

**Ka-huelo-kū.** n. Unidentified star name. (Johnson and Mahelona 43.)  
**kahu hā.nai.** n. Foster parent (of adopted children).  
**kahu hipa.** n. Shepherd.  
**kahu ho'o.pono.pono.** n. Administrator.  
**kā.hū.hū.** Interj. of surprise or anger. Cf. *kāhāhā, kāhīhī.*  
**Ka-hui.hui-o-Maka.li'i.** n. Pleiades. (Kuhelani.)  
**kahu ka'a.** n. Coachman.  
**kahu.kahu.** vt. To offer food and prayers to a god or to the spirit of a deified person. Cf. *'aha'aina kahu-kahu.*  
**kahu keiki.** n. One who tends a child, as a nurse.  
**kahuki.** Same as *palahuki.*  
**kahu kula.** n. Schoolmaster, school supervisor. Cf. *papa o nā kahu kula.*  
**kahu kula nui.** n. School superintendent.  
**kahuli.** vt. To overturn, overthrow, capsize, upset. **ho'o.kahuli.** Caus/sim. (PPN *tafuli.*)  
**kā.huli.** 1. vi. To change, alter. *Ua kāhuli ke 'ano,* the appearance is changed. **ho'o.kā.huli.** Caus/sim. *'O Pā'ao ka mea nāna i ho'okāhuli i ka lāhui Hawai'i nei ma ka ho'omana ki'i* (Kep. 21), Pā'ao was the one who converted the Hawaiian people to idol worship. (PPN *tafuli.*) 2. n. Land shells (*Philonesia* spp.). 3. n. Sport or mutant, as of sweet potato.  
**Kahuli-ali'i.** n. Name of a star. Cf. *Ke-kau-hiwa-kā.*  
**kahuli au.puni.** nv. Revolution, revolutionist; to overthrow the government. Also *ho'okahuli aupuni.*  
**kā.huli.huli.** vi. Unsteady, shaky, rickety, variable, unsettled; to sway, reel, tip, rock, totter; tossed about, as a ship. (PPN *tafulifuli.*)  
**kahu lio.** n. Coachman, groom.  
**kahuli pū.** vi. Turned completely over, upside down.  
**kahu.luī.** n. 1. Athletic contest, especially championship match. 2. Crescent-shaped disposition of soldiers on a battlefield. (Malo 203, Emerson note.) 3. Variety of sweet potato. 4. (*Cap.*) A *lua* fighting stroke.  
**kahu ma'i.** n. Nurse.  
**kahu mā.lama.** n. Custodian, caretaker.  
**kahu mā.lama 'ā.pana.** n. Warden of a district.  
**kahu mā.lama hale.** n. Housekeeper.  
**kahu mā.lama kino.** n. Legal guardian of minors.  
**kahu mā.lama ma'i.** n. Nurse.  
**kahu mā.lama pa'a.hao.** n. Warden of a prison.  
**kahu moka.** n. Person who cared for the chief's excrement so that it would not fall into the possession of a sorcerer. Also *kahu poka.*  
**kahu moku.** n. Mate of a ship.  
**kāhūmu.** Var. spelling of *kahu umu.* *E kāhūmu 'ai ana kākou,* we are going to bake vegetable foods in the oven.  
**kahuna.** nvi. 1. Priest, sorcerer, magician, wizard, minister, expert in any profession (whether male or female); in the 1845 laws doctors, surgeons, and dentists were called *kahuna.* See *kahu* and many examples below; for plural see *kāhuna.* **ho'o.kahuna.** To cause to be a *kahuna* or pretend to be one; to ordain or train as a *kahuna.* (PPN *tufunga, PCP t(a,o)funga.*) 2. Oven cooking; to cook. Cf. *kahu 2.*  
**kā.huna.** 1. Plural of *kahuna 1.* See ex., *'ololi.* 2. Same as *kāhūnahuna.*  
**kahuna 'ai pilau.** n. Filth-eating sorcerer [insulting term].  
**kahuna 'anā.'anā.** n. Sorcerer who practices black magic and counter sorcery, as one who prays a person to death. Cf. *kahu 'anā'anā.*  
**kahuna a'o.** n. Teaching preacher, minister, sorcerer.  
**kahuna hā.hā.** See *hāhā.*  
**kahuna ha'i.'ō.lolo.** n. Preacher, especially an itinerant preacher.  
**kahuna ho'o.hā.pai keiki.** n. Medical expert who induced pregnancy. (Kam. 64:98.)  
**kahuna ho'o.pī'o.pī'o.** n. Malevolent sorcerer, as one who inflicts illness by gesture, as rubbing his own head to give the victim a severe headache or head injury.

Sometimes the victim might imitate the gesture and send the affliction back to the sorcerer. Cf. *ho'oheihei.*  
**kahuna ho'o.ulū 'ai.** n. Agricultural expert.  
**kahuna ho'o.ulū lā.hui.** n. Priest who increased population by praying for pregnancy.  
**kahuna hui.** n. A priest who functioned in ceremonies for the deification of a king (Malo 105) or who detected symptoms of sorcery in one sick or dead (Handy 72:322).  
**kā.huna.huna.** vi. To sprinkle lightly, especially with salt. Cf. *huna,* fine.  
**kāhuna imu.** n. Place where food is cooked in an underground oven, as in a cookhouse; tending of the oven.  
**kahuna kā.lai.** n. Carving expert, sculptor.  
**kahuna kā.lai wa'a.** n. Canoe builder.  
**kahuna ki'i.** n. Caretaker of images, who wrapped, oiled, and stored them, and carried them into battle ahead of the chief.  
**kahuna kilo.kilo.** n. Priest or expert who observed the skies for omens.  
**kahuna lapa.'au.** n. Medical doctor, medical practitioner, healer. *Lit.,* curing expert.  
**kahuna makani.** n. A priest who induced spirits to possess a patient so that he might then drive the spirits out, thus curing the patient. *Lit.,* spirit priest. (Kam. 64:138.)  
**kahuna nui.** n. High priest and councilor to a high chief; office of councilor.  
**kahuna po'o.** n. High priest.  
**kahuna pulo.** n. Preacher, pastor, minister, parson, priest. *Lit.,* prayer expert.  
**kahu paka.** n. High chief's trusted attendant of royal blood who had charge of his tobacco and pipes; he lighted them and drew a few puffs before presenting them to the chief. *Lit.,* guardian of tobacco (*Eng.*)  
**kahu pipi.** nv. Herdsman, keeper of cattle, cattle owner, rancher; to care for cattle.  
**kahu poka.** Same as *kahu moka.*  
**kahu puke (buke).** n. Librarian, custodian of books. Also *mea mālama puke.*  
**kahu 'ū.hā.** n. The high chief who attended an infant chief, carried him, and sat him on his lap (*'ūhā*). Also *'ūhā.* (Kep. 127.)  
**kahu umu.** nv. Oven tender; to tend an oven.  
**kahu wai.** n. One in charge of water rights and division, water master.  
**kahu wai.ū.** n. Wet nurse (also *kahu wale*). (Kep. 127.)  
**kahu wai.wai.** n. Trustee, executor. *Lit.,* custodian of wealth or property.  
**kahu wale.** n. Same as *kahu waiū.* (Kep. 123.)  
**kai.** 1. nvs. Sea, sea water; area near the sea, seaside, lowlands; tide, current in the sea; insipid, brackish, tasteless. *I kai,* towards the sea. *Makai,* on the seaside, toward the sea, in the direction of the sea. *O kai,* of the lowland, of the sea, seaward. *Nā kānaka o kai,* shore dwellers. *Nā kai 'ewalu,* the eight seas [a poetic expression for the channels dividing the eight inhabited islands]. *Kai lalo,* lower sea, i.e., western sea, where the sun sets. *Ka mokupuni kai lalo,* 'o *Kaua'i,* *Kaua'i,* the island of the western sea. *Kō a kai,* people from the shore district. (PPN *tahi, PNP tai.*) 2. n. Gravy, sauce, dressing, soup, broth. 3. Interj. similar to *keu.* My, how much! How very! How terrific! *Kai ka nani!* How beautiful! *Kai ke kolohe!* Oh, how mischievous. Cf. *kainō.*  
**ka i, kai.** Contraction *ka mea i,* the one who did. Cf. *ka 1.* *'O 'oe ka i hele i ka hale,* you're the one who went to the house. Cf. *ke,* the one who will or should. (Gram. 10.2, 11.3.)  
**kai-** Prefix to six kinship terms used as terms of reference: *kaikaina, kaiko'eke, kaikua'ana, kaikunāne, kaikuahine, kaikamahine.* (Gram. 8.1.)  
**-kai.** Swollen, bloated. *Hakakai,* swollen, excessive fat. Cf. *kuakaikai, kūhākakai, 'u'ulukai.* (Gram. 6.5.)  
**kaī, kaīī.** Interj. of displeasure, vexation, annoyance, prolonged to indicate greater force. *Kaīī! Chā! 'Ino-*