

FORWARD TOGETHER

**FROM MERDEKA
TO MALAYSIA!**

**FROM STABILITY
TO SUCCESS!**

**FROM PEACE
TO PROSPERITY!**

**VOTE ALLIANCE
TO PROGRESS!**

THE TRUTH BASED ON FACT



Colonialism

We were given a Mandate to break the chains of Colonialism.

We, the Alliance, did this with success!

Independence

We were given a Mandate for Merdeka.

We, the Alliance, achieved this in triumph!

Firm Foundations

We were given a Mandate to lay the firm foundations of our new Nation.

The World has witnessed our success!

Peace and Prosperity

We were given a Mandate to guide our Country from Merdeka to Nationhood.

The peace and prosperity of Malaysia today is proof of the fact that we are fit to lead!

Development

We were given a Mandate to make our Country a better place to live in.

Millions of projects, the pillars of our prosperity, are proof of our determination and dynamic drive in Development.

Progress

We were given a Mandate for progress.

Our rural people are no longer neglected;
Our urban people are no longer insecure!

Confrontation

We were given a Mandate to lead our Nation through the dangers and the difficulties caused by the conflict of Confrontation.

We, the Alliance, succeeded in safeguarding our sovereignty; and in maintaining the freedom, the honour and dignity of Malaysia!

THESE ARE FACTS OF THE ALLIANCE POLICY.

"Facts do not cease to exist just because they are ignored or distorted."

2. THE FUTURE

The accumulated experience of seven years of good Government is the greatest benefit which the Alliance, (but no other party), can give as an investment towards future:

Stability

Security

Greater Progress

Even More Prosperity for Malaysia.

Programme *for* PROGRESS

We offer

**FROM
SECURITY**

**A SECURE
MALAYSIA**

**TO
STABILITY**

**A STABLE
MALAYSIA**

**BY ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT**

**A RICHER
MALAYSIA**

**TO
PROGRESS**

**A PROGRESSIVE
PEOPLE**

STRENGTH IN NATIONAL DEFENCE
SAFETY IN INTERNAL SECURITY
STRENGTH IN SAFEGUARDING OUR SO-
VEREIGNTY
SUBVERSIVE ELEMENTS WILL NOT SUR-
VIVE
UNITY IN LOYALTY TO OUR SOVEREIGN
STABILITY IN POLITICAL PURPOSE
FREEDOM WITHIN A TRUE DEMOCRACY
SOUND GOVERNMENT WITH SINCERE
REPRESENTATION
POSITIVE PLANNING ON ALL ECONOMIC
FRONTS
DYNAMIC DRIVE IN ALL DEVELOPMENT
RENEWED RESULTS IN RURAL DEVELOP-
MENT
REDOUBLED EFFORTS ON LAND DEVELOP-
MENT
INCREASED INDUSTRIAL INTENSITY
BETTER MARKETS FOR BETTER PRODUCE
A PROPERTY-OWNING DEMOCRACY
A CAREFREE CHILDHOOD; EDUCATION
IN YOUTH
EQUIPPED FOR EMPLOYMENT; PRIDE IN
OWN HOME
BETTER INCOMES, BETTER OPPORTUNITY
GREATER AMENITIES; HEALTH AND
SOCIAL SERVICES
SECURE IN OLD AGE

A HAPPY MALAYSIA!

The Alliance in our National Language is "Perikatan."

"PERIKATAN" STANDS FOR:

- "P — PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY WITH PEACE
- E — EDUCATION FOR NATIONAL UNITY
- R — RESULTS IN DEVELOPMENT
- I — INCREASED INCOMES FOR ALL
- K — KING AND COUNTRY BEFORE SELF
- A — ACCLAIM FROM THE WORLD
- T — TIME-TESTED AND TRUSTWORTHY
GOVERNMENT
- A — ACCORD AND HARMONY [FOR ALL OUR
PEOPLES
- N" — NO FEAR FOR THE FUTURE

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FREEDOM

We firmly believe that the Freedom to which we aspire is the freedom to govern ourselves under a system in which parliamentary institutions shall be exclusively representative of the people's will.

We believe that in unity lies our strength, in discord lies our danger.

A FREE PEOPLE

We reaffirm our main aim and purpose, which is to create and maintain, consistent with our Constitution, a political, economic, and social structure in our country which will always permit the greatest possible freedom for all our people at all times so that they may be free:

- To pursue their political beliefs;
- To earn their livelihood with hope for the future
- To live in unity and harmony;
- To progress and to prosper;
- To live free from fear; safeguarded from oppression.
- To practise, unhindered, the religion of their choice.

PROMISES FULFILLED

As a political party we agree with modesty and moderation in politics.

However, facts have proved that we are the only political party throughout the Free World which have multiplied our original manifesto.

Five years ago, when we had to stand on a political platform we made many promises.

With pride, we can now say that these promises have been fulfilled beyond all expectations!

Our task was, in the first place, to change Malaya, and subsequently Malaysia, from a dormant, dead-beat and dominated Colonial territory into a living, lively and thriving Country.

The following are merely a few modest examples of what the Alliance Government has achieved by positive action and dynamic drive in almost every sphere of Government of our Country.

EDUCATION

We inherited from the Colonial Regime a completely dead-beat educational system: but, with planning, pressure and positive action, during our term of office we have increased, throughout the Country, the total number of school classrooms from an absolute minimum to a total of approximately 30,000 classrooms.

In addition we have increased the enrolment of school-going children to 1.2 million, and, in order that their education is, and always will be, of the highest standard, we have given facilities for the training of teachers at an extremely high standard, now totalling no less than 46,000 trained teachers.



Furthermore, with our investment in the University of Malaya there is now hope, a hope which did not exist before, of each of these children obtaining further and higher education at degree level, at University, or Overseas, under a progressive scholarship programme initiated by our Government—the Alliance Government.

Given the chance, we the Alliance Government, will continue this dynamic policy of education and double our efforts giving hope to all Malaysians; Malays, Chinese, Indians and everyone else in our country, particularly parents whose main hope is that their children receive the best education possible.

HEALTH

All of you remember the days, before Merdeka, when it was so difficult to find, in sickness and in pain, in pregnancy and in childbirth, in accidents and mishaps, medical attention which would safeguard our children and save the lives of those dear and near to us.

With a vigorous health programme, both in the rural and urban areas, the Alliance Government have brought this very essential necessity of medical attention to the doors and to the bedsides of almost every citizen throughout the country.

More Doctors

- (a) Several million dollars have been set aside for the construction of a new medical faculty in the University of Malaya which will pay dividends in producing sufficient skilled surgeons and medical practitioners to satisfy the needs of our Country.

Childbirth

- (b) The new Maternity Hospital in Kuala Lumpur has already cut down the mortality rate of childbirth not only in our towns but, by using our Air Force to bring in complicated

A Mobile Dispensary attending to kampong people.

cases from the remotest areas, the Alliance Government, with skill and the best use of medical science, has in fact given life to children, who are at school today and who can return to their homes to meet their mothers, who would otherwise be orphans or would not have been born because of complications at birth.

Rural Health

- (c) Rural clinics, rural midwives, sub-health centres, main health centres were never even heard of, in the past, but the Alliance Government in their recent term of office, have constructed and staffed no less than 70 new dispensaries, 67 new mobile dispensaries, 84 new health centres, 94 sub-health centres and 428 midwife clinics, to say nothing of the many more projects under construction in the 1964 programme.

Dental Facilities

- (d) The Alliance Government in their administration have not even neglected the teeth of our people. Before Merdeka, a dental clinic was an unheard of thing, but today in our Country we now have no less than 245 dental clinics serving our people.

WE HAVE DONE THIS; WE WILL DO MORE!

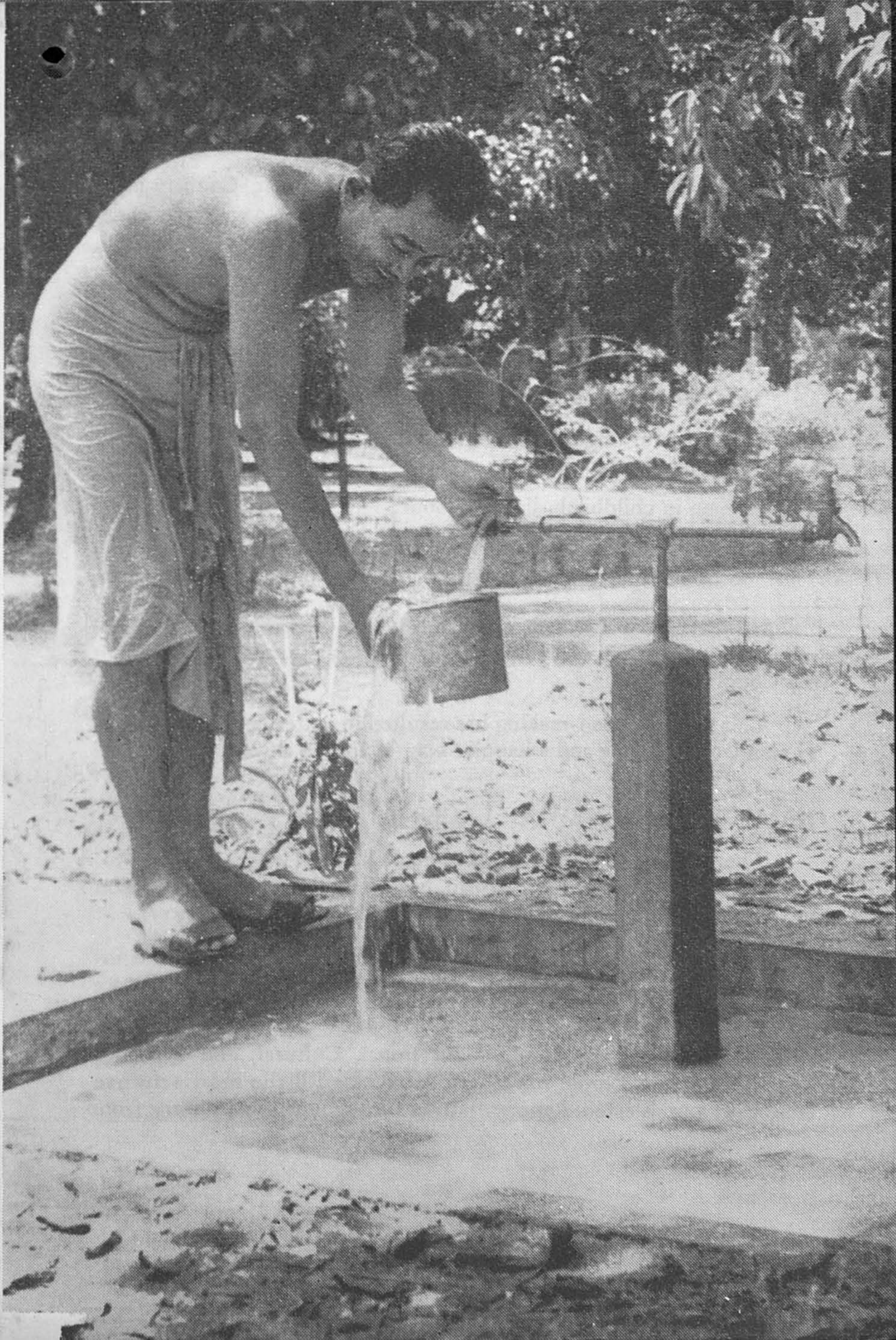
WATER SUPPLIES

Connected with health and an essential prerequisite of health is good, clean, pure drinking water.

No less than 162 new water supplies have been constructed and the total output of gallons per day has been increased to something like 100 million gallons.

Many more water supplies are at present under construction which, when completed, will double or perhaps treble this output.

Kampong people enjoying fresh and clean water - supply.



ROADS

Before the Alliance Government administered our Country most Kampongs, particularly in the remote areas, were completely inaccessible and could not be properly served with Government facilities.

Children going to school had to get up at six in the morning and returned to their home, late, after dark;

Smallholders got a poor price for their produce;

Those in need of medical attention could not be served;

Soldiers returning from leave wasted half their leave in walking through the jungle;

Women in childbirth died in labour;

Rubber and other agricultural produce was of poor quality yield because of lack of technical advice; lack of extension services.

However, the Alliance Government now maintain over 5,500 miles of rural roads giving access to almost every Kampong throughout the Country.

This record of road-making has resulted in better health, in a higher standard of living and a happier way of life, in all our rural areas.

KAMPONG AND NEW VILLAGES

The Alliance Government have made history!

So far, no country in the World, has ever paid particular attention to the most remote Kampong and New Village in their Country!

The further away the Kampong, the more remote, the more inaccessible, the more attention, it has been given by the Alliance Government.

All the needs; Economic, Educational, Cultural, and Religious of our Kampong People have been received with the most sensitive feeling by our Elected Representatives throughout the Country from

the Causeway to the Thai border.

The following summary of works which may be regarded as Minor by some people, but which are Major to our peoples, who dwell furthest away from our Capital — Kuala Lumpur; our Ministers have been responsive!

For the first time, in the history of the finance of this Country, funds were specially set aside to satisfy the millions of demands from our rural areas; demands which, in the days of Colonialism, fell on deaf ears.

This is our record!

MOSQUES

We have built over 700 mosques at an expenditure of more than \$8 million.

SURAU, MADRASAHS AND RELIGIOUS SCHOOLS

We have constructed no less than 700 suraus, Madrasahs, and Religious Schools at a cost of over \$4 million.

TEMPLES

In keeping with our policy of every citizen of Malaya being able to practise, without fear or prejudice, his own religion in his own belief, we have made available funds exceeding \$3 million for the construction of temples irrespective of religious denominations.

PLAYING FIELDS

In the most remote Kampong and New Village, where facilities for our youth to take part in sports did not exist before, we have expended a sum of over \$3 million.

COMMUNITY CENTRES

In order that our people could come together, live together, and participate in cultural, communal and other social activities, we have

built no less than 2,000 community centres at a cost of \$10 million.

These community centres have also had a tremendously beneficial effect as a centre for the implementation of our Extension Services, of Health, Agriculture, Veterinary, Rubber Replanting and other such amenities, because they have afforded, in Kampongs and New Villages, a decent centre in which every Government Officer concerned has been able to give lectures and hold discussions on his particular subject.

These benefits are quite apart from, and in addition to all the advantages afforded by the Alliance Adult Education Programme which, in the majority of Kampongs and New Villages, has been implemented, in such community centres.

MISCELLANEOUS KAMPONG MINOR WORKS

As, and where, the constitutional responsibility for such matters as roads, bridges, water supplies were fully catered for by the State Government or Department concerned were fully satisfied, but nevertheless, in our experience of administering this Country we found that there were many, many minor works which did not fall into the category of implementation which would justify the employment of highly qualified and technical and professional action.

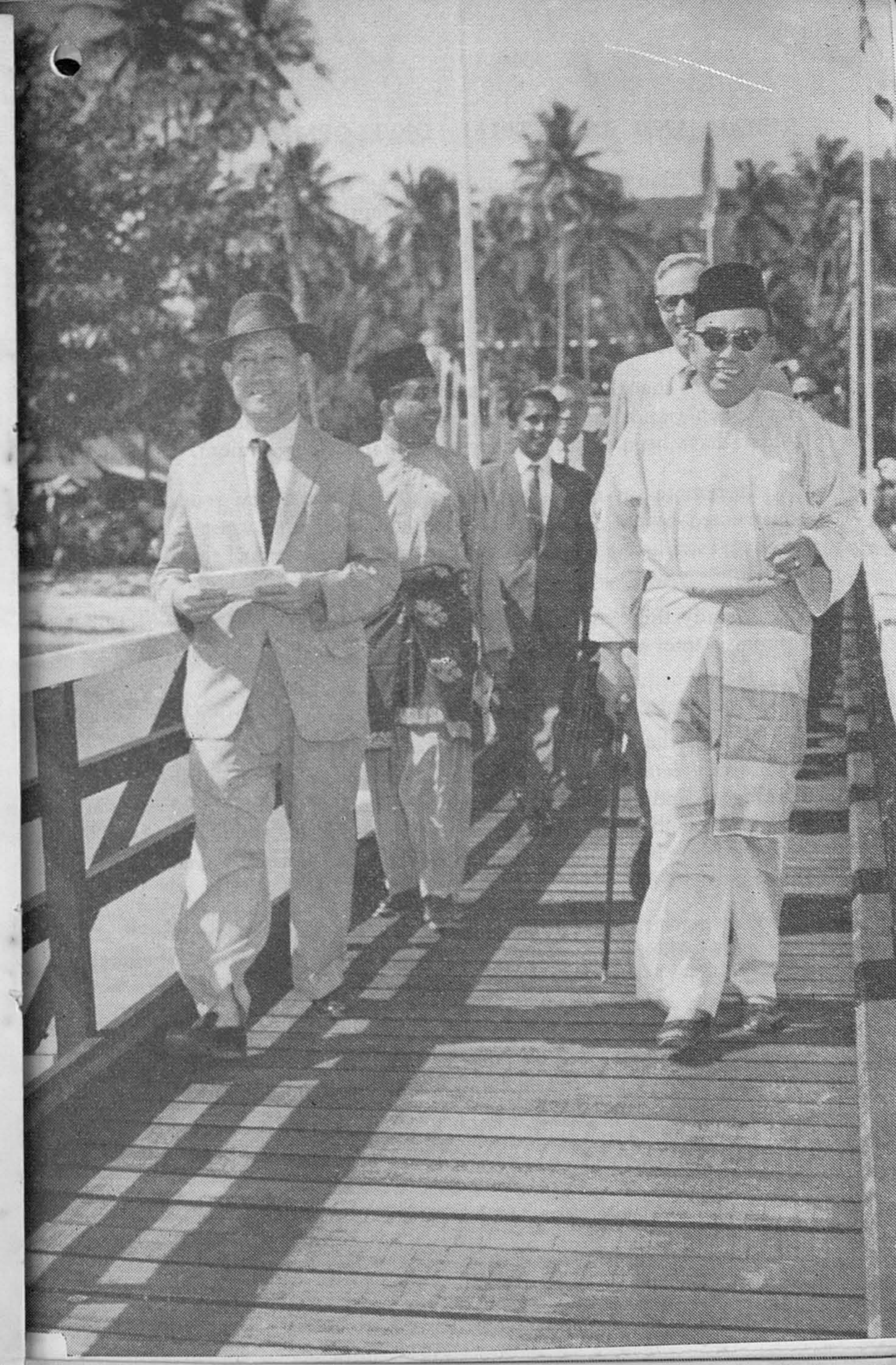
Therefore, we the Alliance Government decided to fill this gap in the Constitution, by providing special funds for the special benefit of our rural people; in order that their minor needs, whether it be a Kampong Road, a minor irrigation scheme or perhaps a small water supply, could be met.

Therefore, we set aside special funds so that our rural people could go ahead, and, entering into the spirit of self-help, implement these minor but vital needs themselves.

We have already expended a sum of \$65 million on such self-help projects.

The results have been gratifying; the benefits have been abundant!

Fishermen's landing jetty at Telok Kumbar, Penang, costing \$155,500, being officially opened.



RURAL AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

In addition to all the amenities and services given to Kampongs in the form of roads, health, veterinary, agriculture, suraus, etc. the Alliance Government have implemented a Rural Loan Programme; up to \$25 million has been given out in loan funds to enable the rural people to raise their own standard of living by setting up their own businesses, factories, processing centres, and other rural industries too numerous and varied to mention here.

No less than 12 rubber processing factories for the benefit of the rural people and also 76 group processing centres for rubber smallholders have been established by the Alliance Government.

In remote and inaccessible rural areas, after a new road has been constructed by the Alliance Government, then follow up action was taken to establish a Rural Bus Service for the benefit of the Kampong people.

Already there are no less than 34 bus routes serviced by RIDA running a total of 2 million passenger miles.

LAND

No less than 50 Federal Land Development Schemes have been successfully established by the Alliance Government resulting in the opening up and eventual development of no less than 200,000 acres of land which will give promise, hope and financial security to over 16,000 families who, before the Alliance Government's action, were mostly landless.

With a positive and progressive land policy designed and implemented by the Alliance Government, State Governments have alienated no less than 128,000 acres for smallholders.

This is a magnificent record but the Alliance Government have plans for even bigger and better land development schemes in the future, one of which is a 200,000 acre scheme in Pahang for which basic planning has already been done.

A scheme of this magnitude will satisfy the land hungry needs of no less than 50,000 more rural families.

DRAINAGE AND IRRIGATION

The Alliance Government have initiated and implemented no less than 393 major irrigation schemes, making available many, many thousands of acres of land from which our padi planters can obtain an increased crop and an increased income.

Over half a million acres of land, owned by smallholders has been improved by the provision of adequate drainage brought about by 66 major drainage schemes initiated and implemented by the Alliance Government.

Similarly, also the agricultural facilities of our rural people have been improved by the considerable attention the Alliance Government has given river conservancy and well over 6,000 miles of river are continually cleared by funds provided, as a result of the forethought of the Alliance Government.

POST OFFICES

Postal services, particularly in the rural areas, have been improved beyond comparison by the establishment of no less than 186 rural post offices and 442 postal agencies.

ELECTRICITY

Since the Alliance Government came into power, there has been a 100 per cent increase in the capacity to supply the Country with electric power.

In addition to large development projects such as the Cameron Highlands Hydro-Electric Scheme the Alliance Government also set aside over \$26 million for rural electricity supplies bringing the benefit of electric light to many thousands of people in the rural areas.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS

The Alliance Government have also laid considerable stress on

bringing better communications to the rural areas not only in the form of roads and other transport facilities but also with a progressive programme to provide rural telephones.

Already no less than 800 rural telephone boxes have been set up.

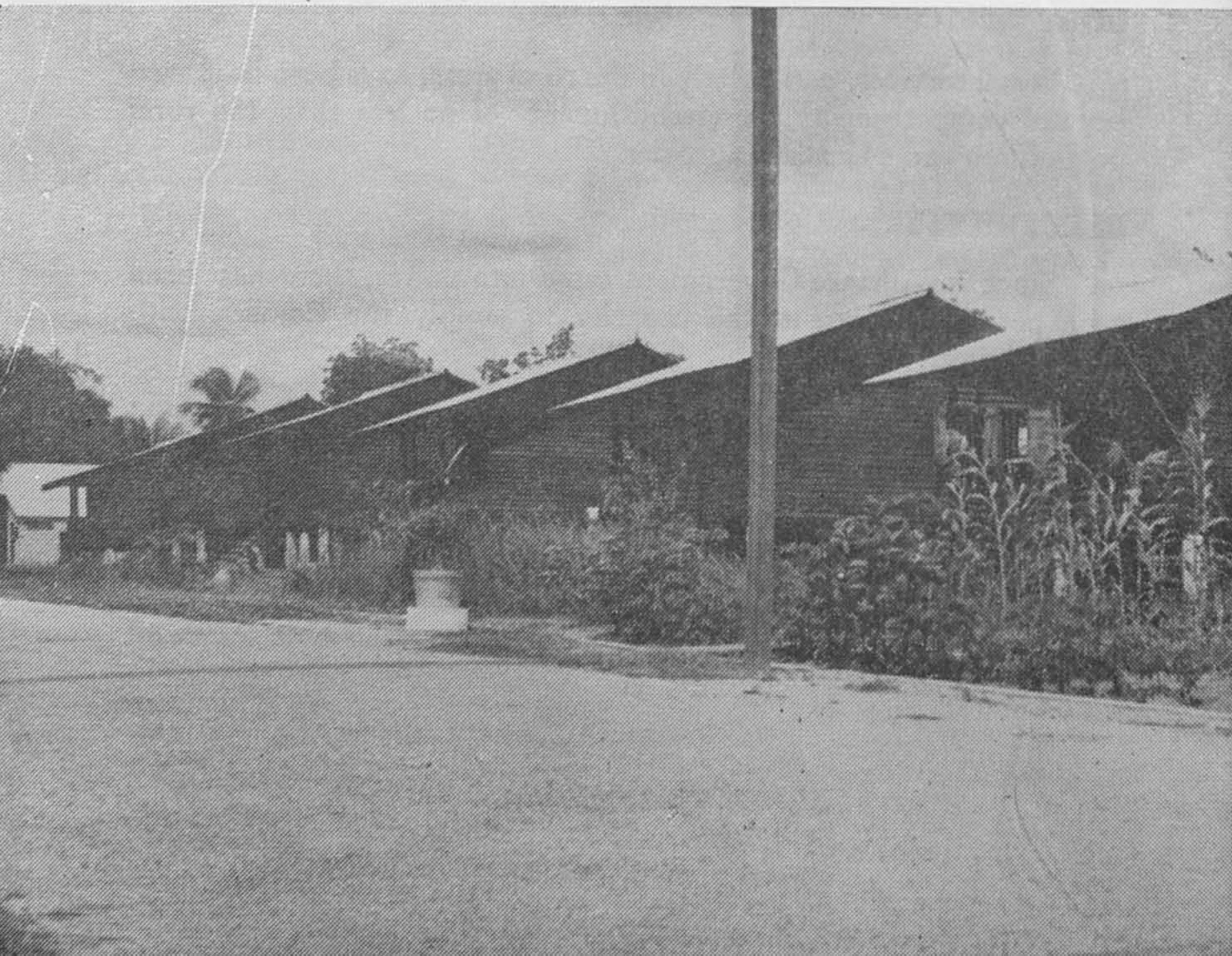
CO-OPERATIVE MOVEMENT

The Alliance Government have always laid tremendous stress and emphasis on the establishment of a thriving and viable co-operative movement.

No less than \$35 million have been given in the last few years by the Alliance Government towards co-operative loans and co-operative development projects; and an additional \$12½ million towards technical advice and assistance to the many co-operative movements of all varieties throughout the country.

This year the Alliance Government initiated a policy of "consolidation" in respect of co-operative societies to ensure that those societies

Low-cost houses for those in low and middle income groups.



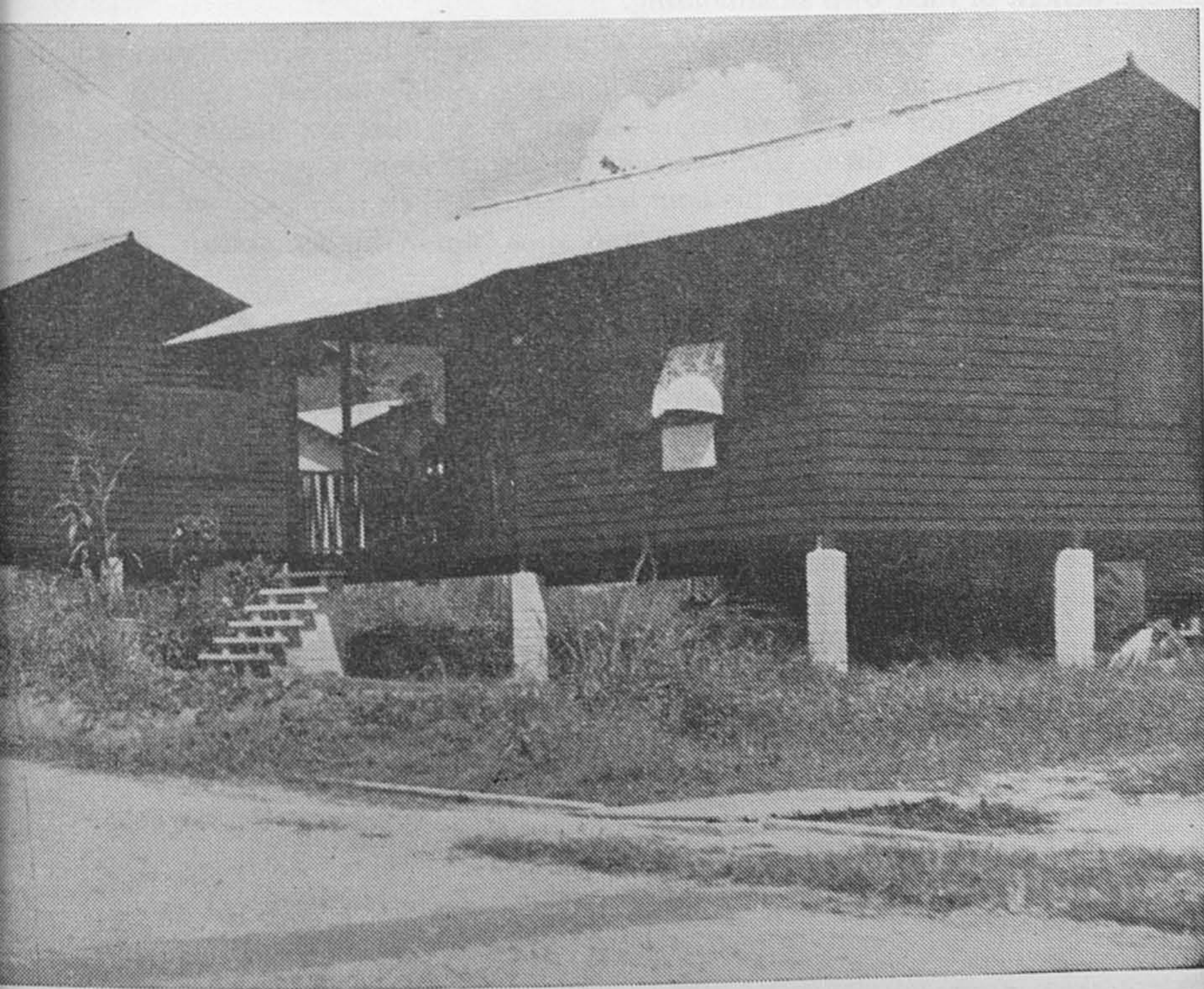
already in existence are functioning at the greatest efficiency for the benefit of their members; after this exercise of consolidation and stock-taking, the Alliance Government intends to launch an even more vigorous programme towards greater expansion of, and participation in, the co-operative movement.

HOUSING

In keeping with the declared policy of the Alliance Government to create a property-owning democracy in which all our citizens will feel secure in the possession of their own house and home; this we regard as an essential and firm domestic base on which to build a free and democratic nation of people with a dual pride—pride of their own home; pride of their own country!

The Alliance Government set aside in the Five Year Development Plan no less than \$45 million for low-cost housing projects together with \$13 million for the Malaya Borneo Building Society.

Over and above this generous contribution from Government



funds towards housing, the Alliance Government have made arrangements for the availability of no less than \$20 million from which further loans can be made available for those who need assistance in setting about establishing their own private home; absolute priority in all cases being given to those in the lower and middle income groups.

EXTENSION SERVICES

In order that our rural people can get the most reasonable return from their labour, and from their land, it has always been the policy of the Alliance to execute Agricultural Extension Services with force and vigour in order that the best technical knowledge available on agriculture, veterinary, rubber replanting, and good husbandry be made available to our farmers in the rural areas.

Nearly 3,000 demonstrations by mobile agricultural extension units have been carried out throughout the whole country in order to help the Kampong people to understand better ways of crop production, animal husbandry and give them other technical assistance for the benefit of their own smallholding.

Under these extension services, it has always been and will always continue to be, the policy of the Alliance to give facilities for the training of all our farmers to improve their own skills; and through this training, give them useful scientific information, channelled right down to the farmer on his own land, so that they may improve their their own agricultural practice and thus obtain higher return and improve their income.

This programme of agricultural extension services runs hand in hand with our National Adult Education Programme of which there are no less than 12,000 classes and with this combination of extension services and Adult Education, with a definite bias towards four main aims:

- (a) better agriculture
- (b) better produce
- (c) better citizenship
- (d) higher income.

*The Minister of Rural Development,
Tun Abdul Razak, paying one of his
regular visits to rural areas.*





In addition the Alliance has implemented a vast and vigorous programme of the establishment of agricultural training centres and mobile agricultural extension units throughout the country.

In our National Five-Year Plan no less than \$182 million were set aside to implement this agricultural programme and we can say with a certain amount of pride that it has gone ahead with considerable success.

Particular attention has been paid at Kampong and Mukim level to bring in Ketua2 Kampong and Penghulus for training courses at District level conducted both by the Agriculture Department and by the Adult Education organization so that, from time to time, our Kampong people have the fullest opportunity to learn the best method available in the World at the moment and so that they can return to their Kampong with greater confidence and towards greater production from their land and greater security for the future.

In addition to all these various aspects of our extension services tremendous emphasis has been laid on the formation of farmers association for which special provision of over half a million dollars was provided by the Alliance in the Second National Five-Year Plan.

A new and modern approach has also been made by encouraging mechanization of smallholders and many hundreds of demonstrations under the smallholders mechanization scheme have been carried out throughout the entire rural areas.

RUBBER

In addition to the activities of our agricultural extension services in the field of rubber growing and rubber replanting the Rubber Research Institute have increased their staff considerably to the extent that there is complete coverage of the whole country in the form of rubber replanting advisers to whom those of our rural people who are mostly dependent on rubber for their livelihood can in fact seek and obtain the best technical knowledge available to them.

A Telephone Call-Box provides better communications to rural areas.

