

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

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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.

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