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ANTI-STATEHOOD HUI

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Statehood Day (Admission's Day) Honolulu Hawai'i August 21, 2009
The 50th Anniversary of Statehood, Fifty Years of U.S. Falsehood
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http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_L._Stevens

Hon. **John Leavitt Stevens** (August 1, 1820 – February 8, 1895) was the [United States Department of State Minister](#) to the [Kingdom of Hawai'i](#) in 1893 when he was accused of conspiring to overthrow [Queen Lili'uokalani](#) in association with the [Committee of Safety](#), led by [Lorrin A. Thurston](#) and [Sanford B. Dole](#) – [the first Americans attempting to overthrow a foreign government under the auspices of a United States government officer.](#)^[2] John L. Stevens, journalist, author, minister, newspaper publisher and diplomat, was also a [Maine State Senator](#) who was [a founder of the Republican Party in Maine.](#)

HONOLULU Australian born artist/activist Michael Daly is leading a contingent of disadvantaged and concerned people in a rally organised by the Hawai`i Independence Action Alliance today. The rally is in response to celebrations at Hawai`i Convention Center marking the 50th Anniversary of Statehood in Hawai`i.

Daly, together with a small band called the Anti-Statehood Hui (group) are rallying the homeless, the working poor and near-homeless, veterans and disadvantaged people today because the plight of these folk is attributed to U.S. occupation in the region, a non-caring government and the implementation of imperial overreach.

The celebration of Hawai`i as a so-called state of the USA is a continuation of gross disrespect for a people and a showcase Pacific nation of neutrality.

The disrespect for International Law profoundly began in 1898 when the U.S. Government under President William McKinley conspired with the coup leader of 1893, Lorrine A. Thursten to apparently “annex” the island nation and ensure that beloved Queen Lili`uokalani would never regain her rule and right to correct the “Bayonet Constitution” of 1887 in the interest of the multi-ethnic Hawaiian people.

The Queen’s story is identical to the present dilemma of ousted Honduras President Manuel Zelaya. The model of backhanded international military intervention on the part of the USA in supporting the Honduras coup (and in so many other imperial global policies by the U.S.) was established in Hawai`i during the time of Queen Lili`uokalani.

Hawai`i was never actually annexed by international treaty nor even by a proper 2/3 Congressional majority. Hawai`i has never been a state but remains an impaired nation through long-term belligerent occupation.

DALY: “Our group supports the leaders of the Hawaiian Independence Movement who want their nation relived of the yoke of U.S. imperialism. We will be using the anti-statehood action today to

show the world that the U.S.A. is the anti-Christ of democracy and freedom”.

It seems obvious that the power behind the U.S.A., and it's not the people, is the instigator of global economic control by which so many needlessly suffer. This model of injustice started in Hawai`i on January 16, 1893 when U.S. foreign representative to Honolulu, John L. Stevens landed Naval troops of the USS Boston anchored in Honolulu Harbour, in support of the coup.

This is a most fascinating untold story. This statehood celebration provides us with the means to explain how Hawai`i is a critical global region in the world. The theft of Hawai`i together with building of the Panama Canal at that time of President McKinley, created an out-of-balance worldwide superpower of atomic will – Hawai`i is the Middle East of the Pacific yet, in truth is so clearly understood, an elementary student can make a good judgement here. It is outrageously and blatantly a story of white Christian businessmen superiority.

This is not a time of U.S. celebration, it should be a time of shame, a time of remorse, memorial and healing; but the fake Governor and the 50th Anniversary of Statehood Commission continue to dig the hole deeper for future generations of all backgrounds.

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Brief History USA's Occupation of Hawai`i leading upto Statehood

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The Kingdom of Hawai`i was taken by over-run by business rebels in 1893. Known as Annexationists, the small group of missionary sons, businessmen and sugar planters, and lead by Lorrin A. Thurston enlisted the support of American diplomatic representative John L. Stevens and on January 16, 1893 the U.S. Navy landed troops and thereby assisted the rebels to remove by armed force Hawaii's beloved Queen Lili`uokalani. The Annexationist were loyal to their idea of U.S. interests since U.S. Admiral Schofield had spied on Pearl River Harbour in 1873 and invoked a proposal to make Hawai`i a territory of the U.S. in order to secure the strategic military resources for his country.

On investigation of the 1893 coup, President Grover Cleveland reported to Congress that the invasion was against U.S. international obligations of friendship with the nation of Hawai`i under its treaty, called it "disgraceful" and ordered a withdrawal.

But the conspirators, aided by incoming President William McKinley, boosted to power by media propaganda surrounding the need for an

American war against Spain, continued to hold the islands hostage, and the McKinley administration purported to annex Hawai`i in 1898 by Joint Resolution instead of a treaty, with absolute disregard to International Law and indeed U.S. Constitutional Law.

Such is the pre-eminent model of the belligerent superpower today.

Lili`uokalani had legally protested, her only crime was to attempt to make-right the 1887 constitution which did not meet the needs of her loyal people. The 1887 constitution was called the “Bayonet Constitution” because of the way King Kalakaua had been forced to adopt it by the annexationists. It shifted power away from the people. Lili`uokalani was portrayed by the annexationists as a barbarian native but in fact she was a kind ruler educated in Christianity yet had not lost the deep-rooted customs and way of behaviour called aloha. She was a pacifist leader in a neutral country. Her work for justice pre-dates that of Martin Luther King Jr. and Mahatma Gandhi.

After the coup Hawaiian people became displaced and lost vast amounts of land. Generally they were forced to give up their culture, language, spiritual practices, survival resources and property. The history was rewritten and taught in American style curriculum. Over a period of some two generations the people became disenfranchised and divided. These were the dark years of forced assimilation.

During these dark years the United Nations, in an attempt to address the injustice of colonialism around the planet, placed selected territories including Hawai`i on its list of Non-Self Governing Territories. The U.N. decolonisation policy was coming up for review in 1960. This would have had grave and negative consequences for the descendants of the coup

plotters and the U.S. occupation in Hawai`i. So, in 1959 the U.S. went the next step and took Hawai`i, now in the name of a "State of the Union". A massive pro-statehood was produced by the local media, predominately owned by the Thursten family, and anti-statehood sentiment was almost completely suppressed and shut down.

Hawai`i became a phantom state of the USA on August 21, 1959. The U.S. immediately reported to the U.N. that the "Territory" was now fully integrated into the U.S.A. under federal control. Because of this Hawai`i was deleted from the list of NSGT.

This is an obvious reason why the regional oligarchy in control of the Territory of Hawai`i and the USA federal government under President Dwight Eisenhower, re-conspired to up the occupation as a "state" just one year prior to the U.N. review.

Because Hawai`i never lost it's lawful status as a nation the U.N. actually mis-positioned Hawai`i in grouping it with the territories on the NSGT list, and more correctly the U.N. should have fully recognise the Kingdom of Hawai`i, supported it's redevelopment and capacity for self determination and address the issue of reparations with the USA. This remains the procedure that Hawaiian subject descendants await to this day.

The road to statehood was couched in similar corruption as the original coup. The statehood process and vote was a fraud. In 1959 the son of Lorrin A. Thurston, Lorrin P. Thurston was the owner-publisher of the major newspaper and media business, The Honolulu Advertiser. He was also the chairman of the Statehood Commission.

The statehood voter turnout on June 27, 1959 included a mass of foreign U.S. civilian and military personnel who did not have any right to be in

Hawai`i. The debate and information leading to the election were one-sided. Anti-statehood sentiment and the truth of Hawaiian history were suppressed. People wanting to speak out lived in fear of losing their jobs.

Regardless of the matter of whether Hawai`i should have been admitted onto the list of NSGT or moved to national reinstatement, from the USA perspective Hawai`i was legitimately listed and as such the agreed rules demanded that an option of "independence" and "free association" be given to proper voters on the 1959 plebiscite pertaining to governmental options. But these choices were never given and never discussed. The only option was statehood or to remain a territory - a system which had become overly and perhaps purposefully oppressive and needed change for fair work conditions and direct representations.

But the 1959 Admissions Act actually wrote Hawaiian crown lands into the hands of the new state which has resulted in a massive theft and further humiliation and deprivation for descendants of the Kingdom of Hawai`i.

The eruption of joy and the use of children in propaganda that the Thurston lineage deployed in realizing statehood are clearly evident in the archives of The Honolulu Advertiser of the day. A special 300 page Statehood Edition was published on June 23, 1959, four days prior to the vote.

Today, Hawaiians and other Pacific Islanders live in Hawai`i with the worst statistics and conditions regarding homelessness, health, income/poverty/assets, incarceration and social position. In Public Law 103-150, known as the Apology Resolution of 1993, President Clinton in

conjunction with the United Church of Christ recognised these conditions as a result of the 1893 Overthrow.

Whatever benefits individuals or various entities may have felt by becoming a state has to be considered against generations of enduring a belligerent, self-proclaimed and race-based government, and also, in contrast to the organic administration of a unique blend of modern law and sustainable traditions of aloha and multi-ethnic welcome in practice during Queen Lili`uokalani's reign, prior to the 1893 coup de tar, and since King Kamehameha the Great who founded the Kingdom of Hawai`i.

The truth remains that as Hawai`i is maintained by the U.S.A as an illegal occupation the government must oppress and humiliate the people.

http://www.killstatehood.com/the_big_five.html

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50th ANNIVERSARY of STATEHOOD



ADMISSION'S DAY FRI, AUG 21 RALLY FOR OHANA OF ALL AGES



UA MAU KE EA O KA AINA I KA PONO

ASSEMBLE IN PEACE & SOLIDARITY

HOUSELESS | WORKING POOR | DISADVANTAGED

U.S. imperialism has devastating impacts in Hawai`i, the Pacific and across the world. Join in a statement of unity to change USA foreign policy, promote Hawaiian independence and counter the 50th Anniversary of Statehood celebrations at the Hawai`i Convention Center...

9:30am Assemble at Ala Moana Park ATKINSON DRIVE ENTRANCE

10:00am March down Atkinson Drive to HAWAI`I CONVENTION CENTER

11:00am Rally outside Hawai`i Convention Center

1:00pm Close, please stay for further action.

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QUEEN LILI'UOKALANI

A MESSAGE FROM
HAWAII'S QUEEN, 1898

Oh, honest Americans, as Christians hear me for my down-trodden people ! Their form of government is as dear to them as yours is precious to you. Quite as warmly as you love your country, so they love theirs. With all your goodly possessions, covering a territory so immense that there yet remains parts unexplored, possessing islands that, although near at hand, had to be neutral ground in time of war, do not covet the little vineyard of Naboth's, so far from your shores, lest the punishment of Ahab fall upon you, if not in your day, in that of your children, for "be not deceived, God is not mocked." The people to whom your fathers told of the living God, and taught to call "Father," and whom the sons now seek to despoil and destroy, are crying aloud to Him in their time of trouble; and He will keep His promise, and will listen to the voices of His Hawaiian children lamenting for their homes.

It is for them that I would give the last drop of my blood; it is for them that I would spend, nay, am spending, everything belonging to me. Will it be in vein? It is for the American people and their representatives in Congress to answer these questions. As they deal with me and my people, kindly, generously, and justly, so may the Great Ruler of all nations deal with the grand and glorious nation of the United States of America.

*Queen Lili'uokalani,
from her book **Hawaii's Story**
(available at libraries and bookstores)*

In 1898 when these words were written the USA annexed Hawaii without Hawaiian consent, international right or a treaty. Statehood stands on this unresolved issue. The press in 1898 portrayed Queen Lili'uokalani in terms of sorcery: "a black pagan queen", the "savage queen".

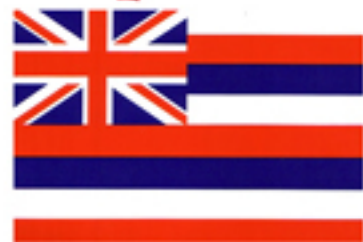
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Hawai'i's Independence From U.S. Occupation

After 50 years of being misled, Hawaiians are challenging a long history of misinformation leading to the creation of the State of Hawai'i and the commemoration of 50 years of its existence. Join us in challenging U.S. propaganda by calling attention to the 'real story' and asserting Hawaiian independence.



What: March & Rally for Hawaiian Independence

When: *August 21, 2009, Occupation Day
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.*

Where: *Ala Moana Beach Park,
(gathering at Diamond Head end)
To
Waikiki Convention Center*

Why: *To tell the real story of Hawai'i
Independence v. U.S. Imperialism*

*Wear Black T-shirts in Solidarity & Bring
Ti leaf to cleanse the wrong from this land*

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