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The OCD on Kauai Durina World War II

By Charles J. Fern, Chairman of the Committee of the Office of Civilian Defense for Kauai.

Presented May 20,1946

Geographical Area: Kauai

Volume 3, Pages 1 - 6

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Abstract: History of the 1941 formation of the Office of Civil Defense on Kauai. Mr. Fern recounts organizational and some of the activities of the OCD. He describes training, personnel, communications, rationing, and effort put forth by the volunteers.

Some Kauai Villages I Used to Know

By Eric A. Knudsen

Presented June 30,1947

Geographical Area: Kekaha - Waimea

Volume 3, Pages 7 - 11

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Abstract: Mr. Knudsen describes the Hawaiian villages at Pokii, Kekaha, Mana, Waiawa, Kaanalewa, Nohili, Waimea, and Makaweli. He describes some of the physical features remaining in about 1883 - 1900 (taro lands, wells). He mentions the Waimea Foreign Church, and the homes of Rev. Rowe11 and Rev. Whitney.

Na Pali

By Eric A. Knudsen as a supplement to his above paper, " Some Kauai Villages I Used to Know"

Presented June 30,1947 and August 1947

Geographical Area: Polihale, Nualolo, Milolii, Kalalau

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Abstract: Knudsen describes how Na Pali men came to sell dried goat skins to Papa Knudsen, march to Waimea to buy goods, and return to the Pali. Nualolo men came by canoe and men from Milolii came by land. Both had trails up the cliff face. Also, in 1895, Eric, Ned Damon and his guest

Twombly, Albert, James and Allan Judd, brother Augustus, and Arthur Knudsen circumnavigated the island. Knudsen describes the landscape, surf and villages along the coast. They road horses from Kekaha to Kee, then boarded a boat at Ke'e and sailed to the Na Pali Coast, first stopping at Kalalau, Milolii, and finally debarking at Polihale.

Early Days of Kalalau Under the Old Kingdom

By Walter Sanborn

Presented June 14,1948

Geographical Area: Kalalau

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Abstract: Sanborn recounts stories he heard from old Hawaiians about Kalalau. He tells of Great Mahele land grants, migrations out of Kalalau, the Wainiha and Haena hui, and the last family out of Kalalau, the Pa family. Sanborn tells the story of Koolau, the leper. Deputy Sheriff Louis Stoltz is shot by Koolau, and martial law is declared in Waimea and Hanalei. Sanborn also mentions that Jack London used the story of Koolau for a short paper.

Petroglyphs Found on the Rocks Near the Mouth of the Wailua River - Lihue Side

By Rebecca E. Banks

Presented May 23,1949

Geographical Area: Wailua River

Volume 3, Pages 23 - 40

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Abstract: Report and photos describe the petroglyphs found on nine rocks near the mouth of the Wailua River (Lihue side). The rocks were exposed by the April 1946 tidal wave, and remained so for about two and one-half years. Banks contacted Dr. K.P. Emory about the observation of the petroglyphs, and discussed the exposure of the site (Bennett's site #103). Twenty-seven black and white photographs of the petroglyphs are included in the paper.

Kaneiolouma Heiau at Waioha i

By Hector McD. Moir

Presented November 20,1950

Geographical Area: Waiohai

Volume 3, Pages 41- 46

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Abstract: Moir provides a narrative and description of Kaneiolouma Heiau, takes field measurements and maps the archaeological features. Moir's maps are included with the paper.

A Trip from Waimea to Hanalei in 1848 from the Journal of Dr. Dwight Baldwin)

Read by W.P. Alexander

Presented May 21, 1951

Geographical Area: Kauai

Volume 3, Pages 49 - 54

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Abstract: On April 11, 1848, Dr. Dwight Baldwin and part of his family, began a trip to Hanalei. The first leg from Waimea to Koloa is by canoe. Their trip ends on April 24, 1848 in Hanalei, where they take the Haalilio back to Koloa and Oahu. Along the way, Baldwin describes the weather, geography, people they meet, the horseback ride, and streams they cross. Some place names are included. At the end of the paper are notes by Elsie Wilcox which include corrections in geography, and the names and birth dates of Baldwin family members.

Kanoa Awa Bowl and Kilauea Region

Translation by Mary Pukui in 1938, of a letter written by Chas. K. Nawailua on December 12, 1919.

Read by Thelma Hadley

Presented May 21, 1951

Geographical Area: Kilauea

Volume 3, Pages 55 - 58

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Abstract: Mr. Nawailua recalls his visit to the [Bishop?] Museum, where he was puzzled by a large rock of a ton or more identified as an adze grindstone from Kilauea, Kauai. Nawailua believes that the rock was not a grindstone, but an awa container, which originally was situated in Kilauea, near the Catholic Church. The name of the stone was Kanoa, and had been sent to the Museum by Kilauea Plantation's head overseer, George R. Ewart in 1897. The author recalls the story of Kanoa and the stone. Some place names are identified.

A _____ at Mahaulepu

By Eric Knudsen

Presented December 1, 1952

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Abstract: Knudsen recounts the story, as told to him by his father in 1895. He tells of the many skulls found along the sand dunes at Mahaulepu. The story is told of war canoes of Kamehameha's fleet and a battle which accounted for the bones and skulls along the dunes.

Wailua

By William Barnes

Presented March 9,1953

Geographical Area: Wailua

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Abstract: Barnes gives a description of Queen Deborah Kapule's appearance and her life and family. He briefly recounts the history of Wailua and mentions Captain Cook, King Kaumualii, King Liholiho, Cleopatra's Barge, Queen-Regent Kaahumanu, Russians, Simeon Kaiu, Waimea Church, Isaac Kaiu, Wailua Mission House, an unnamed heiau behind the [Wailua?] golf course, Hikinaakala Heiau, Hauola, Petroglyphs, Paikii (stones), Malae Heiau, Tahitian Chief Puna, Wailua River Excursions and Smith's Motor Boat Service, Fern Grotto, Clarence Wiebke, scow across river, Jack Horner's home, Kukui Heiau, Lae Alakukui, Heiau of Holo-holo-ku, Pohaku Piko and Pohaku hanau, Trowbridge home, Uka pia heiau, Ka-puu-koa heiau, bell stone, Poliahu Heiau, Mopua Hill, Kanuena Cave, Wailua Nui Hoano, Kuamoo, Dr. Kuhns, Hawaiian trail to Waimea, Thomas Brown, Chief Justice William L. Lee, King Kalakaua, Puu Pilo, Mt. Hana-hana-puni, Pii-hana-kalani.

Early Waimea

By Ruth Hanner

Presented March 24,1952

Geographical Area: Waimea

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The Archaic Hawaiians

By Ruth Hanner

Presented by Mrs. Mary Gay, March 24, 1952

Geographical Area: Tahiti, Nihoa, Necker and Kauai

Volume 3, Pages 87 - 98

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Abstract: Mrs. Hanner gives a narrative of how the Hawaiians came to Hawaii. She describes various heiau, and other archaeological sites throughout Kauai, and some legends attached to them. The legends cover several Hawaiian gods, religious rites and ceremonies, and compares the Hawaiian culture to other cultures throughout the world. The worship of Ku is described, and she provides a chant from old Kauai, said to have been given by Kane. The paper contains pencil edits by Elsie Wilcox.

Data Re: Koloa Sand Dune Burials Sent to Kaula Historical Society by Ethel M. Damon. March 31, 1953. to be used in her Account of Sanford B. Dole's Life.

Letter from Sanford B. Dole to Prof. Wyman

Presentation date unknown

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Abstract: Damon sends a copy of an 1868 article about a letter which recounts collecting "large numbers of crania and bones of the natives" on Kauai."

Preserving Hawaiiiana

By Henry E.P. Kekahuna

Presented June

Geographical Area: Kauai

Volume 3, Pages 101-151

Abstract: Kekahuna critiques the work being done to preserve Hawaiiiana on Kauai, and offers suggestions to enhance various sites (Kokee Lookout, Kuhio Park, Wailua River, Fort Elizabeth, Waimea Park, preserving Hawaiian artifacts). He outlines the attributes of Kauai and her people and attaches a supplement to his talk outlining a proposal of his ideas.