

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR
HAWAIIAN HOMES COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVE, 1936-1939

Criticism against Hawaiian Homes Commission personnel for maladministration and against Hawaiian homesteaders for abusing their rights and privileges resulted in the United States Congress passing an act (approved July 26, 1935) amending the original 1920 Homes Commission Act and paving the way for reorganization of the Commission. One of the sections in the amendment called for a representative from the Interior Department, experienced in sanitation, rehabilitation, and reclamation work, to reside in Hawaii and cooperate with the Commission in carrying out its duties. George K. Larrison, a long-time resident of the islands, was appointed to this \$6,000 a year post, effective January 1, 1936.

Taking the term "rehabilitation," to cover practically every phase of the Commission's activity, George Larrison worked on any project the Commission requested him to and prepared reports, compiled data, and made suggestions and recommendations. He served as representative of the Interior Department until his retirement on June 30, 1939. The position was not filled so Mr. Larrison was the only Interior Department representative to the Hawaiian Homes Commission. The following are his records which consists mostly of reports, correspondence, statistics, and blueprints:

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See Also: Governor Joseph B. Poindexter's file - Territorial Departments,
Hawaiian Homes Commission.

Hawaiian Homes Commission. Reports. 1937. 1938.

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