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## Upcoming HMH Events

July 6-7, 2023
History Theatre in Lahaina
July 8-9, 2023

History Theatre at Makawao Cemetery

July 21, 2023

Archives Uncorked

August 18-26, 2023

Hawaii Shakespeare Festival

September 10-17, 2023

Huaka'i Online Auction

**September 16, 2023** 

Huaka'i Annual Fundraiser

October 10, 2023

Archives and Inquiry Virtual Speaker Series

October 20, 2023

Archives Uncorked

November 25, 2023

Hawaiian Mission Houses Holiday Craft Fair

December 2, 2023

Honolulu City Lights and Christmas Parade



# MAKAWAO CEMETERY THEATRE REDISCOVERING HISTORY

# July 8 and 9, 2023 at Makawao Cemetery

Gates open at 3pm Performances begin at 4pm

#### FEATURING PORTRAYALS OF



George R. Carter Territorial Governor Founder of HMH Archives



Robert C. Wyllie Minister of Foreign Affairs Founder of Kingdom Archives



Edna Allyn Head Librarian of Territorial Public Library System

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### **Portrayals**



George R. Carter (1866-1933) – was born in Honolulu. He was the grandson of missionary doctor Gerrit P. Judd. He attended Fort Street School in Honolulu and Phillips Academy in Massachusetts. He returned to Hawai'i in 1895. He was appointed Territorial Governor by President Theodore Roosevelt in 1903. Carter was an avid collector of Hawaiiana and his collection became world-renowned. He donated most of his extensive personal library to the Hawaiian Mission Children's Society and was the genesis for the Hawaiian Mission Houses Archives.



Edna Allyn (1861-1927) – was born in Wellington, Ohio. She graduated from Hiram College in Hiram, Ohio, in 1882 and became a public school teacher. She later earned a degree in Library Science from Case Western Reserve University. In 1907 she became the Head Librarian for the Hawaii Library and Reading Room Association. She convinced the territorial government that there should be a free public library. She persuaded the territorial government to set up county library systems. This was the beginning of the Hawaii State Library System today. The children's reading room at the main library branch is named for her.



Robert Crichton Wyllie (1798-1865) – was born in Scotland. Graduated with a medical degree from the University of Glasgow. He accompanied the new British Consul-General to Hawai'i in 1844. In 1845, he was appointed Minister of Foreign Affairs by King Kamehameha III. He was an excellent record keeper and his work led him to gather together important government documents from the Ali'i that became the genesis of the Archives of the Kingdom of Hawai'i and the modern Hawai'i State Archives.

### Cast and Production Crew



Ron Heller recently completed an MFA in Theatre at UH Manoa, concentrating in Directing. As an actor, his most recent role was a robot in 20,000 Leagues Deep. Previous appearances on stage include 'Au'a 'Ia: Holding On, a production done mostly in 'ölelo Hawai'i that was performed in New York City. Ron directed The Mountaintop at TAG, and Disgraced at TAG, receiving Poʻokela awards as Director of a Play for both productions. In his day job, he is an attorney concentrating on tax and business matters.



*Eden Lee Murray*, AEA, SAG, is a professional actor/director/producer/ artist-educator/published author. Since coming to O'ahu 1992, she has directed or performed in every major venue on Oahu, earning sixteen Po'okela Awards for her work. From 2009 – 2016, she served as Education Director at the Hawaii Theatre Center. Most recently she co-starred in Constellations for Kailua Onstage Arts. This past year she has had the pleasure of portraying two characters for the Hawaiian Mission Houses: Mary Tenney Castle and now, Edna Isabel Allyn.



Hamilton Wallace Clement is a Montana-based performance artist/comedy writer, and is thrilled to be performing in the Hawaiian Mission Houses' History Theatre program in the role of Robert Crichton Wyllie. Clement holds a BFA in Acting from the University of Montana School of Theatre & Dance, where he assistant-taught classes in set construction and introductory acting; His recent theatrical credits include performances with the Hawaii Shakespeare Festival, the Words Out West podcast on Montana Public Radio, The Montana Actors' Theatre, and Montana Repertory Theatre.



Director William Ha'o - Ha'o is a professional actor with stage credits that include 10 years in NYC and performances in almost every state in the union, in Canada, and Greece. He has performed in or directed all of Hawaiian Mission Houses' Cemetery Pupu Theatre shows.



Scriptwriter Rasa Fournier -Fournier earned her MA in English at UH Manoa, with a focus on cultural studies of Asia and the Pacific. She has enjoyed a career in journalism writing feature stories for local and international companies. Rasa studied theater at UH Mānoa and has been appearing in community productions for over 15 years. Her roles have included Annie Alexander and Ethel Damon at Hawaiian Mission Houses' Cemetery Pupu Theatre.



Costumer Peggy Krock - Peggy's deam job has been to costume historical characters. She recently designed "Uncle Vanya" for The Actor's Group. She has costumed actors for Hawaiian Mission Houses for the last 11 years. She is convinced that these productions assist in bringing Hawaiian History to life in a meaningful and enjoyable manner.