Union. But this year not only his the bus service improved and is regular but also it reaches college in time. I have never been late for my clinics.





2. GHULAM FARID SHAIKH

I used to have a terrible transport problem. I had to wait for a rickshaw or taxi sometimes for more than an hour or two. Once I even reached the college at 10 A.M. Since the Bus Service started regularly I have never been late.

3. KANEEZ FATIMA

I am a resident of North Nazimabad and was in a terrible fix. The rickshaw would charge me Rs. 4 for one sided trip. That means Rs. 8 daily for transport only and travelling on the foot board of a public bus was not exactly safe! I am really grateful to the Union for starting the Bus Service and thus getting rid of my problem.





4. NAJM-US-SAQUIB

I am a satisfied with the bus service as a whole but it can be improved by additional routes. Sometimes I feel that this bus service is only for Pre-clinical Students I hope this image is erased.

5. ANWAR SAEED

Bus service was a necessity of our college which has been fulfilled by our Union. Congratulation to them,

6. KAISER SIRAJ

I am not entirely satisfied with the bus service. The bus stops just in front of my house and sometimes it comes when I am taking my breakfast. Inspite of my repeated requests the driver does not wait for me. I lodge a protest against this unreasonable attitude.

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FAIR PRICE SHOP

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Syed Najmul Arfeen (IInd Yr.)

The D.M.C.S.U. fair price shop is a unique example in itself. I say unique beceause in no other educational institution of Karachi, the president of the students union has to run a shop, but then D.M.C. is a strange place and here you can expect the strangest of things to happen. Talking about strange happenings, an interesting fact is that, when Aftab Qazi opened the locks of the fair price shop after assuming the office of the president D.M.C.S.U., he and everyone present were shocked to see that the much publicised fair price shop was left deprived of all its belongings by the previous cabinet which incidently called itself progressive.

The shop had to be restocked with goods and this required quite an adequate sum of money which could not come from the union budget as there is no sanction for the shop which seems rather strange, but nevertheless it is true.

The challenge was accepted by the president and his colleagues and they with the generous assistance and keen interest of the students and the patron Dr. Ghaffar A. Biloo, managed to overcome the financial and other difficulties, so that in the first week of March, 73 the shop was formally inaugurated by Prof. Mushtaq Hassan, who was all praise for the nice effort on behalf of the shop incharge and his associates.

Since the day of inauguration the fair price shop has been functioning with utmost efficiency, regularity and catering to the needs of the students. The shop functions on a "no profit-no loss" basis and hence the prices of goods available here are usually 15 to even 20% below the market price, and it is due to this fact that students prefer to get their requirements from here. According to a careful estimate so far 75% of the college students have benefited from the shop and the percentage is rising steadily. The shop opens daily for 1½ hours in the afternoon and there is always a host of buyers before it, The average daily sale has shot up from Rs, 70 in March '73 to Rs. 250 in January '74, which is a proof of the ever increasing efficiency and the greater patronage of the college students.

Today the shop offers for sale several hundred items of daily use and to name only a few there is Tea, Coffee, Ovaltine, Chocolate drinks, Squashes, Jams, Jellies, Ketchups, Milk, Biscuits, Soaps, Washing powder, Razor blades, tooth Pastes, Shaving cream, Shampoos, After shave lotions, Perfumes, Powders, Stationery, and of course chewing gums, toffees and suparis which are always in great demand among girls.

A great number of college students especially those living in the hostel get their monthly requirements of goods from the fair price shop and thereby save a fair amount of money every month.

Weekly stock checking and maintenance of up - to - date accounts on the instruction of the president has enabled the shop to function smoothly all the year long and there has never been a shortage of items in the shop. It has been a practice to change the duties of shop workers after every three months, so that now there is a whole team of students who are trained in the art of running the shop and keeping it well stocked. It is their sincere dedication to the job that all the loans have been repaid and the shop has no dues to clear whatsoever.

The President and his colleagues deserve praise for the honesty and devotion, which has enabled them to leave behind a well organised shop, which they had inherited in the form of an empty room.

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Prof. MUSHTAQUE, Prof. WAHID and AFTAB QAZI at the Opening Ceremony of Fair Price Shop.



Prof. MUSHTAQUE, Prof. WAHID and RAFIQ AWAN at the Inaugration Ceremony of the Cooperative Book Store.

Fair Price Shop in my Opinion

1. Mahboob Kaukawadia

This year the Fair Price shop is functioning regularly. The service is very good. Nearly all the articles, which a Dow student may require for daily use are available. The rush of students, itself signify its importance. I hope it will be maintained like this





2. Saad Jamal.

About the Fair Price Shop, I would like to say that this year it has shown a fantastic progress. Now one can buy almost every thing, from a toffee to a copy.

3. G. S. Bughti.

Although I have not been to the Fair Price Shop, so often I would like to say that whenever, I went there, I found it over crowded. I always had a brotherly dealing and got nearly every thing that I required.





4. Shaukat.

Since the time the fair price shop has started functioning regularly I have been saved the trouble of going to the bookstalls for buying what I need. This is a good step. Whatever I need is within my reach.

5. Mohammed Ibrahim.

The fair price shop and cooperative book store is absolutely marvellous. Most of us who could not afford to buy valuable and expensive books are having them at our disposal and at what costs! One has to buy it to believe it. Thanks to the Union.



6. Samiullah Khan.

As I am staying at the hostel, I need so many things like soap, blade washing powder and tooth paste. Now I get these things from our Fair Price Shop, and that also on cheap rates. It is good step, If maintained this will help a lot.

Cooperative Book Store

BY

Mohd, Shaukat Ali Malik

(3rd Year)

Fellow students we do not promise to move heaven and earth together which is a tradition of others but whatever Promises we make in our Manifesto, we strive to fulfill them at all costs, come what may. The year 1973 bears a testi mony to this fact and Aftab Ahmed Qazi deserves the heartiest congratulations and credit. In future, as in the past we shall continue to struggle for the students. Dow Medical College is an institution where students are drawn from the cream of the society and are of high calibre.

Unfortunately in the past the thirss of these seekers of knowledge could not be quenched, because of the lack of standard books.

On the third of March when Aftab Qazi took over as the President D. M. C. S. U., dawned a new Era in the history of our college. The assurance given in the presidential manifesto to provide the students books at a cheap rate was accomplished when Prof. Mushtaq and Prof. Wahid performed the opening ceremony of the cooperative book store. The standard of books and the untiring efforts of Aftab Qazi were lauded by our worthy professors. On the day of inauguration books worth Rs. 7,000 were sold. Today every student irrespective of his financial status is in possession of the valuable and expensive books which once used to be confined to the library or were the belongings of a handful of rich students.

In the preliminary stages only a few standard books were published by the Government. These could not cater the needs of the students, The president Mr. Aftab Qazi thought it imperative to get more books to meet the growing needs of the students, consequently valuable books like Therapeutic Aspects of Pharmacology by Goodman and Gillman, and Grant's method of Anatomy were published as a result of his relentless efforts. This in no way marks the end of our efforts, as still more and more books are required to cover the needs of various classes. The President D.M.C.S.U. through his endeavour has succeeded in getting published the following books which will soon be available at cheap rates.

1. Obsterics by ten teachers.
2. Gynaecology by Shaw.
3. Eye by Parson.
4. Cunninghum's Manual of practical Anatomy vol, I, II, III

And above all, the good news is that 'Gray's Anatomy' (latest edition) is now in the press and shall be available soon. Thanks to the presentation made by the President.

Thus Aftab, like an ancient Farhad has cut through the dry mountain side to bring forth the stream of knowledge to quench the thirst of this intellectually parched land called Dow Medical College.

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Professor M. A. Ansari Incharge of Flood Relief Work



Aftab Qazi Presenting the last installment of Rs. 38,000 collected for Flood Relief Work to Mir Rehman Ali Hashmi



A. W. Katpar, at the Certificate Distribution Ceremony



A group photo of Flood Relief Team seen with Mir Rehman Ali Hashmi Gen. Secretary of P. M. A.



Aftab Qazi stating the Flood Relief Report at the Certificate Distribution Ceremony

Flood Relief Activities Report

By Prof. M. A. Ansari

Deptt. of Preventive Medicine, Hygiene, and Social Medicine.

Dow Medical College

The end of 1973 saw a great disaster for Pakistan, caused by the overflowing of all the rivers of Punjab and Sind. This flood brought death, disease and sufferings to mankind on such a large scale, that the entire world was shocked. People from all parts of the country, came forward to help their affected brethrens.

Dow Medicos, being the sensitive part of the population took this national calamity with grief and responsibility. Students led by Aftab Qazi, President D.M.C. Students Union, rose to the occasion as a part and parcel of their responsibility and human ego.

Under my supervision, Aftab organised the students in groups of ten each. They were provided supervision of a doctor, who incidently was also a teacher in the medical college. The students were sent to cover all eleven affected districts of the province of Sind.

Inspite of it that they were handicapped, with regard to the availablity of the basic amenities of food, shelter and medicine, they served the needy and ailing humanity to the best of their capacities. Since no funds were available, on request the Pakistan Medical Association provided Rs. 10,000 for more than hundred students, a very small amount as a loan.

The world loan was a challenge to the prestige of the medicos and hence the president of the union appealed to fellow students of the Dow Medical College, to contribute and collect funds from their teachers and other members of the medical profession, hence within a period of four days, the amount collected was nearly four times the money given as loan to the medicos. This huge amount of Rs. 36,000 was handed over to the P.M.A. by Aftab Qazi in an informal ceremony. By the help of this amount first aid centres were established, at the affected areas.

All the seven flood devastated districts were covered for a period of ten days and medical relief was provided to the suffering population. Students worked day and night, without considering their own health. Some students slept in boats, some suffered from high fever. But they served their best, gave medicines and immunised people who were exposed to all sorts of germs. They were surrounded by snakes, on occasions they were standing in waist deep water, but the desire of serving their countryman was of foremost importance to them.

THE task assigned to them, was accomplished with perfection. President of the students union, Aftab Qazi and his helpers were appreciated by the Prime Minister, and the Health Minister of Sind, who distributed Merit Certificates among the Dowides. I as a Proffesor of Preventive Medicine feel proud of the students' leadership, which organised this task of national importance in such an efficient manner.

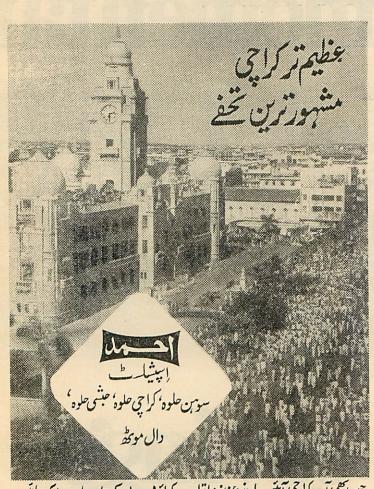
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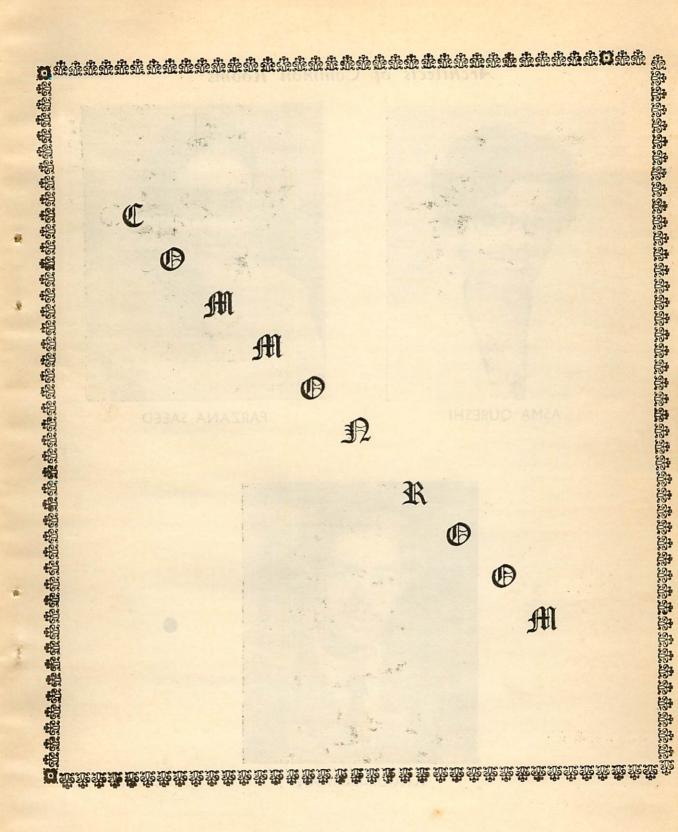
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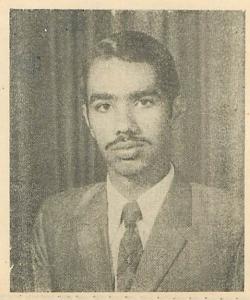
Architects of Common Rooms



ASMA QURESHI



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GIRLS COMMON ROOM

By
AZRA JAMAL
Hnd yr. M. B., B. S.

The Girls Common Room as somebody has aptly put it, is the best place in the college to sit, to talk, to study and to relax. When Mr. Aftab Qazi was voted into power last year, the girls common room was working on makeshift arrangements besides the Anatomy Museum. One of the cardinal points in the manifesto of Aftab Qazi was the shifting of the common room to a better place and setting it up on permanent basis. To achieve this end, the President started right away.

Mr. Aftab talked to Prof. A. Wahid about the possible place for the common room. On Aftab's insistence, the ground floor of the New Block was allocated for the common room. The office which was working on the ground floor, was shifted to the third floor.

Next. the President set up a Committee headed by Asma Qureshi (now Dr. Asma Qureshi), which included Miss Anjum (Now Dr. Anjum), Misbahul Aziz, Idrees, Tariq Rashid, Shamim, Shakeel, Ataur Rehman, Miss Nikhat, Miss Memona Riaz, Miss Nikhat Chohan, Miss Tehseen Tabasum and Miss Anjum Shabana, as its members. This committee was responsible for the entire arrangements regarding the renovation of the common room. The Committee approached the Provincial Health Minister, Mr. A. Wahid Katpar, prevailed upon him to sanction Rs. 5,000/-. This the Minister agreed to do. Then the committee approached various pharmaceutical firms for the donation of different articles of decoration. Hoechst was kind enough to donate the curtains.

After all this preliminary work, the main task of filling up the Common Room was started. As a result of persistant, painstaking efforts of the President and the Common Room Committee, this difficult task was accomplished. The Common Room was ultimately provided with a wide variety of articles which would satisfy the demands of the overwhelming majority of girls. It was finally inaguarated by Mr. A. W. Katpar on 5th June, 1973 and was greatly appreciated by the girls. A Telephone has been installed, 75 Lockers have been provided; a Radio set has also been provided. The common room is very spacious and comprises of two large rooms. A good number of sofa sets are present, alongwith chairs and tables making it possible for girls to study seriously during their free time. A secluded spot for saying prayers and a copy of the Holy Quran have also been provided. A large, beautiful mirror hangs in the common room, enabling the girls to freshen themselves. Benches in the corridor have further eased the seating problem. Plants in the corridor add natural beauty to the entire common room.

Thus, it is sufficient to say that the Girls Common Room satisfies the wishes and aspirations of the girls of DMC who had long been denied a completely independent room of their own.

VIEWS ABOUT THE COMMON ROOM



KAUSER TASNEEM

1. The new common room for girls is very well equiped and beautifully furnished It is spacious, moreover this type of common room was badly needed by the girls.

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Mohd. ISHAQ JOWAHIR

2. The new boys common, with all it facilities is a grand addition to the college but the girls common room is far better.



HASEEN BANO

3. The new girls common room is fantatic, especially the telephone facilities which is really a great help to the girls. Periodicals are there but few english weeklies should be added.



FARIDA KHANAM

4. After being provided with all the requirements, I would like to ask for few more standard english periodicals. The provision of facilities of offering prayers for the girls was very much expected from this union. They deserve appreciation for this.



ABDUL SAMI KHAN

5. The boys common room is very good but it can be improved,



SHAHIDA SATTAR

6. Speaking without bias, I would like to say that, nearly all the girls are thankful and they really appreciate this work. This should be maintained, by the respective incharges and the future union.



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QAZI President D.M.C.S.U.

on the occasion of the opening

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Health Minister Mr. ABDUL WAHID KATPAR performing the opening ceremony of the Girls Common Room.

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Editorial

It is an honour to me that I got an opportunity to collect and edit so many achievements of the present students union of 72-73. I feel proud as I present this souvenir to Dowides.

This souvenir has been brought out to project to you the work done by A itab Qazi and his helpers, the constant tiresome efforts which they have made to fulfil their promises and to draw your attention towards the tremendous progress which marks their devotion towards the students cause and which reflects their sincerity and honesty.

Here you may come across some comparisons. These comparisons are made with no other intentions but to give you a clear view of the changes that took place after the present union took oath. Changes that brought to you Books, Fair price Shop, Cooperative Book Store, Buses, New Girls Common Room, 432 Merit Seats and many other things besides. Changes which abolished postponements of examination, misuse of Union Funds, provincial and sectarian feelings and partial attitude.

By presenting this Souvenir, I have submitted to you the solid, living facts, for your honest verdict, that is whether or not we have come up to your expectations. Believe me it was difficult a job, especially with so many people deliberately tampering us in this sacred work, which was entrusted by Medicos to us.

I thank Prof. Abdul Wahid, Principal Dow Medical College and Patron D. M. C. S. U., and the respected members of the staff, on behalf of the souvenir committee, for sparing their precious time and kind guidance. I also thank all those fellow students who did their bit in bringing out this souvenir.

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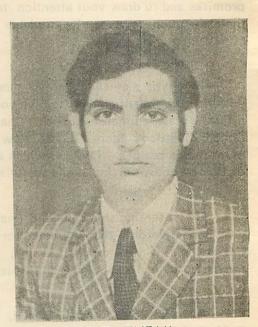
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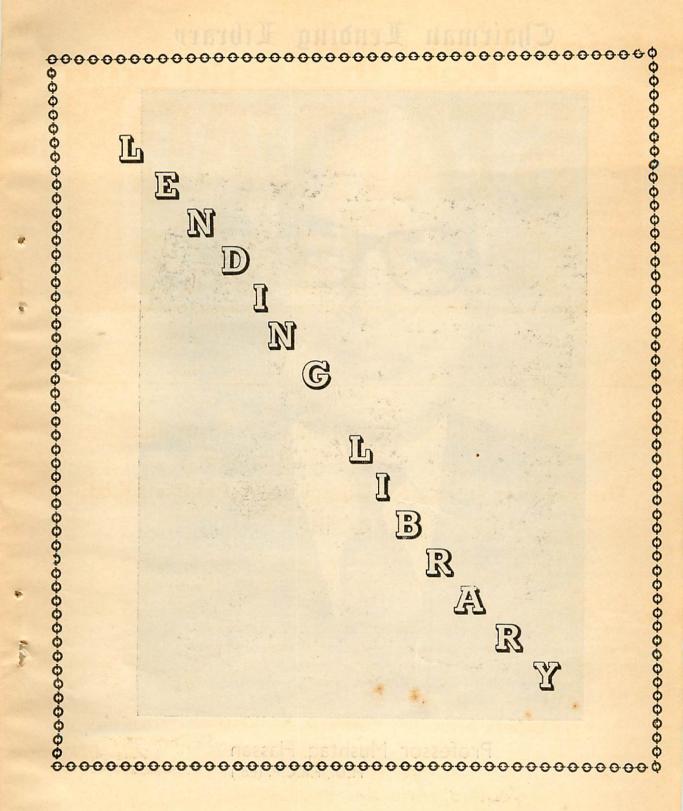
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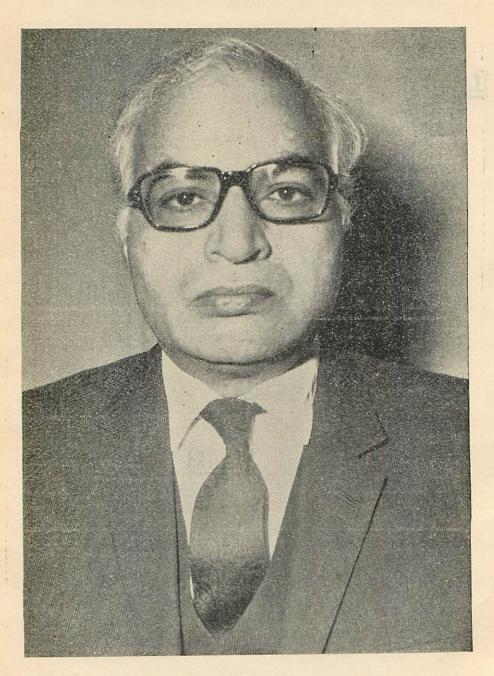
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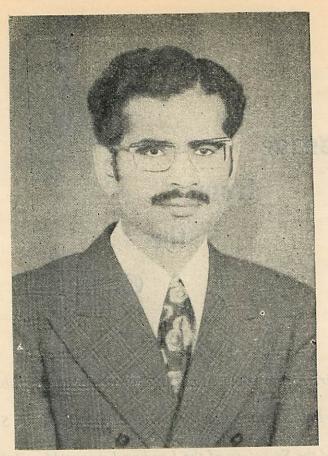
Message

from

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Chairman

The affairs of the Dow Medical College Lending Library have been very thoroughly looked into by the President of the D. M. C. S. U. Mr. Aftab Ahmed Qazi and the Secretary of the Lending Library Mr. Zaheeruddin Baber. A lot of hard work has gone into this thorough overhaul and the procedure of receipts, entries and issuing of books now appears fool proof as the result of their conscientious devotion to this matter. I whole-heartedly congratulate them on this accomplishment and have the hope that their successors will unflinchingly carry on the good work put in by them this year.



SECRETARY Lending Library Zaheeruddin Babar



Mohd. Tahir ASST. SECRETARY



Manzar Saleem ASST. SECRETARY

"RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF LENDING LIBRARY"

By

MANZAR SALEEM

4th Year M.B., B.S.

The lending library had for the past two years remained a mystery for the students of D.M.C. and in this long and ardous period of denial, no responsible person came forward to untangle the ever-intriguing drama of the library. However when the locks of the library were broken by Aftab Qazi, who took charge of the Union in March, 1973, the puzzle was solved. Here was a shocking example of massive corruption and the wide spread inefficiency that had come to be recognised as the hall-marks of the previous Unions, in other fields as well.

There is a D. M. C. tradition that every fourth year a 'FETE' (Meena Bazar) is organised by the Union and the earnings of that Fete are to be utilized for the purchase of books for the lending library. Our predecessors arranged a "Grand Fete '72, streching over four days.

According to conservative estimation the net profit of Fete 1972 amounted to more than One Lac (1,00,000,00). But very surprizingly, the audit report which the organizers of the Fete 1972 have produced, showed a profit of a very meagre sum of Rs. 0,00,104.00 (One hundred and four only), But, even this 'Huge' [amount collected after 'Heavy' and 'Hectic' working of our predecessors have not been given to the lending library today.

The darkest aspect of this incident is that even 15 months after the Fete '72', various outstanding bills are still pouring in—For instance, we quote a few examples.

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2. Canada Dry Rs. 2,463.00 (For Ice-cream etc.)

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Thus our predecessors have left up with a "donation" of more than 16,000.00 (Rupees sixteen thousand only) in the form of outstanding bills.

In March, 1973, when Aftab Qazi was elected as President, we decided to open the library as had been promised before the elections. No one was prepared to handover the charge (It is normally the duty of the ex-President), the locks were broken in the presence of Prof. A. Wahid, Administrator Dow Medical College.

The doors were thrown open and lo behold. There were only 48 useable books (all others were useless and outdated). They were written off after consultation with the Chairman of the Library and Administrator D.M.C.) All official records of the lending library were missing, presumely taken away by the previous Union in order to facilitate smooth and unhindered bungling.

We dutifully set about the task of clearing the "Aegean Stables" and it was no mean task, in fact, the very labour of Heracles. We are proud to declare that we have put the library on an even footing. No student of this College can challenge this statement, friend and foe alike.

A new endeavour was initiated and a movement was launched to collect books and donations. As a result of hard and strenous day and night work of the party without the support of a Fete, we have compiled new records and registers. 2,400 Brand New Text Books (latest editions) worth more than Rs. 74,000.00 (Rupees Seventy Thousand) have been added to the collection.

It can be well imagined how difficult and cumbersome this entire task was for those who worked volunteerily and deligently—ordinarily students who had also to attend their daily academic schedule.

However, it was the spirt of sacrifice and service and faith in the leadership of the Union which kept them going through this difficult period.

On the other hand most shamefully those very people, who had kept the library closed during their tenure, had bungled the 'Grand Fete '72', breaking all the previous records, and have left a burden of Rs. 16,000.00 in the form of unpaid bills, thereby tarnishing the image and honour of our Alma Mater, have the temerity to accuse us of inefficiency. But then volta-faced lying is the standard Machiavellian—Hitlerian technique in which they are pastmasters.

We invite all to study, this entire matter in an open and objective manner. We are confident that the same conclusion shall be reached by you as we have. That "once bitten twice shy", in other words, those who have betrayed the trust of the students once cannot be trusted again.