Reference Sources to Hawaiian Genealogies

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The following books contain collections of genealogies:

1. AUTHOR(s): McKinzie, Edith Kawelohea.
TITLE(s): Hawaiian genealogies : extracted from Hawaiian language newspapers
HAWN CS2203 .M35 v. 1 & 2
Notes: In Hawaiian with English translation. Check names in indexes. Information is from 13 Hawaiian newspapers published 1858-1920. Supplements manuscript genealogies at Hawai‘i State Archives.

2. AUTHOR(s): Fornander, Abraham, 1812-1887.
TITLE(s): An account of the Polynesian race : its origins and migrations, and the ancient history of the Hawaiian people to the times of Kamehameha I.
HAWN GN670 .F62
Notes: Based on genealogies gathered by Hawaiian assistants who traveled throughout Hawai‘i for 3 years, gathering legends, chants, prayers, history and culture of Hawaiians. Check names in the index.

3. AUTHOR(s): Kamakau, Samuel Manaiaakalani, 1815-1876.
HAWN DU24.65 .K3413 1992
Notes: Based on Kamakau’s articles in Hawaiian language newspapers, including information on ali‘i to 1840s. Numerous appendices on battles, dates, heiau, mele and chants, proverbs, genealogies.

4. AUTHOR(s): McKinzie, Edith Kawelohea, 1925-
TITLE(s): Na moi o Kahoolawe = The administrators of Kahoolawe : a study of the chiefly genealogies of the administrators of the island of Kahoolawe.
HAWN DU628.K25 K253 no.15
5. AUTHOR(s): Hommon, Robert J.
TITLE(s): Use and control of Hawaiian inter-island channels, Polynesian Hawaii, A.D. 1400-1794
HAWN DU626 .H66 1975a

Includes: Genealogical charts of ali'i
Table of inter-island marriages among chiefs
“Inter-Island Political Expansion and Military Activities in the Hawaiian Islands 1480??-1810.”, “Ancient Inter-Island Canoe Routes”.

Check Voyager, guided search hawaii genealogy in subject headings.
See also: HEN index and Bishop Museum Hawaiian Language Newspaper Index.

Indexes and lists useful in tracing individuals:

Anti-annexation petition:

6. AUTHOR(s): Silva, Noenoe K.
TITLE(s): The 1897 petitions protesting annexation
Includes photocopies of Palapala hoopii kue hoohuiaina =Petition against annexation, and selected materials from RG 46, Records of the U.S. Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, SEN 55A-J11.2, Petitions relating to the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands, from the 55th Congress, 1897. English and Hawaiian.
HAWN f DU627.3 .S55 1998
Notes: Also available at http://libweb.hawaii.edu/libdept/hawaiian/annexation/petition.html
Lists names, location, ages, gender of signers of the petition.

Another edition published as:
Kue: the Hui Aloha Aina anti-annexation petitions, 1897-1898.
Also called: Hui Aloha Aina anti-annexation petitions, 1897-1898
HAWN KZ245 .H3 M56 1998

Indexes of Marriages, births, deaths:

7. TITLE(s): Index to marriages and index to birth notices published in Hawaii's newspapers, 1850-1950 [microform].
HMLTN MICROFILM S00417

8. AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Office of Health Status Monitoring.
TITLE(s): Territory of Hawaii births, 1896-1900.
Also called: Territory of Hawaii births, 1896-1909
Contents: [Vol. 1] Index by name of child -- [v. 2.] Index by name of mother -- [v. 3.] Index by name of father.
HAWN: HA38 .H3 H37 1996
9.
TITLE(s):  Index to obituaries published in Hawaii’s newspapers, 1836-1950 [microform].
Microfilm of card indexes prepared by the staff of the Hawaii State Archives.
HMLTN MICROFILM S00418

10.
TITLE(s):  Hawaii Newspaper Agency clippings morgue. Persons [microform].
Also called:  Clippings morgue. Persons
HMLTN MICROFICHE D98050
Notes:  News clippings from the Honolulu Advertiser and Honolulu Star-Bulletin newspapers, arranged by personal name. Look for microfiche with individual’s name. Some people may be included on fiche that cover several people, as indicated by the fiche label.

Cemetery indexes:

11.
AUTHOR(s):  Purnell, Nanette Napoleon.
TITLE(s):  Directory of names and cemetery sites, island of Oahu, 1986 survey
HAWN RA629.A4 H362 1986
Notes:  Lists names on tombstones at 48 cemetery sites on O’ahu.

12.
AUTHOR(s):  Purnell, Nanette Napoleon.
TITLE(s):  Individual cemetery site directory and other tombstone inscription data, Island of Oahu, 1986 survey
HAWN f RA629.A4 H364 1986 v.1 & v. 2
Notes:  Arranged by cemetery with alphabetically listed names of individual, birth and death dates relationship, and kind of tombstone.

13.
AUTHOR(s):  Kikuchi, William Kenji.
TITLE(s):  Cemeteries of Kauai
HAWN f RA629.K38 K55 1992
Notes:  List arranged by cemetery, then alphabetically by name of individual, with birth and death dates, age, sex, location. Some maps with grave locations indicated.

14.
TITLE(s):  Island of Maui cemetery (name) directory
HAWN f RA629.M38 I852 1990
Notes:  Arranged by individuals’ names, and indicates location of grave. Tombstones are a source of genealogical information.

15.
TITLE(s):  Islands of Molokai and Lanai / [Nanette Napoleon Purnell, project director]
HAWN f RA629.M65 I85 1990
Notes:  Includes site directory. Includes names and inscriptions of all graves (birth and death dates, relationship, kind of tombstone, other inscription information.)

16.
TITLE(s):  Island of Maui cemetery (map & history) directory
HAWN Ref f RA629 .M38 I85 1990
Notes:  Directory of cemeteries on Maui, with locations and descriptions of cemeteries.
Indexes related to Hawaiian land grants and claims:

17.
TITLE(s): Index of all grants issued by the Hawaiian government previous to March 31, 1886 = Papa kuhikuh o na apana aina a pau i kuaia e ke aupuni Hawaii, mamua aku o ka la 31 o Maraki, 1886.
Contents: pt. 1. Index of all the grants issued by the Hawaiian government --
pt. 2. Index of all the royal patents issued to the Board of Education under the act of June 13, 1880 --
pt. 3. Index of conveyances by Kamehamehas III, IV, and V
pt. 4. Alphabetical index of conveyances from the Hawaiian government, not patented.
HAWN RARE HD211 .H3 I53
HMLTN MICROFILM S00314

18.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Board of Commissioners to Quiet Land Titles.
TITLE(s): Papa kuhikuh o na kuleana a pau i hookoa e ka Poe Luna Hoona Kuleana Aina = Index of all the claims awarded by the Land Commission.
Also called: Index of all the claims awarded by the Land Commission
Text in Hawaiian.
HAWN RARE HD1211 .H2

19.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Board of Commissioners to Quiet Land Titles.
TITLE(s): Papa kuhikuh o na kuleana a pau ma ka mokupuni o Oahu, i hookoa e ka Poe Luna Hoona Kuleana Aina = Index of all the claims awarded on the Island of Oahu by the Land Commission.
Text in Hawaiian.
HAWN HD1211 .H22

20.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Board of Commissioners to Quiet Land Titles.
TITLE(s): Papa kuhikuh o na kuleana a pau i hookoa e ka Poe Luna Hoona Kuleana Aina = Index of all the claims awarded by the Land Commission.
Honolulu : Piaia ma ka Hale Paipalapala Aupuni, 1861.
Text in Hawaiian.
Oahu section (p. [3]-96) also published separately with title: Papa kuhikuh o na kuleana a pau ma ka mokupuni o Oahu, i hookoa e ka Poe Luna Hoona Kuleana Aina.
HAWN RARE HD1211 .H23

21.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Commission of Public Lands.
TITLE(s): Indices of awards made by the Board of Commissioners to Quiet Land Titles in the Hawaiian Islands.
HAWN HD1211 .H26

22.
TITLE(s): Land commission awards : numerical index including testimony and registers.
Tables from Indices of awards made by the Board of Commissioners to Quiet Land Titles in the Hawaiian Islands, with manuscript references to native and/or foreign testimonies and registers.
HAWN HD1211 .H262 1929a
23.
TITLE(s): Realty atlas, Hawaii.
HAWN FOLIO G 1534.21 .G46 R43
Notes: Shows current land ownership in maps, and includes details on the property.

Indexes to court cases by names of individuals:

24.
TITLE(s): Indexes of court cases, ca. 1845-1893 : cases handled by the Circuit or Supreme Courts during the Hawaiian Monarchy.
Contents: [v.1] Law (civil) cases indexes -- [v.2] Criminal case indexes -- [v.3] Circuit and Supreme Court divorce case and remarriage petition indexes. Governor's divorce cases and remarriage petitions.
HAWN KFH47.6 .I54
Notes: Names of plaintiffs and defendants, case #, year the case began in the courts, minute book entries, type of case, volume and page of any printed decisions.
Case files and minute books are at the Hawai‘i State Archives.

25.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Circuit Court (1st Circuit)
TITLE(s): Index to cases, 1840?-1905.
HAWN KFH52.H655 A22 1840-1905
Notes: Indexed by names.

26.
AUTHOR(s): Hawaii. Circuit Court (1st Circuit)
TITLE(s): Index to cases, 1851-June 1908.
Contents: Criminal Division, 2d ser., Jan. 1, 1901 to June 30, 1908.-- Divorce Division, 1st ser., from 1851 to June 1908.-- Equity Division, 2d ser., from 1901 to June 1908.-- Law Division, 3d ser., from 1901 to June 1908.-- Probate Division, 2d ser., from 1901 to June 1908. Continues: Hawaii. Circuit Court (1st Circuit). Index to cases, 1840?-1905.
HAWN KFH52.H655 A22 1851-1908
Notes: Indexed by name.
Case files to 1900 are at the Hawai‘i State Archives. Other case files are at the First Circuit Court.

Hawai‘i and U. S. census lists and indexes:

27.
TITLE(s): Hawaii account & census books [microform]. 1840-1866.
HMLTN MICROFILM V10695
Notes: Tax list, chiefly for Oahu; originals in the Archives of Hawaii, Honolulu.
28. TITLE(s): Citizens' Guard commissions, 1895. Hawaii census, 1896 [microform].
   Vol. of "Citizens' Guard commissions" includes Honolulu census enumeration for 1895.
   Census reports for Oahu; originals in the Hawaii State Archives, Honolulu.
   HMLTN MICROFILM V10696

29. TITLE(s): Hawaii census, 1890 [microform].
   Title supplied on film: Hawaii. Census returns, 1890.
   Enumeration sheets; originals in the Archives of Hawaii, Honolulu.
   HMLTN MICROFILM S10706

30. AUTHOR(s): Hawaii.
   TITLE(s): Census of the Hawaiian Islands, 1890 [microform].
   HMLTN MICROFILM V10636

31. AUTHOR(s): United States. Census Office.
   TITLE(s): Census of population (1900) Hawaii
   Enumeration sheets.
   Index to this title filed as: MICROFILM S00316 Index
   Includes the military and naval population.
   HMLTN MICROFILM S00316

32. TITLE(s): Hawaii 1900 : pulama na kupuna (cherish our ancestors) / editor, Ronald Vern Jackson.
   HAWN CS2201 .H37 1980z
   Notes: Index to the 1900 census.

33. AUTHOR(s): United States. Bureau of the Census.
   TITLE(s): Census of population (1910). Hawaii
   Index to this title filed as: MICROFILM S00316
   Enumeration sheets.
   HMLTN MICROFILM S00880

34. TITLE(s): Hawaii 1910 : pulama na kupuna (cherish our ancestors) /editor, Ronald Vern Jackson.
   HAWN CS2201 .H38 1987
   Notes: Index to the 1910 census.

35. AUTHOR(s): United States. Bureau of the Census.
   TITLE(s): Census of population (1920). Hawaii
   Enumeration sheets.
   HMLTN MICROFILM S10694

   TITLE(s): Census of population (1920). Hawaii
   "Soundex" index file of names in the volumes of the enumeration sheets from the 1920 census.
   HMLTN MICROFILM S10673
City directories:

37. TITLE(s): Honolulu (Hawaii) city and county directory.  
   Polk's directory of City and County of Honolulu and the Territory of Hawaii 1941/42  
   Polk-Husted directory co.'s directory of City and County of Honolulu and the Territory  
   of Hawaii 1930/31-1940/41  
   Polk-Husted directory co.'s directory of Honolulu and the Territory of Hawaii 1911-  
   1929/30  
   Husted's directory of Honolulu and the Territory of Hawaii 1902-1910  
   Husted's directory of Honolulu and Hawaiian territory 1900-01  
   Husted's directory and handbook of Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands 1896-97-1899  
   Directory and handbook of Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands 1894-95  
   Directory and handbook of the Kingdom of Hawaii 1890-1892-93  
   Hawaiian directory and handbook of the Kingdom of Hawaii 1888-89  
   McKenney's Hawaiian directory including a city directory of Honolulu and book of the  
   Kingdom of Hawaii 1884-85  
   Hawaiian kingdom statistical and commercial directory and tourists' guide 1880-81  
   Polk's directory of City and County of Honolulu 1947/48-  

   Honolulu, Polk, 1880-  
   Continued by: Polk's directory of the islands of Hawaii, Maui and Kauai, including Lanai and Molokai  
   1954  
   HAWN DU621 .P6  
   HMLTN MICROFILM S51152  
   1902-1935/1936 note: (Microfilm) 1991- note: Microfiche  
   HMLTN MICROFICHE D70145

38. TITLE(s): City directory of the islands of Hawaii, Maui and Kauai, including: Lanai and Molokai.  
   Also called: Polk's directory of the islands of Hawaii, Maui and Kauai, including Lanai and Molokai 1954-1987  
   HAWN DU 621 .P64  
   HMLTN MICROFICHE D70144

Biographical directories:

39. TITLE(s): Men of Hawaii: being a biographical reference library, complete and authentic, of the men of  
   note and substantial achievement in the Hawaiian Islands  
   HAWN DU624.9 .M4  

40. TITLE(s): Women of Hawaii. v. [1]-2. Edited by George F. Nellist.  
   [Honolulu] E.A. Langton-Boyle [1929-38]  
   HAWN DU624.9 .W64
41.  
HAWN BV3680.H4 A2 1937

42.  
TITLE(s): Men and women of Hawaii.
HAWN DU624.9.M38
1954, 1966, 1972

43.  
TITLE(s): Honolulu blue book, containing the names, addresses and reception days of the leading residents of the Hawaiian Islands, together with the personnel of clubs, societies, etc
HAWN DU629.H7 H58 1901

44.  
HAWN DU621 .B6

45.  
Author: Lydecker, Robert Colfax, 1857-1924.
Title: Roster legislatures of Hawaii, 1841-1918 : constitutions of monarchy and republic, speeches of sovereigns and President
HAWN KFH400 .L93
Notes: Members are listed by legislative session.

Immigration records:

46.  
TITLE(s): Index to passenger manifests, Hawaii, [microform].1843-1900
Summary/Abstract: Card file relating to and indexing the passenger lists of ships arriving in Hawaii from 1843 to 1900, available on microfilm.
HMLTN MICROFILM V00007

47.  
TITLE(s): Ships' manifests, [microform]. 1843-1900
Summary/Abstract: Lists of passengers on ships arriving in Hawaii, 1843-1900.
HMLTN MICROFILM S00699