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3334. Hamp (Eric P.): *Varia*: 9. *asse*.  
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*asse* < \**ad-sād-s-io-* (\**sād-* = W *hawdd*); *anse* < \**ṛ-sād-s-io-*.

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Suggests < \**tepsmiā* (with root \**teps-* in zero-grade).
3336. Hamp (Eric P.): *Varia*: 11. *anbal*.  
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3337. Hamp (Eric P.): *Varia*: 13. *dlúth*.  
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