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Boundary of the Ahupuaa of Wahiawa

July 14

Received the following petition <sup>presented to Department</sup> July 8<sup>th</sup> 1873

No. 9

Hon<sup>ble</sup> Durran H. Bryde  
Commissioner of Boundaries for the Island of Hawaii  
Sir

I beg to make application to you to settle and define the boundaries of the Ahupuaa of Wahiawa belonging to the Estate of his late Majesty Kamehameha V.

Wahiawa is bounded on one side by Kalahou Ahupuaa belonging to the Crown and by the Ahupuaa of Hanapepe on the other side. I do not know of any other lands adjoining  
I am Sir

Your Obedient Servant  
Jas. P. Dominis  
Administrator of the Estate of his Late Majesty Kamehameha V.

On the receipt of the above application gave notice to James W. May, surveyor of my intention to have the boundary of Wahiawa settled and defined and summoned the natives on that and the adjoining lands to give evidence on the 20<sup>th</sup> July 1873 the parties appeared and May handed to the court a survey of said land which he had been directed to make some months previously by J. P. Dominis said survey was found to be correct not only by the evidence of the several natives Hohoani, Kanapaka, Naoua & others, but by taking them on to the land, and then pointing out the different marks and stations, and from said evidence in Court, and on the land, the following decision was rendered

Decision

The Western boundary of this land commences at a point on the sea shore on the South West point of the Wahiawa Harbour at a place known as Kenakalea at which flows a arch in the cliff has the sea running through it. Thence to the centre of a large pile of stones called Kukihaloa. Thence

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to the centre of a pile of stones Omooi. Thence to Palikooi  
Thence to Walaa west of some Coctus lucidus and in an in-  
closure of stone fencing of about  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an acre, thence to a stone  
inside of Rowell's stone fence near gateway and called Mopooi  
thence to Kooi, thence to Puuhealohi near the corner of  
a house lot now occupied by the Konohiki of this land, thence  
to spring, Keiheoia, thence to top of hill Pohoa  
thence along ridge to Pohoa, thence along ridge to Lean  
Knoll in bush at a How tree standing alone, thence along  
top of ridge to Puuhealohi, thence along ridge to the highest  
point of Wapooi thence round ridge to Wahili and  
junction of this land with Walaa.

The Eastern boundary of this land commences at sea  
beach at a point called Kooi at a large stone the shape of an  
hour glass and runs thence to a place called Owahani, thence  
to a place called Keheo, thence to Puuhealohi, a square of  
stones with three holes in the center, thence to Wahalea  
thence to a place called Kuhawaihoi, thence to Wahalea  
wall, thence to Wahalea thence crossing several small gullies  
and through dam of Boiling down establishment and past West  
side of ridge on Government road to a place called Kawaihoi  
where there is a large stone, thence across gully and up  
past Boiling yard to a stone with a split in it called Wai-  
papaia, thence to a large rock, ten feet high with a split  
in it thus ~~is~~ and called Wapooi thence on up through bush  
to a large tree on top of ridge, and called Wapooi  
thence along ridge adjoining Walaa to high point Wahili  
and junction with Western boundary.

Duncan H. Bryde  
Commissioner of Boundaries  
Island of Hawaii

Note. A considerable portion of this land belongs to Mr.  
Rowell but owing to bad surveying cannot be ascertained  
Duncan H. Bryde  
Commissioner of Boundaries: Hawaii

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## Notes of Survey Wahiawa

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Surveyed on Magnetite Reading Nov 8-14 East


The Western Boundary of this land commences at a point on the sea shore, on the South West point of Wahiawa Harbour at a place known as Kenakua, at which place an arch in the cliff has the sea running through it. The following objects bear from 95 links from top of Pala on this boundary Ahuatikau Peak N 4.45 E Puuhapale N 32.23 Puuhani Peak N 16.12 W. The boundary runs thence N 27.48 E 2260 links to the centre of a large pile of stones called Kukohala thence N 16.39 E 1847 links to centre of pile of stones called Oniwi. Thence N 30.36 E. 1410 links to within 150 links of peak and called Palikowai. Thence N 36.53 E 90.35 links to place called Kalaoi to the west of some cactus bushes, and in an enclosure of stone fencing of about 1/4 of an acre. Thence N 47.23 E 5753 links crossing at 5670 links McNeill's stone wall and 60 links to the west of gateway to large stone and called Mopuna here thence the following objects bear (Ahuatikau Peak N 40.15 <sup>Peak 12.54</sup> Pohakua peak about on this boundary. N 13.54 E) Thence from Mopunahoa N 28.16 <sup>Peak 27.16</sup> 3900 links to Koishi Thence N 14.49 E 2800 links to place called Puuhakuhui (at 1700 links on this line passes the west corner of house lot now occupied by the Konohiki of this land) Thence from Puuhakuhui N 5.10 E 3933 links to sharp spur leading down from Pohakua and called Keuholeia (from whence commencement of Survey at bench bears S 29.39 W Ahuatikau Peak S 3.23 W) Thence from Keuholeia. Thence N 2.37 E 2100 links to Pohakua then a hole was been cut in the rock, the boundary runs along the ridge to the eastward of bearing given (see plan) Ahuatikau Peak bears S 86.56 W a sharp point on Wahawalei and Hawapapea boundary towards Waiakalei N 1.57 W Puuhapale N 49.48 W) Thence from Pohakua following along the ridge <sup>Peak 46.48</sup> to a peak bearing N 9.10 E 6300 and called Pohakuhui thence following along ridge to a brown knoll in the bush to a Waiakalei at distance along N 33.17 E 3700 links. Thence along the ridge to the top of Puuhakua N 17.45 E. 3200 links and thence continuing along the ridge until joining spur leading

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from Kahili peak to Waalalea

The Eastern Boundary of this land commences at sea beach at a point called Kuhua at a large stone the shape of an hour glass (see plan) 400 links from the beach and runs thence  $N 0. 20 E$  1193 links to a place called Kerohoa. Thence  $N 7. 50 E$  1799 links to place called Keahua. Thence  $N 7. 50 E$  4460 links to Puuohala a square of stone with three lit-into then centre (thus ) Thence  $N 2. 42 E$  2567 links to place called Kealahua from thence bear Ahuahua peak  $N 39. 29 W$  Pohakua Peak  $N 8. 42 W$  Thence from Kealahua  $N 18. 10 E$  2953 links to place called Kahawaihala. Thence  $N 28. 58 E$  1663 links to place called Mahealani. Thence  $N 18. 15 E$  2830 links to place called Kahalehale. Thence  $N 17. 26 E$  4690 links along crossing some small gullies and through dam of Bowling down entrance and close past the west side of Bridge on Government Road to place called Kawaihala a large stone from whence bear Pohakua  $N 39. 56 W$  Judge M. B. Ryde's flag staff  $N 13. 5 W$  at the end of this survey called Kapiliwahine  $N 5. 20 E$  from Kawaihala  $N 10. 57 E$  5281 links crossing a gully and spanning 60 links to the westward of the N.W. corner of old stock yard to a stone with a split in it called Waipapa. Thence  $N 4. 40 E$  3317 links crossing a gully several times to a large rock about 10 feet high with a split in the top (thus ) and called Kapua. Thence  $N 1. 30 E$  7100 links on up through bush to a large tree on top of ridge and called Kapiliwahine the land above this is not accessible and without going to great expense in cutting lines through bush cannot be surveyed further. The quantities therefore are computed therefore an assumed line drawn on plan from Kapiliwahine across to Puuahua, and contains an area of 4173 acres. There is a considerable portion of this land owned by Mr. Powell but owing to bad survey cannot be correctly ascertained.

I hereby certify that the above notes are a correct survey of the boundary as pointed out to me and settled by Judge M. B. Ryde commissioner of Boundaries for Hawaii at all my stations on survey. E. H. H. a. H. H. J. W. Gay  
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