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Mr Shaukat Tarin, Chairman and President Habib Bank Ltd receiving the Jinnah Anthology from Mr Liaquat Merchant. Picture shows Mr Tarin is receiving the book, while Mr Khaleeq Kayani, and Mr Ashraf Wathra of Habib Bank look on.

Jinnah Society thanks HBL chief for support

Members of the Jinnah Society called on Mr Shaukat Tarin Chairman and President of Habib Bank Limited and presented a copy of the Jinnah Anthology as a token of gratitude and appreciation for his support and sponsorship of the book. Habib Bank is one of the sponsors of the Jinnah Anthology.

"The Jinnah Anthology" a presentation of the Jinnah Society, compiled and edited by Liaquat Merchant designed by the Indus Valley School of the Art and Architecture and published by Oxford University Press was launched on May 27, 1999 at Quaid-i-Azam House, (Flag Staff House) Karachi.

The book contains recollections of Quaid-i-Azam by Eight prominent Pakistanis who met and worked with the Quaid and impressions of the Quaid by three world renowned historians namely, - Professor Stanley Welpert, Professor S.M. Burke and Professor Akbar S. Ahmed. In addition,

the book contains excerpts from selected speeches of the Quaid on various national and public issues which have continued to affect Pakistan through the years; tributes by leaders and other exclusive material and photographs of the Quaid in addition to a life sketch, impressions and family recollections by Mr Liaquat Merchant.

The Jinnah Society seeks to propagate the ideals, vision and principles of Quaid-i-Azam Mohammad Ali Jinnah as a nation building exercise in Pakistan. Like the film "Jinnah," the Society seeks to make Mr Jinnah the focal rallying figure to build up national unity and solidarity in Pakistan.

Apart from propagation of the ideals, principles and vision of the Quaid among all Pakistanis irrespective of their place of residence within and outside Pakistan. The Jinnah Society activities cover the field of education and health, says a Press release.