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2651. Jackson (Kenneth H.): The date of the Tripartite Life of St. Patrick.
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2652. McLeod (Neil): Interpreting early Irish law: status and currency. Part 1.
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Argues that the sevenfold division of the grades of laity is an artificial imposition of the church grades on an older, native order, and seeks to establish this original model.
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2653. Ó Ciardha (Pádhraic), Stenson (Nancy): The Irish of Ráth Cairn: a supplement to *Linguistic atlas and survey of Irish dialects*. Part 1.
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Supplies the results to the *LASID* questionnaire for the Gaeltacht of Ráth Cairn in Co. Meath and their discussion.
2654. Schmidt (Karl Horst): Zur Rekonstruktion des Keltischen: festlandkeltisches und inselkeltisches Verbun.
In ZCP 41 (1986), pp. 159–179.
Compares verbal formations (*s*-aorist, *s*-subjunctive and future, *syē/o*-future, and preterites other than the *s*-aorist) attested in Continental Celtic to their Insular Celtic counterparts.
2655. Wagner (Heinrich): Zur Etymologie von keltisch *Nodons*, Ir. *Nuadu*, Kymr. *Nudd/Lludd*.
In ZCP 41 (1986), pp. 180–187.
Argues that Celt. **Neudont-* is equivalent to Gmc. theonymic element (-)*nauta-* 'fisher' (literally 'catcher'), cf. OSax. (*Sax*)*nōt*.
2656. Hamp (Eric P.): Early Irish *gert* (*ā*) f.
In ZCP 41 (1986), p. 256.
ad *IEW*, 446. Dissociates OIr. *gert* from Skt. *ghṛtām* 'cream, (melted) butter'.
2657. de Bernardo Stempel (Patrizia): Indogermanische Demonstrativa und der altirische Artikel.

In ZCP 41 (1986), pp. 259–271.

Traces the development of the Old Irish article from its origin in the Indo-European demonstrative stem **so/to-* to its partial substitution by the root **sem-* ‘one’.

2658. Testen (D.): Palatalization and the Irish \bar{a} -stem.

In ZCP 41 (1986), pp. 272–279.

Argues that the declension of the oblique cases of the OIr. \bar{a} -stems can be derived regularly from Indo-European with the intervention of the analogical spread to the nominal inflection of an extended stem in **-osiā-* based on the forms here postulated for the accusative, genitive and dative of the 3rd sg. fem. demonstrative pronoun.

2659. Schmidt (Karl Horst): Antonio Tovar.

In ZCP 41 (1986), pp. 289–290.