

GRATIFYING: Dr Mahathir being given a traditional welcome on his arrival in Kuching

1987



SPECIAL MESSAGE: Dr Mahathir addressing guests at the 'Maal Hijrah' celebration to mark the start of a new Islamic year at Pusat Islam



A PLEASURE: The Prime Minister obliges with a few dance steps in appreciation of the warm welcome by residents of Khiva, Sarawak



MEANINGFUL: Dr Mahathir putting his message for the Malaysian people in a time capsule to be buried together with the front page of 'Berita Harian' at the opening of The Mall. The time capsule will only be opened in a 100 years. Also present was the Sultan of Selangor, Sultan Sharafuddin Idris Shah



TIME TO TRADE: Dr Mahathir ringing the bell at 10am sharp to signal the start of the day's trading at the new KLSE office in Kompleks Bukit Naga. The bell, an antique Hindu temple bell, has been in use since the 1960s. It has become an heirloom of the KLSE

JOVIAL: Dr Mahathir on a tour of the campsite after launching the neighbourhood unity workcamp



GOING ONCE!: Dr Mahathir surprised about 1,000 people at the Malam Anugerah '87 when he brushed aside protocol, walked to the microphone and insisted he be given the chance to become an auctioneer. The function was hosted by the Malay Hawkers' and Petty Traders' Association