

- kua.mo'o 'olelo.** n. Continuous record, history, story, succession of events.
- kua.mū.** n. 1. A variety of taro. Also *kuapapa*. 2. (Cap.) Name of a wind accompanied by heavy rain. (PH 166.) 3. (Cap.) Name of a goddess. 4. A tapa used in sorcery ceremonies.
- kū.amu.amu.** vt. To revile, blaspheme, curse, swear, damn, insult; to chant a curse or reviling song.
- ho'o.kū.amu.amu.** Caus/sim.
- kuana.** n. Position, attitude; standing.
- kua.naka.** n. 1. A shellfish, something like the *kuapo'i*. 2. Abscess in the back. 3. Hard coral used for polishing. 4. Ti-leaf sandals.
- kuana.lio, kuana.lia.** vt. Northern heavens and its stars. *Me ka li'a lā i kuanalia, i kuanalipo ka newa 'ana* (chant), desire in the northern skies, dizzy in the southern skies.
- kuana.lipo.** Same as *kauana Lipo*.
- kua.nalu.** n. Surf just before it breaks, wave crest (GP 8) (sometimes used without article).
- kuā.nea.** 1. vs. Lonely, forsaken, barren, desolate, dreary. *Fig.*, awkward, unintelligent, ignorant. Cf. *kuākuānea, nea, 'onea*. **ho'o.kuā.nea.** To make lonely, barren. *Fig.*, to behave ignorantly; to cause boredom, dreariness; boring. *He hana ho'okuānea*, a boring act. 2. (Cap.) n. Star name (no data). (Kuhelani.)
- kua.nihi.** n. Steep ridge.
- kua.niki, kuaniti.** n. Quantity. *Eng.*
- kū.'ā.no'a.** vs. Parched.
- kū.ano.ano.** vs. Highly respected. (Malo text, chapter 16, section 15.)
- kuā.noni.** vi. To change, as color.
- kua.no'o.** vs. Thoughtful, meditative, comprehending. **ho'o.kua.no'o.** To meditate, think deeply.
- ku.ā.nue.nue.** n. Boom connecting canoe hulls of a double outrigger.
- kua.nui, ho'o.kua.nui.** To do a thing grudgingly; bored with a tedious task; tedious, boring; to struggle with a task, as one in which one has no interest.
- Kua-nunu.** n. Stroke in *lua* fighting.
- kua.nu'u.** n. Kaua'i name for *māono*, a basalt.
- kua.ō'a.** vt. To fit in place. *Kuaō'a 'ia nā 'iako o ua wa'a nei*, the outrigger booms of this canoe were fitted in place.
- kū.'ao.'ao.** n. Attendant or witness at a wedding. *Lit.*, standing [at the] side. *Kū'ao'ao o ke kāne*, best man. *Kū'ao'ao o ka wahine*, bridesmaid, maid of honor.
- kua.ola.** n. Verdant mountain, where all thrives and grows. *E ē ka leo o ka 'ō'ū kani kuaola*, call in answer, voice of the honey creeper of the verdant mountain.
- kua.pā.** 1. vs. Dashing, slashing, as waves on a shore. 2. n. Wall of a fish pond. *Loko kuapā*, fish pond made by building a wall on a reef.
- kua.pā'a.** 1. nvs. Slave, bond servant; hard labor; oppressed, enslaved; slavish, back-breaking, servile, downtrodden. *Hana kauwā kuapā'a*, slave labor. **ho'o.kua.pā'a.** To enslave, oppress. 2. n. The chiton (*Acanthochiton viridis*), a small sea creature used in the *māwaewae* ceremony for babies. 3. n. A variety of destructive caterpillar. 4. vs. Parched and dried, as bread-fruit. *Rare*.
- kua.pala.** n. 1. A taboo chief who had the right to carry a *pala* fern in ceremonies. Cf. *kua'ā, kuakapu, kualoi*. 2. Sacrificial or offering stand for fruit. 3. An inedible moss applied to sores (no data). 4. Rare var. of *kākū*, barracuda. *Moloka'i*.
- kua.papa.** 1. nvt. Heap, pile; to heap or pile up; heaped up; numerous. *He 'ohana 'ai'ē nui kēia, ua hele a kuapapa nui ka 'ai'ē*, a family with great debts, the debts are piled up. 2. nvs. Peace, quiet, tranquillity; union under a single ruler; peace following a treaty, armistice; peaceful, secure (usually followed by *nui*). *A 'o ka hope o ka maika'i, he kuapapa nui mau loa . . . e noho nō ko'u po'e kānaka ma nā wahi kuapapa nui* (Isa. 32.17-18), and the effect of righteousness is quietness and assurance forever . . . and my people shall dwell in peaceful places. 3. Same as *kuamū* 1. 4. vs. Ancient, oldest. *Kaua'i kuapapa*, Kaua'i the oldest.
- kua.papa.** v. To hew boards or planks; to hew out a pounceing board.
- kua.papa lo'i.** n. Group of taro patches.
- kua.pipi.** n. Ox yoke.
- kuapo.** 1. nvt. Belt; to put on a belt. Cf. *'ili kuapo*. 2. vt. To swap, exchange, trade. *Eng.*
- kua.po'i.** 1. n. Weatherboard covering canoe top fore and aft. 2. n. Shell on back of crab or turtle. 3. Knee-pan, patella; bone in arm or hand. 4. vs. Full-fledged, feathered out. 5. n. A sea mollusk, *Umbraculum sinicum*.
- kua.po'i.maka.** n. Eyelid.
- kua.pola.** n. Taboo night proclaimed in month of 'Ikuwā during the *makahiki* festivals.
- kua.pō.la'o.** n. Small tribute to a high chief. **ho'o.kua.pō.la'o.** To assemble tribute for a high chief.
- kuapo 'ō.pū.** n. Belt.
- kuapo.pahu.** n. Hoop.
- kua.pu'e.** n. 1. Rage, fury, resentment. *E noho ana ke kuapu'e i loko*, rage sits within. 2. Deep-sea fishing grounds. (Kam. 76:78.)
- kua.puhi.** n. Abscess on the back.
- kuapu.iwi.** n. Native land, homeland (same as *kulāiwi*).
- kua.pu'u.** 1. nvs. Hunchback; hunchbacked; hump, as of a camel. See ex., *haha'i lua. He kuapu'u nō ā he kuapu'u, like ka 'olelo 'ana*, a hunchback and a hunchback, the same talk [equals speak the same language]. **ho'o.kua.pu'u.** Caus/sim. (PNP *tu'apuku*.) 2. n. Valve, as of clams.
- kū.au.** n. 1. An endemic fern (*Asplenium kaulfussii*) with oblong fronds about 60 cm. long, with twelve or more pairs of narrow, pointed pinnae. 2. A sea creature (perhaps *Aplysia* sp.).
- kū.'au.** n. Handle, stem, stalk, shaft, stick or mallet used in beating; shank limb of a fishhook. *Ka wai kū'au hoe a ka lawai'a*, the water of the paddle handle of the fisherman [a famous trickling water on the cliffs along the Nā-pali coast, Kaua'i; thirsty fishermen stuck the paddle handles into the cliff and let the water trickle down into their mouths]. See *Wai-kū'au-hoe*, Pukui, Elbert, and Mookini, 1974.
- kuā.ua.** nvi. Shower; to shower. *He 'alo'alo kuāua no kuahiwi*, facing the mountain showers [said of a brave person].
- kuā.ua hope.** n. Latter rain, spring rains. (Ioba 29.23.)
- kū.'au.'au.** vi. To tread water. *Lit.*, stand bathe.
- kuau.hā.** nvt. Advice, counsel; advised. *E kali ana au ā kuauhā 'ia mai*, I'm waiting to be advised.
- kū.'au.hau.** nvi. Genealogy, pedigree, lineage, old traditions; genealogist, historian; to recite genealogy.
- kū.au'i.** According to Emerson (UL 95), same as *lūau'i*.
- kū.'au kui kēle.** n. Needle clamp on a sewing machine. *Lit.*, large needle shaft.
- kua.'ula.** n. Ribbed or grooved tapa, as made with a grooved board.
- kua.uli.** n. Verdant countryside. *Lit.*, green back. *Hawai'i kuauli*, Hawai'i with its verdant country [poetic].
- kū.'au lima.** n. Arm below the elbow.
- ku.ā.una, kuaauna.** n. Bank or border of a taro patch; stream bank.
- kū.'au.pā'a.** n. Bundle, as of *pololū* spears.
- kū.'au wā.wae.** n. Leg; shinbone. *Rare*.
- kū.'au wili.** n. Crank. *Lit.*, turning handle.
- kuawa.** n. 1. Valley (*awaawa*). Used poetically, as follows: *Wai-luku i ka malu he kuawa*, Wai-luku in the shelter of the valley. Cf. *awaawa*. 2. Guava (*Psidium guajava*), a low tree, native to tropical America, naturalized in Hawai'i; it bears lemon-sized fruits which are commonly made into jelly, jam, juice and sherbet. Hawaiians make a medicinal tea from leaf buds, which has an astringent effect. (Neal 632-3.) *Eng.*
- ku'ā.wā'a.wā'a.** vs. Hilly; filled with gullies.