

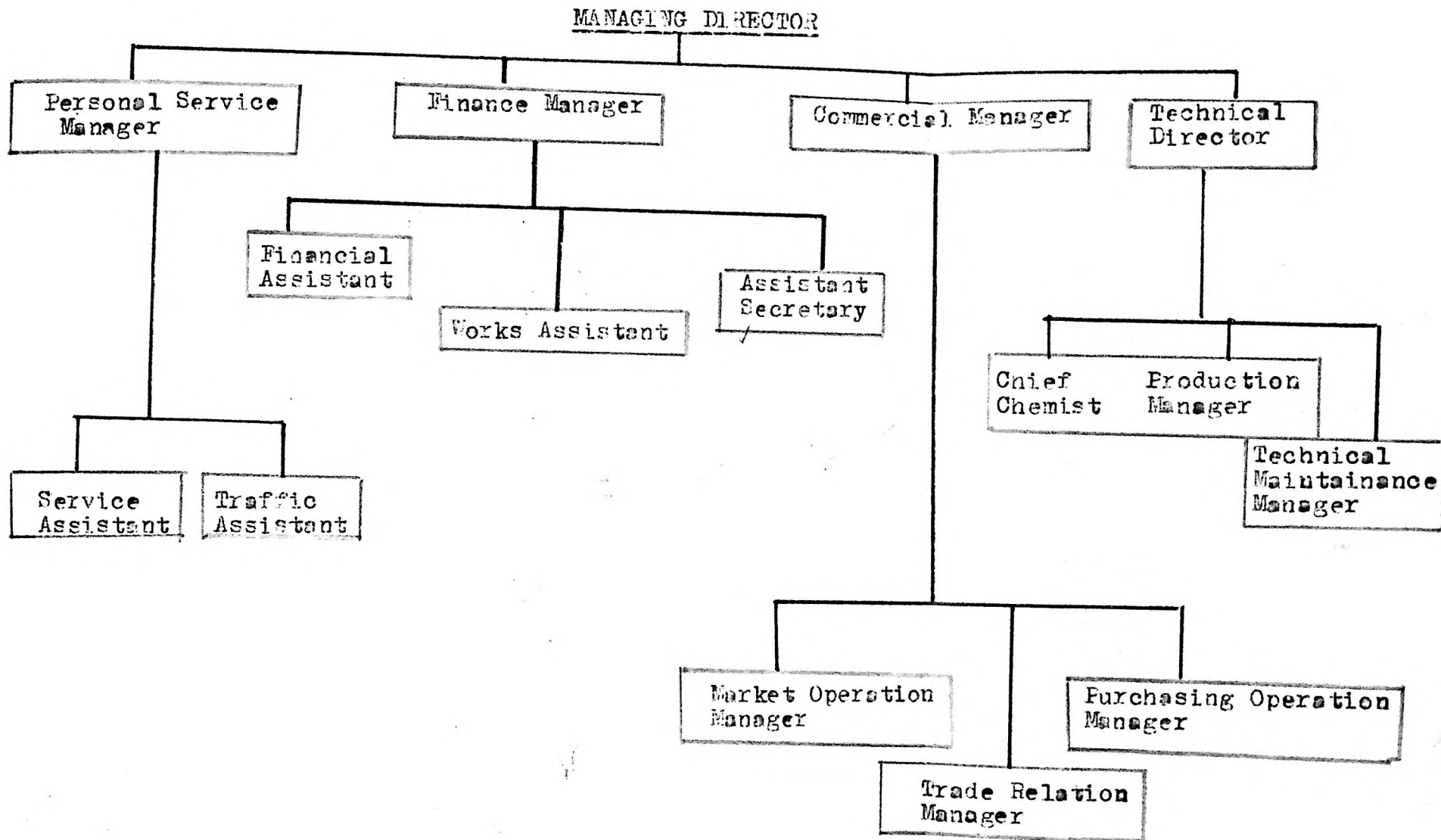
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" The History of the Eastern Smelting Company Limited with particular reference to the Malayan (Malaysian) Tin Industry from 1869 to 1966 with an emphasis between the years 1946 to 1966."

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P R E F A C E

This paper (History of the Eastern Smelting Company) was written as an assignment to fulfill the graduation requirements for students majoring in History.

When I first set about writing it, my aim was to write a History Of Syarikat Eastern Smelting. Sad to say, after scrutinising what relevant and available materials there were, I found that many important files and documents were missing. Thus, a great gap existed that I was in no position to fill.

Therefore, what I did was to collect whatever relevant materials there were, compiled them, and after having consulted the Dean, Professor Sharom Ahmat, I decided upon the present title namely:

" The History of the Malaysian Tin Industry, with particular reference to Syarikat Eastern Smelting ".

Therefore, this paper, I should say, is an attempt to show the dealings of the Syarikat Eastern Smelting in the context of the whole Malaysian setting.