

Missionaries and Members in Papeete 1898

President Daniel T Miller presided over the Society Islands Mission as it was called from 1896 to 1899. At that time the strength of the mission was in the Tuamotus and Tubuai. The members in Papeete met in rented halls until 1897. With financial help from the Tuamotu members a lease was obtained for some land in Fautahera in the outskirts of Papeete. A new wooden chapel with shingle roof was constructed and in use by December 1898. Thanks to some excellent photographs of missionaries Eli Holton and Ammon Rappleye we have a record of the missionaries and members from that time period.



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Apparently most of the sisters wore white dresses and white hats. President Daniel T Miller is seated in front in the black coat and bow tie.



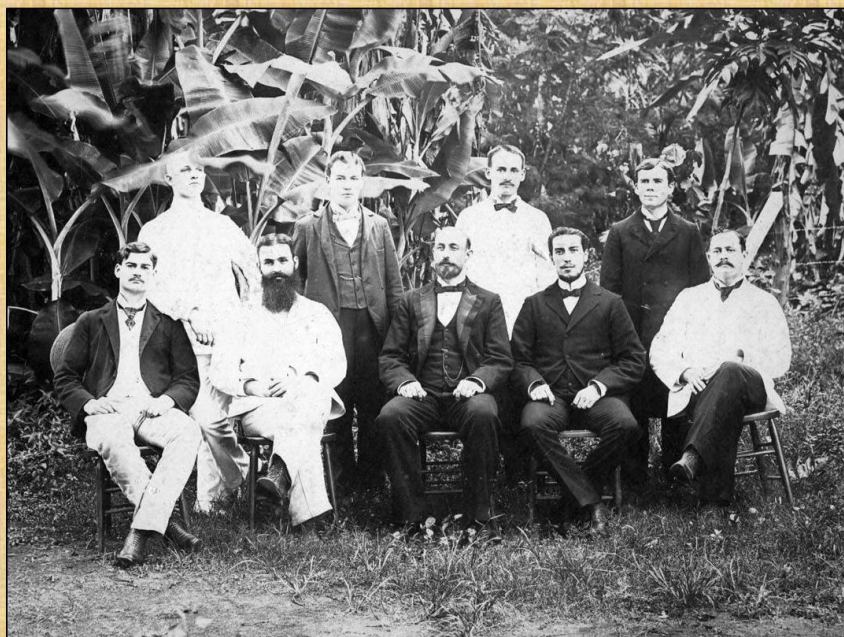
Papeete, Tahiti Chapel - 1898

Standing L-R: Edgar L. Cropper, Ammon T. Rappleye, Frederick T. Yeates, William Chipman, Tamaiti, Vahine, Grant Andrus, Vahine, Arai. Front L-R: A.R. Curtis, President Daniel T. Miller, Israel E. Willey, Osborne Widstoe



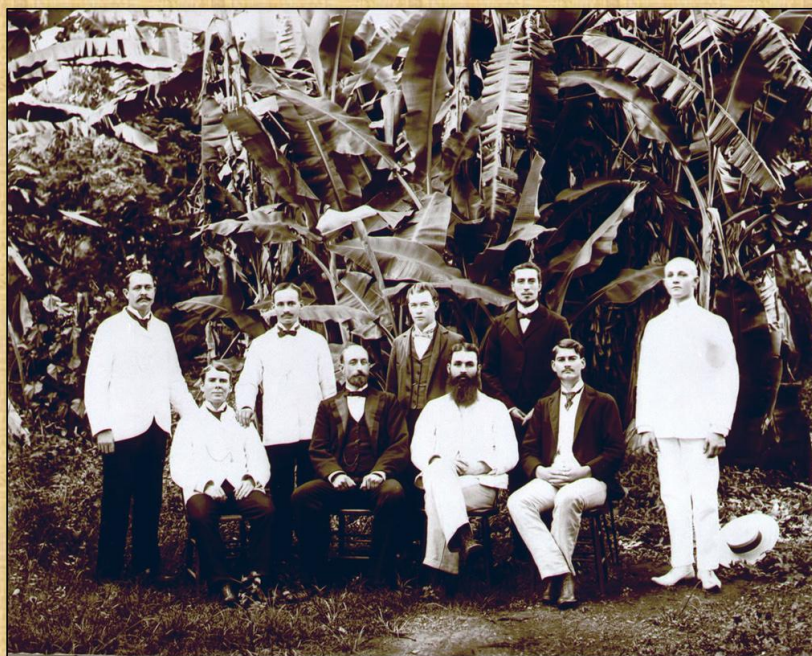
Tahitian Missionaries - December 14, 1898

Standing L-R: Eli Holton, William B. Taylor, Grant W. Andrus, Mervin W. Davis, David O. Neff, Isaac L. Wright
Seated L-R: Israel E. Willey, President Daniel T. Miller, Edgar L. Cropper



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Tahitian
Missionaries
With President
Daniel T Miller
In front of new
chapel 1898

*Wm Chapman,
A. E. Rappley, Grant Andrews,
Osborne Watson, A. R. Curtis, F. T. Yates,
E. L. Cropper, D. T. Miller, & H. Killey.*



Papeete Harbor 1898 note Catholic Cathedral