

## Artist son's work on show another triumph for Puah

**K**LANG, Fri. — For businessman Puah Chen, 65, the current "Australian Imprint" art exhibition at the National Art Gallery is another personal triumph.

On display among those works of world-known artists, are paintings by his son, Kok Yew, 24, now studying at the National Gallery Art School in Melbourne.

Kok Yew is the fourth son in a family of seven that has brought great pride to his father.

First his eldest brother, Kok ~~Wei~~, secured a PhD. each for electrical engi-



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neering and mathematics. He is now a lecturer in an American university.

After him came Kok Kee who also got a PhD in electrical engineering. He is a university lecturer now in Australia. Both are married.

Kok Chin followed with a honours degree in electrical engineering. He returned home from Australia recently.

### 'Very proud'

Mr. Puah's fifth son, Kok Herm, is now in America following a course in business administration. All of them had their secondary education in Chinese schools here.

Mr. Puah, a wholesaler in foodstuffs, has plans to send the two youngest children overseas too.

A girl, Lek Poh, is now in Form Six ~~while another boy, Kok Chai, is in Form Four.~~ *and*

And how does this grand old man, who had only four years of education in China before he came here 40 years ago, feel about the string of successes by his children?

"I am very proud and happy indeed," said Mr. Puah. For him it was a vow almost fulfilled.