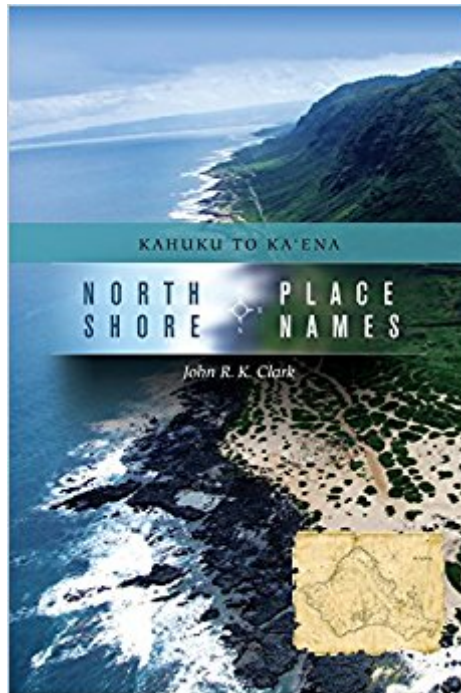




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In *North Shore Place Names: Kahuku to Kaâ`ena*, ocean expert John Clark continues his fascinating look at Hawaiâ€™s past as told through the stories hidden in its place names. This time the author takes the reader on a historical tour of the North Shore of Oâ`ahu, from Kahuku (the north point of the island) to Kaâ`ena (the west point of the island), and uncovers the everyday lives of the residents, especially prior to the plantation era. Similar to his 2011 book, *Hawaiian Surfing*, to research this book Clark tapped into the Hoâ`olaupaâ€™i online database (www.nupepa.org): a vast archive of 125,000 pages of Hawaiian-language newspapers published from 1834 to 1948. The author collected an enormous number of references to specific North Shore locations and presents them in an easy-to-use dictionary-style format, which includes original passages in Hawaiian with English translations by Keao NeSmith. Discover these highlights and others in this unique look at Oâ`ahuâ€™s North Shore: Letters from the longtime principal of the girlsâ€™ school that eventually gave Haleâ€™iwa its name. Examples of the clash of cultures between traditional Hawaiian practices and Christianity, as evident in accounts of hula performances. Old-time traffic accidentsâ€”one that involved Queen Liliâ€™uokalani when she was trapped by her overturned horse-drawn carriageâ€”and unusual train fatalities. Notices of auctions of Government lands, property trespasses, stolen sheep, and stray horses. An invaluable resource for anyone interested in Hawaiâ€™i history and the Hawaiian language, *North Shore Place Names* brings to life the names, places, and events of the historic North Shore community.

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