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The Linguistic Appendix provided by Martin E. Huld of California State University, Los Angeles and Mt. St. Mary's College, Los Angeles, consists of over 100 reconstructed Indo-European etyma which clearly document, reinforce, and expand the findings of Professor Gimbutas.

Professor Gimbutas was one of the prime founders and the first senior editor of The Journal of Indo-European Studies.

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The papers in this monograph are the product of a symposium organized to investigate the validity of, and interrelationship between several theories. Prominent amongst these were the Indo-Hittite theory that Proto-Indo-European arose amongst the languages of the Greater Anatolian landmass lying between the Aegean and the Caspian, the claim by Gamkrelidze and Ivanov that proto-Indo-European was spoken in the valleys of the middle Kura and Araxes just west of the Caspian, and the argument by Colin Renfrew that Proto-Indo-European had originated amongst early cultivators in southern Anatolia and had been carried into Europe along with knowledge of farming.

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In this investigation into the mythology associated with the Finnish sky god Ukko, Unto Salo, professor of archaeology at the University of Turku, tells us that around the fourth millennium B.C., the skies above Stone Age Finland were ruled by an Eagle Thunderbird. However, evidence for this Thunderbird disappeared after an anthropomorphic Indo-European god arrived from the Aryan skies over the steppes, hurling thunderbolts from the clouds. First called by the Finns simply Ilmamo or Ilmarinen (ilma = sky), but later known familiarly as ukkonen (the old man), Ukko became the Finnish god of thunder, lightning, fire, wind, and rain. It was at this time, around 2000 BC, that the manufacture of stone hammer-axes, the weapon of Ukko and neighboring Indo-European sky gods, began in Finland, and when around 500 BC these were replaced by metal hammer axes, forges came under Ukko's care because the forging of metal weapons required fire, wind, water and magical incantations.

Both the Indo-European gods and Ukko lost their sanctity with the coming of Christianity, but in Finland, even into the Middle Ages, respect for Ukko remained so strong that Christian missionaries avoided attacking him as an enemy of souls, in the way they attacked the Scandinavian and Baltic Indo-European thunder gods, Thor and Perkunas, and as a result Ukko was fondly remembered in Finland until even comparatively recent times.

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For a number of years linguists have identified similarities between Celtic and Armenian; and some have suggested that this may have been due to proto-Celtic and proto-Armenian having separated from proto-Indo-European at roughly the same time – one moving westwards and the other eastwards. The thirteen contributors to this monograph not only confirm the existence of such similarities in language, but also draw attention to parallels in

mythology, thereby showing that the relationship is more complex than was previously thought.

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In this lively and extensively researched essay, senior Finnish archaeologist Unto Salo recounts the captivating story of the Gundestrup Cauldron as seen through his fascinated eyes. Dr. Salo's passion is indeed contagious as he takes us on a journey through millennia and across continents in search of answers to the mysteries of the Cauldron.

Though the magnificent silver Gundestrup Cauldron was found in a peat bog in Himmerland, Denmark, it has been established that it was actually made in Thrace or Dacia probably for a Celtic chieftain over 2000 years ago. However, Salo notes that scholars remain somewhat baffled in their attempt to interpret the finely executed high-relief images that decorate the exterior and interior of this huge sacral bowl. Some of the captivating figures portrayed on the friezes have been identified as Celtic and Germanic, but Salo demonstrates in great detail how others come from Greek or even matriarchal Minoan antiquity.

According to Salo, much of the Cauldron's imagery predominantly owe their origin to the beliefs of the earliest undivided proto-Indo-European peoples, while at the same time he amazes readers by the extent of the cultural diversity he sees in the Cauldron, from the Northern Baltic countries to Egypt. He argues that the most important theme portrayed on the Cauldron is that of the killing of a mythical great bull. He reveals how this was an integral part of early Germanic mythic beliefs, of the ancient Mycenaean culture as evidenced by their bull jumpers and architectural horn decorations, and possibly stretching back in the Middle east as far as the Mesopotamian Gilgamesh epic of the 3rd millennium BC.

Unto Salo's valuable interpretation of the images that have fascinated archaeologists for the over a hundred years since this precious artifact was brought to light is accompanied by over 75 illustrations.

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This book is the first detailed description of the phonetics of Buddhist Sanskrit as shown in the textual tradition of the Buddhist sect known as Mahāsāṃghika-Lokottoravādins. The texts use the language which undoubtedly bears the marks of Middle Indian influence, mostly of Pāli. However, as widely recognized, this language is not identical with Pāli or any other Middle Indian dialect. F. Edgerton's pioneer grammar of this language (New Haven: Yale University Press, 1953), which he called "Buddhist Hybrid Sanskrit" allows only a limited space to its phonetics. The present book contains an analysis of the phonetic evidence of all available texts of the Mahāsāṃghika-Lokottoravādins, necessarily including data from evidence published after Edgerton's demise.

Special emphasis is made on the fact that this language does not owe its shape to either Middle Indian dialect, but is a language on its own, with its own special structural constraints and features. Particularly, to account for its mixed nature, all occurrences of sound and their sequences are thoroughly examined with a special attention to the alternations taking place within the texts and their layers, probably pointing to the language habits of the speakers of different Middle Indian dialects, which contributed to the production of the textual tradition that stood in the midway between Hinayāna's and Mahāyāna's texts.

The intricate problem of sandi patterns is also given much attention as it is generally believed that these patterns were subject to no constraints whatsoever.

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Historically, the question of how and when Indo-European speech entered Europe was based on archaeological evidence for two competing theories. The first was that Indo-European speech entered Europe from Asia Minor as early as 9ky, in company with elementary farming techniques. Archaeology further provided evidence that prior to the arrival of these cultivators, Europe had been thinly populated by hunter-gatherers, and recent linguistic analysis has revealed distinctively non-IE elements in European I-E languages that are absent from Indo-European languages spoken elsewhere and could only have been absorbed from whatever language or languages the earlier hunter-gatherer population of Europe might have spoken.

But there was also a well-established theory that Indo-European speech was brought into Europe some 4,500 years ago by horse-riding pastoralists from the Eneolithic Pontic-Caspian steppes. As amply documented by Professor Marija Gimbutas, these pastoralists were warlike and tended to impose themselves on the farming population already occupying most of Europe.

To discuss these rival claims, Professors Guus Kroonen and Bernard Comrie organized a workshop, to be entitled Talking Neolithic, at the Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology in Leipzig, in 2013. Here the contributors would address the subject in terms of the intersection of Indo-European linguistics and archaeology. Then, during the planning of the workshop, remarkable genetic evidence of the origin and movements of the pre-Neolithic, Neolithic and post-Neolithic population of Europe came to light, and at the last moment it was decided to include this startling, new information in the workshop.

Based on fossil DNA, the new genetic evidence confirmed that cultivating techniques had been brought into Europe from Asia Minor by demic diffusion, and not by cultural diffusion as some theorists had earlier suggested. The DNA evidence also confirmed an invasion by horse-riding pastoralists from the Pontic steppes into central Europe. However, it was noted that while the evidence for these two demic invasions is now unquestionable, a detailed explication of the history of Indo-European speech in Europe still awaits further linguistic, archaeological and DNA research.

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The Problem of Armenian Origins: Myth, History, Hypotheses

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Armen Petrosyan, a member of the Institute of Archaeology and Ethnology of the National Academy of Sciences of Armenia, examines the complicated amalgam of linguistic, archaeological, mythological and historical evidence that bears on the origins of the Armenian people. Petrosyan surveys and deconstructs the foundation myths of both the Armenian people and their neighbors. This done, he examines the written evidence of the various peoples who occupied the Armenian highlands, and discusses the conflicting evidence for a traditional center in the Ayrarat region while the main cult centers appear to have been in Upper Armenia. He also locates the Armenians in the overall network of ethnic and linguistic entities that flourished in the multi-ethnic Urartian empire. Finally the author surveys and assesses the large variety of solutions that have been offered to solve the problem of Armenian origins.

INTRODUCTION: Common origin; Homeland; Biological succession; Cultural succession; Linguistic succession. TRADITIONS ON THE ORIGIN OF ARMENIA: The Armenian tradition; Mythology; Ethnography; Linguistics; History; The tradition of the "Pre-Armenian Population"; Traditions of other peoples on the origin of the Armenians. THE EARLIEST TRIBAL AND STATE FORMATIONS OF THE ARMENIAN HIGHLANDS AND THE PROBLEM OF THEIR SUCCESSION: Countries of the Armenian Highlands; The problem of the historical succession of ancient countries; Upper Armenia; Ayrarat; Van-Vaspuhrakan; Relations between the two centers; The Urartian Empire. THE ETHNO-LINGUISTIC SITUATION OF THE ARMENIAN HIGHLANDS IN THE 2ND-1ST MILLENNIA BC: Semitic languages; Hattic and Kaskaeian languages; Hurro-Urartian languages; Indo-Iranian (Aryan) languages; Anatolian languages; Connections with the Balkans and western Asia Minor; The ethnic origin of the elite of Urartu; The Earliest Armenians in the Armenian Highlands; Words; Toponyms; Anthroponyms. HYPOTHESES CONCERNING THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE EARLIEST ARMENIANS: The Proto-Indo-European homeland and the Armenian language; The traditional Balkanic hypothesis; The Arimoi hypothesis; The Hatti hypothesis; The Hayasa hypothesis; The Etiuni hypothesis; Toponyms; Anthroponyms; Theonym; The relationship of the different hypotheses; The subjective factors. ABBREVIATIONS. BIBLIOGRAPHY. INDEX.

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The major concerns of the Novo mesto Conference were twofold: (1) to take a further look at Indo-European and, particularly, Germano-Celtic dispersions in light of research across the three decades following the 1988 Bellagio Conference at which Colin Renfrew's (subsequently withdrawn) "Out of Anatolia" hypothesis that Indo-European speech was brought into Europe by early cultivators was presented and critiqued, and (2) to revisit the ever-puzzling "Negau Helmet" inscriptions in their Slovenian homeland with papers and discussions by local and foreign scholars alike; a revisit that generated innovative solutions while raising new issues about our very earliest textual evidence for Germanic and its ritualistic implications.

Following a *Preface* by T. L. Markey and Luka Repanšek, Markus Egetmeyer provides a fascinating paper entitled *Mesopotamia as the Magnet, Greece as a Second Choice, Remarks on the Dispersal of the Indo-European Languages*. In direct contra-distinction to Renfrew's earlier thesis, Egetmeyer shows how I-E speech actually penetrated western Anatolia from Europe before it was established in Greece. This is followed by John Colarusso's *An Ancient Loan into Proto-Indo-European from the Caucasus*; and Stefan Zimmer's *Celtic, Germanic and Harigasti Teiwa*; T. L. Markey and Daphne Nash Briggs next offer a revealing paper on *Porcine Husbandry (domestic) and Hunting (wild): Totem and Taboo*; Bernard Mees clarifies *The Trilingual Würmlach (Bumlje) Inscriptions*; and Václav Blažek produces *Onomastic Evidence for Early Germanic and Celtic Contact in Central Europe*; while Luka Repanšek speculates *Towards the Interpretation of *Is 7*; The monograph concludes with Mitja Guštin's attention-grasping *"The Amber Route" during the Late Iron Age and Roman Imperial Periods, from the 5th Century BC to the 3rd Century AD*.

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The Bundahišn was a sort of final clearinghouse for Iranian religion and cosmogony, completed shortly before the Arabian conquest of Iran and the extinguishing of most forms of Indo-Iranian religion from the world (the Parsees being the sole relicts of that faith now). It has been mined extensively by scholars – especially Georges Dumézil – for the many traces of the Indo-European past it contains. With his encyclopedic knowledge of IE linguistics and Sanskrit and classical literature, Professor Malandra has accompanied his translation with notes which not only illuminate the more confusing elements of the text, but also ground it in the world of Indo-European and Indo-Aryan literature. Readers will surely appreciate the author's clear and engaging writing as he guides them through this intriguing text.

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This volume of celebratory papers, assembled upon the retirement of J. P. Mallory from his two decades as editor of the *Journal of Indo-European Studies*, has been written by his colleagues in admiration and gratitude for his long service to the journal and to the field in general. The contents mirror the broad range of the honoree's own expertise and interest in Indo-European studies. Above all is his consuming passion for the history of the Tocharians and their language, a subject on which he has labored diligently throughout his career: Who were the Tocharians? Where did they come from? Where did they end up? With what other languages was their own tongue related? This consuming quest led him to delve deeply into the realms of linguistics, archeology, and cultural anthropology, all of which are represented in the papers collected in this volume.

Indo-European studies has been much enriched by J. P. Mallory's dedication to the journal that he edited with such care and precision. This monograph reflects the esteem and respect in which the contributors, all specialists in related fields, hold the honoree, J. P. Mallory.

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