

## Materials for the Sumerian Lexicon

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E. Reiner has finished the manuscript of *MSL XI*, which includes HAR-*ra* XX to XXIV. It is now in press.

The work for *MSL XIV*, a re-edition of Proto-Ea (the old edition in *MSL II* is out of date and difficult to handle) and the text of the series Ea and A, plus all related texts, is in progress, and I hope to deliver the manuscript to the printer late this year, as scheduled. The revision and collation of the reconstructed texts with the sources in Philadelphia and in the British Museum is the main task still to be done. Because of the importance of the vocabularies of the Ea family for the transliteration and phonology of Sumerian, *MSL XIV* will be of the highest interest to the Sumerologist.

J.-R. Kupper is working on *MSL XVI (Nabnītu series)* and will provide a draft to be revised by us in 1974. I hope to have *MSL XV (Diri)* ready in 1975. After that only two more volumes will be needed to finish *MSL*.