

- lips and make no sound. **ho'o.mū.** To sit in silence, to refuse to answer; speechless. (PPN *muhu.*) 3. vi. Gather together, of crowds of people. Cf. *mui*, *mumulu*. *Kahi e mū 'ia ana e nā kānaka*, place where the people gathered. **ho'o.mū.** Same as above; multitude, crowd; to cause a gathering. *A pae a'e i Kai-mū, ho'omū nā kānaka* (chant), landing at Kai-mū, people gathered. 4. n. A crab (*Dynomene hispida*). 5. (Cap.) n. Legendary people of Lā'au-haele-mai, Kaua'i, often called *Mū 'ai mai'a*, banana-eating *Mū*. Cf. *Nāmū, Nāwao*. 6. n. Bigeye emperor fish (*Monotaxis grandoculis*), perhaps named for the *Mū* people. (PNP *muu.*) 7. n. Public executioner; he procured victims for sacrifice and executed taboo breakers; children were frightened by being told that the *mū* would get them. 8. Var. name for the *kōnane* game. See *papamū*. 9. n. Name of a small, yellow bird (no data). 10. n. The letter "m".
- mū-** Var. of *mā-* 4, prefix indicating quality or state, but less common. See *mū'ekeke'i*, *mūhea*, *mūhe'e*, *mūki'i*, *mūko'i*, *mūlehu*, *mū'olo*, and others.
- mua.** 1. loc. n. Before, ahead, forward, in advance, future, front, first, former, foremost, primary, principal; previously, beforehand; oldest, older brother or sister; senior branch of a family; leader, senior partner, senior; more than. (Gram. 8.6.) *I mua! Mamua!* Forward! *Holo i mua*, to progress, go forward. *Kēia mua iho*, the near future. *Kēia mua a'e*, fairly near in the future. *Kēia mua aku*, distant future. *Mamua aku nei*, some time ago. *Ua noho 'oia i mua o ke ali'i*, he stayed in the presence of the chief. *I mua ou*, before you. *I mua i hope*, back and forth. *'A'ole i . . . mamua*, never before. *'A'ole au i 'ike iāia mamua*, I've never seen him before. *'O kō mākou mua loa ia*, he is our eldest. *Na ka mua, na ka muli*, belonging to the older [sibling], belonging to the younger [sibling] [a way of describing the parentage of first cousins]. *Hele mua*, older brother or sister, senior branch of a family; to go ahead or first. *'Oi kēia mamua o kēlā*, this is better than that; *lit.*, superior this before that. **ho'o.mua.** To push forward, to do something first; to claim to be senior; to advance to seniority; to give the rights of seniority to a junior. (PPN *mu'a.*) 2. n. Men's eating house.
- mū.ā.** n. 1. Feeding mouth-to-mouth. Cf. *kau*, *pū'ā*. *'Ai ā kau, 'ai ā mū'ā* (KL line 472), fed in the mouth, fed mouth-to-mouth. 2. Bottle-necked gourd, as used for drinking.
- mū 'ai hea.** n. A kind of caterpillar.
- Mū 'ai mai'a.** n. Name of a mythical people; they were not tiny like the *Menehune*. *Lit.*, banana-eating *Mū*. Also *Mū, Nāwao*.
- mū 'ai palaoa.** n. Rusty flour beetle (*Tribolium ferrugineum*) and its grub. *Lit.*, flour-eating borer.
- mū 'ai puke.** n. Bookworm.
- mua.iwa.** n. Crack or split in wood due to drying.
- mua.kau.** n. First offering, as of fruit or fish. *Lit.*, first placing. *Ka mua kau kēia o ka mahina 'ai*, this is the first offering of the plantation.
- mua.kua.** Unfriendly, unsocial. (And.)
- mua.mua.** loc. n. Front, forward. *Kō a muamua*, those in front. **ho'o.mua.mua.** To push forward; to act as senior. (PNP *mu'amu'a.*)
- mu'a.mu'a.** Var. of *mu'emu'e*.
- mu'ē.** vs. Bitter. **ho'o.mu'ē.** To make bitter.
- mū.ē'ēke.** vt. To shrink away, as in fear, pain, disgust. Cf. *'ē'ēke*, to shrink.
- mū.ēke.ke'i.** vs. Tight-fitting and short, as a dress; drawing upward, receding (probably *mū-* + a redup. of *'ēke* 2 + *-i*, transitivizer: Gram. 6.6.4). Cf. *'ēkeke'i*, short from the ground up.
- mū.ēle.lēi.** Var. of *mū'ekeke'i*.
- mu'ē.mu'ē.** Redup. of *mu'ē*.
- mū.heā.** vs. Tepid, lukewarm; insipid, tasteless.
- mū.he'ē.** 1. nvs. Cuttlefish (*Sepioteuthus arctipinnis*). *Fig.*, fickle, changeable, unsteady, so called perhaps because of the backward-forward movement of the cuttlefish. (PPN *nguufeke*, PCP *muufeke.*) 2. n. Mother-of-pearl lure, usually qualified as below, perhaps so named because the colors of the shell suggested those of the cuttlefish.
- mū.he'ē 'ā.ko'a.ko'a.** n. Pearl-shell lure named for the branching coral.
- mū.he'ē kā.ōpe.** n. Yellowish pearl-shell lure.
- mū.he'ē kī.kā.kapu.** n. Pearl-shell lure spotted like the *kīkākāpu*, a fish.
- mū.he'ē koa'ē.** n. Pearl-shell lure with three streaks like those in the tail of the *koa'ē* bird.
- mū.he'ē lae.nihi.** n. Pearl-shell lure with curves suggesting those on the head of the *laenihi* fish; considered a very fine lure.
- mū.he'ē mā.koko.** n. Pearl-shell lure with reddish tinge suggesting the red of the *he'e mākoko*, a red octopus.
- mū.he'ē 'ō.hiki.** n. Pearl-shell lure with streaks that suggested the legs of the *'ōhiki*, a sand crab.
- mū.he'ē pua hau.** n. Pearl-shell lure with reddish tinge suggesting a fading *hau* flower (*pua hau*).
- muhu.** 1. Same as more common *mumuhu*. (PPN *musu.*) 2. vi. To swarm, as insects or people. Cf. *mū* 3, *mumulu*.
- mui.** 1. nvs. Assembled, gathered together, an assembly (*mū* 3 + *-i*, transitivizer: Gram. 6.6.4). 2. vs. Silent (*mū* 1 + *-i*, transitivizer: Gram. 6.6.4). *No'ono'o mui* (GP 38), meditate silently.
- muia.** Pas/imp. of *mui* 1, 2.
- mu.ikiiki.** vs. Cramped, as on a narrow seat; to crowd together.
- mui.mui.** 1. Redup. of *mui* 1, 2. 2. Var. of *muli*. (PH 114, For. 6:493.) (PPN *muimui.*)
- mui.muia.** 1. Pas/imp. of *muimui*. *He kumu lehua muimuia i ka manu*, a *lehua* tree covered with birds [an attractive person]. 2. vs. Inharmonious, of juxtaposed colors, as on *tapa* or quilt.
- mui.mui i'a.** n. Swarm of fish.
- mui.ona.** n. An annelid worm, resembling a centipede.
- mū.kā.** n. Sound of lips popped open; clicking sound, as in urging a horse to speed up; smack, as in eating. Cf. KL 205 line 687. *'Ai mūkā*, eat and smack the lips in appreciation, gobble. *He au pōhāhā wale i ka mūkā* (KL line 369), an era bursting forth with a pop. **ho'o.mū.kā.** Caus/sim.
- mū.kā'ē.** n. Anything jutting or hanging over, as the brow of a precipice; rim (2 Oih. 4.2), edge, as of a pit; circumference; bare toothless gums.
- muka.kaka.** Same as *nakakaka*, cracked.
- mukā.mukā.** Redup. of *mūkā*.
- mu.kau.** n. A fish of the family *Bramidae*.
- mū.kēi.** vs. Silent.
- mū.kekeke.** vi. 1. Chirping, as sparrows (perhaps related to *kekē*, scolding. Cf. *mūkā*). 2. To thump. *Rare*.
- mukeko.** vs. Homely, monkey-like in appearance. Cf. *keko*, homely.
- mū.kī.** nvi. Sucking noise made by pursing the lips and expelling or drawing in the air, as in kissing; to play on the *hōkiokio*, wind instrument; to squirt water through the teeth; to suck into the mouth, as when lighting a pipe; to sip, as birds sip honey. Cf. *mūkā*. *Ka po'e mūkt* (Isa. 8.19), people that peep [as wizards]. *Lele aku ai e honi iāia, ā hā'awi i nā mūkt ho'oma'ūma'ū 'ana o ke aloha*, leapt up to kiss her and give moist smacks of love.
- mū.kī'i.** vt. To tie; tether. Also *nāki'i*, *hīki'i*.
- mū.kī'i.kī'i.** Redup. of *mūki'i*.
- mū.kī.kī.** Redup. of *mūkt*. *Mūktkī wai lehua, nā manu o Pana'ewa* (song), sipping *lehua* honey, the birds of *Pana'ewa*. *Mūktkī ka hua 'ōlelo o ka manu*, sucking water, the birds say [slang, let's get drunk].
- muki.kiki.** vi. To thump. *Rare*.
- mukī.mukī.** Redup. of *mūkt*.
- mū.kini.** Same as *nūkoki*.
- mū.kī paka (baka).** n. Pipe lighter, the one who at-