

News Flash

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Sunday 3rd October 2010
3.30pm to 7pm



Ceylon Sports Club 101, Balestier Road
Singapore 329678

The Unmissable Book Launch
The Sara Saga

Must Buy

Ceylon Sports Club Singapore & Institute
of South East Asian Studies cordially invite
you to celebrate the book launch by

Mr. Tharman Shanmugaratnam
Honourable Minister of Finance

of

SARA ^{THE} SAGA

By

The legendary journalist and esteemed
diplomat

Manicasothy Saravanamuttu

At

CSC Function Hall

Thence to an evening of cocktails and
refreshments, book signing by Sara's
sons Manicam and Johan and down
the memory lane of Uncle Sara's days.

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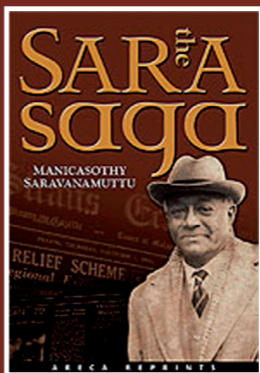
“This is a very pleasing book... It draws a candid, full length, real life pen picture of its characterful author... [and] it describes many of the important historic events which have occurred... as seen through the eyes of an always shrewd observer of the drama”.

-The Rt. Hon'ble Malcolm Macdonald
British High Commissioner for South East Asia

The SARA SAGA memoirs will crash into the stores in Singapore very soon. But attend the Book launch to be the first to be able to own and read a signed copy of this delightful chronicle of Manicasothy Sarvanamuttu in old Malaya. Hailing from one of Ceylon's most prominent families he traces his remarkable journey as a journalist par excellence, a diplomat at large and his hey day as a carefree cricket loving student in Oxford. He was most remembered for being a fearless reporter as Editor of the English language Penang Daily “The Straits Echo”, Managing Editor of North Malayan Newspapers. He served as Ceylon's Commissioner in Singapore from 1950 to 1957.

Launch of Book:

The Sara Saga by Manicasothy Saravanamuttu with a new foreword by Manicam Saravanamuttu and Johan Saravanamuttu, original edition 1970, republished by Areca Books 2010.



Release of Book :

Hail Penang! by George Bilainkin, with a new foreword by Ilsa Sharp, original edition 1932, republished by Areca Books 2010.

