

**ki'e**. Same as *ki'eki'e*. **ho'o.ki'e**. Caus/sim. (PNP *tike*.)

**ki.'e'ei**. Redup. of *ki'ei*.

**ki'ei**. vt. To peer, peep, as through a door or crevice; to look at slyly; to protrude forth. *Kekē nā niho ki'ei*, the protruding teeth were exposed.

**ki.'e'okē**. n. Bag, satchel; basket. *Rare*. Cf. *'eke*.

**ki'e.ki'e**. nvs. Height, tallness, Highness; high, tall, lofty, exalted, majestic, superior, prominent; altitude. In 1845 the legislature conferred the title *Mea Ki'eki'e* upon the premier, probably best translated His Excellency. *Ka Mea Ki'eki'e, Kamāli'i wahine Luisa*, Her Highness, Princess Louise. *Ki'eki'e Ka'ū, kua makani, he umauma i pā 'ia e ke A'e Loa* (old chant of Ka'ū chiefs), majestic Ka'ū, wind [blown] back, breast blown upon by the A'e Loa tradewind breeze. *Kona ki'eki'e*, his rank. *Ki'eki'e loa*, maximum, highest, supreme. **ho'o.ki'e.ki'e**. To elevate, promote, lift up; proud, lording it over others, overbearing, disrespectful or disobedient to seniors, vain; promotion, elevation, conceit. (PCP *tiketike*.)

**ki'e.ki'ona**. n. Height, altitude, elevation, rise, tableland, bluff.

**ki'e**. 1. n. Gardenia (*Gardenia augusta*). Originally Polynesian. (PPN *tiale*.) Cf. *nānā*. 2. vi. To emit fragrance; to perfume with *kiele*, as garments. 3. vt. To paddle. (UL 194.) *Rare*.

**ki'e.lēi**. 1. vi. To squat on one's haunches; to straddle; to stand with legs far apart. Cf. Tongan *sike*, to squat on heels. 2. n. Type of hula in which the dancer danced in a squatting position. (Cf. UL 210.)

**ki.'e'le.lēi**. Redup. of *ki'elei*.

**ki.'e'ne.nēi**. Var. of *ki'elelei*.

**kiha**. 1. n. Supernatural lizard (in such names as *Kihalani-nui*, *Kiha-nui-lūlū-moku*, and *Kiha-wahine*); reptile. (HM 125, 350.) 2. Var. of *kihe 1*.

**ki.hā**. 1. nvi. Belch, burp; to belch or burp. See ex., *pu'u ho'omaha*. **ho'o.ki.hā**. Caus/sim. 2. vi. To rise and pitch, as a canoe in heavy seas; to dive under water, as a porpoise. (Possibly PPN *tifa(a)*.)

**ki.hae**. 1. vi. To tear or strip, as leaves; to remove thorns from pandanus leaves; to shred, as ti leaves for dance skirts. Cf. *hae*, to tear. See ex. *polapola 4*. (PCP *tiisae*.) 2. vs. Inspired with a wrathful spirit. Cf. *hae*, fierce.

**ki.hae.hae**. Redup. of *kthae 1, 2*. (PCP *tiisaesae*.)

**ki.hae-lā**. T. n. Breeze at Pu'u-'ōhua on the Hāmākua side of Hilo. *Lit.*, to shred ti leaves.

**ki.haka.haka**. vt. To force a wedge into an opening (formerly said of fighting).

**ki.hala.lō**. Perhaps intensifier *ki-* + *halalē*. (For. 6:412.)

**ki.hamū**. vt. To eat voraciously. Cf. *hamū*.

**ki.hapa**. vs. Incomplete, partly finished; half-covered, as with a shawl over one shoulder. *Kahi kthapa*, to shave half of the head, as formerly in mourning.

**ki.hā.pai**. n. 1. Small land division, smaller than a *paukā*; cultivated patch, garden, orchard, field, small farm; parish of a church, diocese; department of a business or office; formerly various religious duties were divided into *kthāpai*, as tending the altar, offering sacrifices. 2. Madagascar periwinkle (*Catharanthus roseus*, syn. *Vinca rosea*), a perennial herb or small shrub, from tropical America, grown for ornament; flowers rose-purple or white. (Neal 689.)

**ki.hau**. vi. Frugal, saving; sparingly; to ration carefully. *E 'ai kthau kākou*, let's eat sparingly.

**kiha.wahine**. Same as *li'awahine*, blossoms of *kukui*.

**kihe**. 1. vi. Sneeze. Cf. *mauli ola, kiha*. (PPN *tise*.) 2. n. A small native fern (*Xiphopteris saffordii*), narrow, 4 to 14 cm high, the fronds somewhat notched. 3. A variety of sweet potato. 4. n. A red seaweed (*Chylocladia* sp.) with narrow cylindrical, branching stems. Also *akuila*.

**ki.hā**. 1. Var. of *kthā 1, 2*. 2. Var. of *kthae 1, 2*. (Kep. 157.)

**ki.hēa.hēa**. Similar to *āhea*, to blow.

**ki.hē'a.hē'a**. vs. Stained, streaked, especially with red or with blood; streak of fire, as seen in the wake of a fire-

brand sailing aloft. *Ua kthe'āhe'a ihola ia papa pōhaku i ke koko o ke ali'i*, the stone floor was stained with the blood of the chief. *Nalohia nā 'ōahi i kthe'āhe'a ao*, the rockets vanished in cloud colors.

**ki.hē'a.hē'a pala.'ā**. n. Coloring matter for tapa made from the *pala'ā* fern.

**ki.hē'e**. vt. To pour.

**ki.hē.hē**. vi. To be or become deified; to pass into the air or to live invisibly there.

**ki.hēi**. nvt. Shawl, cape, afghan; cloak of *makaloa* matting; rectangular tapa garment worn over one shoulder and tied in a knot; bed covering; to wear a *kthei*. *He kthei loloa*, a long *kthei* [said of a gadabout].

**ki.hēi 'a'ahu no'e.no'e**. n. Decorated cape. *Lit.*, colored garment cape.

**ki.hēi.hēi**. Redup. of *kthei*; to wear a *kthei*. See ex., *pā'ū heihei*.

**ki.hēi moe**. n. Light bedspread.

**ki.hēi pill**. n. Two sheets, as of printed percale or patchwork, sewn together at edges, used as bed covering over the sleeper and under the nicer quilt. In some, the lower edges are left open so that a blanket may be inserted. *Lit.*, clinging covering.

**ki.hēi pua**. See *'uhane kthei pua*.

**kihe.kihe**. Redup. of *kihe 1*.

**ki.hēle**. nvt. Hook; to hook; to feed poi to a child on the finger, which is bent (like a hook) so as to dislodge the poi. *Kthele ia ulu*, bail the center of a canoe [ambiguous expression: it may refer to the action of the hands in bailing].

**ki.hēlei**. Short for *ki'ihēlei*.

**ki.hēlu**. vt. To scratch. Cf. *helu*.

**ki.hēne**. n. Bundle or basket of ti or other leaves, as used to carry sweet potatoes, flowers, etc. *Nā wahine kthene pua*, women with baskets of flowers.

**ki.hēu**. vt. To remove tiny weeds.

**kihi**. 1. nvi. Outside corner (cf. *kā'ono*), edge, tip, extremity; apex of an angle; sharp point of a leaf; to turn aside. *Maka kihi*, looking out of the corners of the eyes. *Kihi alanui*, street corner. *Kihi o ka pō*, beginning of the night. *Kihi o ka mahina*, way of fastening the *pā'ū* sarong, by knotting and tucking it in at each hip, but with one end tucked up cutting a corner; *lit.*, corner of the moon. *Pū kihi lua*, double-barreled gun. **ho'o.kihi**. To make a corner by overlapping, as in plaiting; to fold partially over; to turn aside, make a corner. (PCP *tifi*.) 2. n. A variety of sweet potato. Descriptive terms are *lau manamana*, *lau nui*, and *lau poepoe*. 3. n. Canoes guarding the sides of *mālolo* and *iheihe* fish nets. 4. vt. To plug or patch a calabash or canoe. *Rare*. 5. n. Kaua'i name for *'amakihī*, a bird.

**kihi.kau**. vt. To give lavishly. *Rare*.

**kihi.kau.pē'a**. Same as *kihikau*. Cf. *kikaupe'a*.

**kihi.kihi**. 1. nvs. Corners, curves; angular, full of corners, zigzag. *Kihikihi nā po'ohiwi*, broad-shouldered. *Kala kihikihi*, cornered money [gold coins of California gold-rush times brought to Hawai'i, so called because they were crescent shaped]. **ho'o.kihi.kihi**. To branch out, make corners, make irregular. (Probably PNP *tifitifi*.) 2. n. Moorish idol, a small, brilliantly colored fish (*Zanclus cornutus*) with black bands alternating with yellow. Varieties are qualified by the terms *lau nui* or *māne'one'o*, *alo 'ula*, *hālena*, and *pōhaka*. (PPN *tifitifi*.) 3. n. A variety of sweet potato. 4. Same as *kihikihi 1-3*. 5. Same as *'amakihī*, a honeycreeper. *Kaua'i*.

**kihi lau nui**. n. 1. A sweet potato. *Lit.*, large-leaved *kihi*. 2. A taro.

**kihi loa**. vi. Crooked, twisted, angular; to turn aside; one who turns aside, as to avoid others.

**kihi moe**. n. Name of one of the places, as under a tapa, where the *no'a* stone was hidden in the game of *pūhenehene*.

**kihi po'o.hiwi**. n. Points or edges of the shoulders; shoulder; shoulder of a mountain.

**kihi puka**. n. 1. Door corner. 2. Name of one of the