

TEXTS AND FRAGMENTS

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This fragment of the right-hand portion of a large Hittite tablet was examined while it was in the possession of an antiquities dealer. It measures 63×76 mm., with a maximum preserved thickness of 36 mm., and as a result of conflagration is black on the obverse and red on the reverse. The script is pre-Neo-Hittite (note especially URU and É), and the personal name Ilaliuma (obv. 8') is otherwise found only in texts composed at an early date.<sup>1</sup> The text deals with the structure of various "houses," that is, economic units, and should be assigned to CTH 233, "Listes des familles." Perhaps it is even part of the same tablet as KBo 16 65, of which the script is very similar and which also mentions the poorly-attested town Kuluppa (obv. 7, 15; here obv. 2').<sup>2</sup>

*Obverse*

1'. [ ] x x [

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[ ] x LÚ.MEŠ<sup>uru</sup> Ku-lu-u[p-pa]  
 [ ku-]i<sup>1</sup>-e-eš ḫar-kán-zi  
 [ NJU.GÁL I-NA<sup>uru</sup> ḫa-ab-ḫa-a-ša<sup>1</sup>

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5'. [ N.] ka-pu-nu  
 [ ] 27 1/2 IKU KIRI<sub>6</sub>.GEŠTIN

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[ ] x-ta  
 [ ] x<sup>m</sup> I-la-ḫi-u-ma<sup>1</sup>

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1. See E. Laroche, NH no. 446, for two occurrences in the Akkadian-language version of the Telipinu Proclamation and one appearance in a royal land donation. Cf. also A. Goetze, JCS 11, (1957) 56 n. 37.

2. See G. del Monte, RG 6 (1978) 220. The sole occurrence outside of CTH 233 is in the royal edit KBo 22.1 obv. 7' (Middle Hittite, Middle Script).

*reverse*

[ -a]r' 1 É-TUM  
 [ ]'É'-TUM  
 [ ]-li

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[ ] x 1 É-TUM  
 5'. [ ] 1 É-TUM  
 [ ]-ma

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[ ]-ya-aš  
 r' x

obv.



rev.

