

# TAITA (now Avalon) PUBLIC HALL SOCIETY INC.

## First Committee, 1922-23



Back row: J. Bentley, H. B. Horlor, F. Bertelsen, E. Hall, C. Alsop, V. Pemberton, and T. Foster. Front row: R. Bartosh (convenor), R. R. McGregor (Hon. Secretary), A. Gadsby (Trustee), F. Westbury (Trustee), J. C. Mabey (Trustee), H. Foley (Chairman), F. S. Hewer (Hon. Treasurer) and F. W. Kitchener (Architect and builder).

On Sunday morning 14 January 1923 photographs were taken of the Committee and it was decided that the one taken inside of the Hall be accepted.

Back row:

John Bentley, Henry Valentine Horlor, Frederick Bertelsen, Edgar Hall, Charles Ernest Alsop, Victor Jubilee Pemberton and Thomas Randolph Foster.

Front row:

Richard Bartosh (convenor), Rob Roy McGregor (Hon. Secretary), Arthur Gadsby (Trustee), Frederick Westbury (Trustee), Job Charles Mabey (Trustee), Henry Foley (Chairman), Frederick Seymour Hewer (Hon. Treasurer) and Frederick William Kitchener (Architect and builder).

A social and dance was planned for 22 January 1923 in aid of repairs to Mr Pemberton's motorcar. Charges were set at 5s double 3s Gents single and 2s 6d Ladies single. A Mr N. Craig was invited to provide music, and this may have been Nathaniel Craig Snr or Jnr. The former was a nurseryman in Taita in 1892 and the latter was a draper living on Hutt Road, Lower Hutt in 1922.