

pukai. A kind of fish. (And.)

pū.kai. 1. nvt. Lime bleach for hair; to bleach. *Oho pūkai*, hair dyed brown with lime. 2. n. Salty tears. *Rare. E loku ai ka maka i ka pūkai* (chant), eyes that well with salt tears.

pū ka'i. n. Trumpet leading an army.

puka ihu. n. Hole in pearl-shell shank.

puka ihu. n. Nostril. *Lit.*, nose aperture. *I ka ho'ohanu 'ana o kou mau puka ihu* (Puk. 15.8), with the blast of your nostrils.

pū.kā'i.kā'i. vt. To lift, as the feet in dancing; to swing on the foot, as a child. *Rare.*

pukaka, busada. n. Buzzard. *Eng.*

puka.kā. vi. To cackle, cluck.

pū.kā.kā. vi. To flee, as in fright; scattered. *Pūkākā nā lehua o Mānā*, the warrior flowers of Mānā are routed.

puka kahiko. n. Anus opening. *Lit.*, ancient hole.

puka.kala. *Rare var.* of 'ōkalakala.

puka.kū. vi. To gush forth, ramble. *Rare. ho'o.puka.kū.* To speak plainly, frankly, bluntly, crudely, without regard to feelings of others.

puka kui. n. Eye of a needle.

puka kui keke. n. Needle slot of a sewing machine.

puka kū.kae. n. Anus aperture (vulgar).

puka lā. vi. To appear daily; daily.

pū.kala.kī. vs. Rough, boisterous, as wind; ruffled, mussed, tousled, disheveled, uncombed, as hair. *Fig.*, bad temper; gruff.

pū.kala.ī. Same as *kalai*.

-pukalia. ho'o.puka.lia. To bring forth. *E ke ao uli, ho'opukalia mai kīnohinohi* (Kep. 29), O blue heavens, bring forth beauty.

puka lou. n. Hook hole, noose, loop. *Puka lou lolo uliuli ma ke kihi o kekahi pale* (Puk. 26.4), loops of blue cloth on the edge of one curtain.

puka makani. n. Opening for ventilation, window (1 Sam. 19.12); anus. *Lit.*, wind hole.

puka mā.lama.lama. n. Skylight.

pū.kā.mole. n. A low, shrubby plant (*Lythrum maritimum*) native to Peru, with slender branches and small narrow leaves. Sometimes the bark is stripped off and wound around leis for its mild fragrance and small pink flowers. It belongs to the crape myrtle family. (Neal 617.) Also *nīnika*. Some persons qualify the name by *lau li'i* and *lau nui*.

pukana. n. 1. Outlet, exit, issue, exodus, descendant. 2. Keepsake, memento, remembrance, souvenir.

pukana aloha. n. Souvenir of a beloved, gift from a loved one, keepsake.

pukana lā. n. Sunrise. *He hālāwai pukana lā*, a sunrise service.

pukana wai. n. Source of water, especially from the ground.

pukana.wila. n. Large woody vines (*Bougainvillea* spp.) from Brazil, bearing during their long flowering time masses of bright-colored bracts, which accompany small hidden flowers. Flower bracts are purple-red, rose-red, brick-red, and orange to whitish. (Neal 337-8.) *Eng.* Also *pua kepalō*.

pū.kani. 1. n. Fine white leaves in the center of a cluster of pandanus leaves; fine soft sleeping mats made of these leaves. 2. *Rare var.* of *wīkani*.

pū kani. n. Trumpet (1 Oihn. 13.8), any wind instrument. *Lit.*, sounding horn.

pukāni.anī. *Var.* spelling of *pukaaniani*.

pū.kani lua. vt. To oppose; strong; intensive of *pūkani* 2.

puka niho. n. Tooth cavity.

puka nui. 1. n. A large opening or hole. 2. *Var.* of 'āpua; basket of 'ie'ie vine aerial roots for carrying fishing gear.

puka pā. n. Gate. (Ier. 17.24.) *Lit.*, fence opening.

puka.pa'a. n. Osseous vagina. *Lit.*, closed opening.

puka pā hale. n. Gate of a city or house lot. *Lit.*, house enclosure hole.

puka.pai. vt. To rebuke mildly, as because of affection. *Pukapai a'ela kahi lua hine makuahine: 'E ku'u keiki,*

kanaka maika'i, 'a'ole noho'i e akahēle ka le'ale'a 'ana." The motherly old woman mildly rebuked: "My child, handsome person, why not be prudent in your amusements."

puka pā.kā.kā. See *pākākā* 1.

puka.pakī. n. A pore, as in the skin. *Lit.*, dripping hole.

puka pihi. n. Buttonhole.

puka po.niniu. n. Turnstile. *Lit.*, turning door.

puka.puka. 1. Redup. of *puka* 1; many holes, filled with holes, chinks, cracks; pock-marked, as due to smallpox; porous, as stone; cells, as in honeycomb. See ex., *papa manamana. ho'o.puka.puka.* Caus/sim. (PCP *putaputa*.) 2. Redup. of *puka* 2-4. **ho'o.puka.puka.** To keep talking, issuing, etc. (PCP *putaputa*, hole.) 3. Redup. of *puka* 5. **ho'o.puka.puka.** Redup. of *ho'o.puka*; to invest, speculate, search for profit. *Ho'o.pukapuka hewa*, to seek profit by fraudulent means; profiteer. *Ua lilo nā koa i pio no nā po'e ho'opukapuka hewa*, the soldiers became victims of profiteers.

pū.kaua. n. General, war leader, champion; second in command; fortress.

pū kaua. n. Artillery.

puka uahi. n. Smokestack, chimney.

puka uai. n. Sliding door or gate, movable door, turnstile.

pū.kaula. n. A bag or bundle carried on the back. *Rare.*

pū kaula. n. An old guessing game: a knot was tied in a cord and the two ends given to two persons to hold; the onlookers guessed and wagered whether the knot could be loosened by pulling on the ends of the string. This game was sometimes called in English slip trick. Many kinds are listed by Dickey.

pū kau po'o.hiwi. n. Gun carried on the shoulder.

puka wā. See *puka* 2.

puka wai. n. Water outlet; eye of a coconut.

puke, buke. n. Book, volume (in a series). Types of books are listed below. *Eng.*

pū.kē. nvt. To strike, hit, beat. (Dan. 5.6.) *I ka pūkē iki, i ka pūkē nui* (PH 195), by the small onslaught, by the great onslaught. *Pau akula kēlā lā'au i ka pūkē 'ia*, that tree is all beaten down.

pū.kēa. 1. Same as 'ainakea, a sugar cane. 2. See *laenihi*, a fish.

puke a'o. n. Text book, instruction book.

puke a'o kepele. n. Spelling book.

puke helu. n. Accounts book.

puke helu.helu. n. Reader, book or magazine to read.

puke ho'āhu. n. Savings bank book.

puke hō.'ike hana. n. Catalogue.

puke ho'o.komo pepa. n. Folder, paper holder.

puke ho'o.mana'o. n. Memorandum, memoirs, diary, journal.

puka inoa. n. Book listing names, directory of names.

puke kā.lā (dala) hale leka. n. Postal savings deposit book.

pū.kē kī.'aha. v. To touch glasses, as before drinking.

puke kuhi.kuhi. n. Manual, book of directions.

pū.kela.'ai. Same as *pūkele'ai*.

puke lawe lima. n. Handbook.

pū.kele. 1. *Var.* of 'ūkele, muddy. 2. n. Bushel. *Eng.*

pū.kele.'ai. n. Small package of unmixed poi. (*Pa'i 'ai* is larger, and *holo 'ai* still larger.)

puke nā.nā mea kū.'ai. n. Catalogue.

puke pakeke. n. Pocketbook. *Eng.*

puke pala.pala.'āina. n. Atlas.

puke wehe.wehe 'ō.lelo. n. Dictionary. *Lit.*, book to explain words.

puki. 1. n. Boot. *Eng.* 2. vs. "Broke," out of funds (probably from *Eng.* boot).

pū.kī. 1. Same as *kōkō*, a carrying net. 2. vt. To check, curb, pull back, as an unruly horse.

pū.kiawe. n. 1. The black-eyed Susan (*Abrus precatorius*), a slender climbing legume, long known in the tropics, especially for its small round red and black seeds, which are used for leis, rosaries, and costume jewelry. Though the seeds are edible when cooked, when raw and broken they are poisonous. Flowers are