



Aethiopia 17 (2014)

International Journal of Ethiopian and
Eritrean Studies

Table of contents

Aethiopia 17 (2014), 3–4

ISSN: 2194–4024

Edited in the Asien-Afrika-Institut
Hiob Ludolf Zentrum für Äthiopistik
der Universität Hamburg
Abteilung für Afrikanistik und Äthiopistik

by Alessandro Bausi

in cooperation with

Bairu Tafla, Ulrich Braukämper, Ludwig Gerhardt,
Hilke Meyer-Bahlburg and Siegbert Uhlig

Table of Contents

Editorial	5
Bibliographical abbreviations used in this volume	6
Articles	
ANDREA MANZO, <i>Snakes and Sacrifices: Tentative Insights into the Pre-Christian Ethiopian Religion</i>	7
MICHAEL GERVERS, <i>Churches Built in the Caves of Lasta (Wällo Province, Ethiopia): A Chronology</i>	25
DENIS NOSNITSIN – IRA RABIN, <i>A Fragment of an Ancient Hymnody Manuscript from Məʿasar G^wəhila (Təgray, Ethiopia)</i>	65
AMSALU TEFERA, <i>Colophonic Reflections on Dərsanä Şəyon and Kəbrä Nägäšt</i>	78
STÉPHANE ANCEL – DENIS NOSNITSIN, <i>On the History of the Library of Mäqdäla: New Findings</i>	90
NAMOUNA GUEBREYESUS, <i>Rim Transactions of liqe Bätre: A Preview of the Transactions on Lands in the mäzgäb of Ḥamärä-Noh</i>	96
MAGDALENA KRZYŻANOWSKA – STÉPHANE ANCEL, <i>Early 20th Century Theological Controversies in Ethiopia: A Letter of the Coptic Metropolitan Petros of 1904</i>	121
MARIA BULAKH – LEONID KOGAN, <i>Towards a Comprehensive Edition of the Arabic–Ethiopic Glossary of al-Malik al-Afdal Part II: New Readings from the Second Sheet</i>	151
EWALD WAGNER, <i>Betrachtungen zu Harariner grammatischen Termini</i>	169
RAINER VOIGT, <i>Bibliographie zur äthiosemitischen und kuschitischen Sprachwissenschaft XVII: 2012</i>	183
Miscellaneous	
STEFAN WENINGER, <i>Die altäthiopischen Personalpronomina der dritten Person Plural in der Funktion als Kopula</i>	190
Personalia	
<i>In memoriam Gideon Goldenberg (1930–2013) (RICCARDO CONTINI)</i>	195
<i>In memoriam Donald Edward Crummey (1941–2013) (IRMA TADDIA)</i>	209
<i>In memoriam Amsalu Aklilu (1929–2013) (GETIE GELAYE)</i>	223
Review articles	
JOACHIM CRASS – RONNY MEYER (eds.), <i>Language Contact and Language Change in Ethiopia</i> (GIORGIO BANTI)	227

Table of Contents

ANTONELLA BRITA, <i>I racconti tradizionali sulla «Seconda Cristianizzazione» dell’Etiopia</i> (PIERLUIGI PIOVANELLI)	236
Reviews	
<i>Pount, Cahiers d’études</i> 5 (STÉPHANE ANCEL)	246
PAUL YULE (ed.), <i>Late Antique Arabia: Zafār, Capital of Himyar. Rehabilitation of a ‘Decadent’ Society</i> (WALTER W. MÜLLER).....	249
BARBARA JÄNDL, <i>Altsüdarabische Inschriften auf Metall</i> (ALESSANDRO BAUSI)	255
DAVID W. PHILLIPSON, <i>Foundations of an African Civilisation: Aksum & the Northern Horn 1000 BC–AD 1300</i> (LUISA SERNICOLA)	258
KAI MERTEN, <i>Das äthiopisch-orthodoxe Christentum: Ein Versuch zu verstehen</i> (MAIJA PRIESS)	263
ANDREA NICOLOTTI, <i>Esorcismo cristiano e possessione diabolica tra II e III secolo</i> (ALESSANDRO BAUSI)	267
GETATCHEW HAILE (ed.), <i>The Homily of Zär’a Ya’aqob’s Mäṣḥafä Bərhan on the Rite of Baptism and Religious Instruction</i> (STEFAN WENINGER)	269
ANAÏS WION, <i>Paradis pour une reine: Le monastère de Qoma Fasilädäs, Éthiopie, XVII^e siècle</i> (LEONARDO COHEN)	273
PETER GARRETSON, <i>A Victorian Gentleman & Ethiopian Nationalist: The Life & Times of Hakim Warqenah, Dr. Charles Martin</i> (BAIRU TAFLA)	276
SASCHA A. KIENZLE, <i>Ursachen für den eritreisch-äthiopischen Grenzkonflikt: Eine historisch-politische Analyse</i> (BAIRU TAFLA)	278
LOVISE AALEN, <i>The Politics of Ethnicity in Ethiopia: Actors, Power and Mobilisation under Ethnic Federalism</i> (ULRICH BRAUKÄMPER)	280
JÖRG HAUSTEIN, <i>Writing Religious History: The Historiography of Ethiopian Pentecostalism</i> (VERENA BÖLL)	283
DIRK BUSTORF, <i>Lebendige Überlieferung: Geschichte und Erinnerung der muslimischen Silt’e Äthiopiens</i> (SUSANNE EPPLE)	288
SOPHIA THUBAUVILLE, <i>Die Wandernde ist eine Kuh: Lebenswege von Frauen in Maale, Südäthiopien</i> (ANGELA M. MÜLLER)	291
SUSANNE EPPLE, <i>The Bashada of Southern Ethiopia: A Study of Age, Gender and Social Discourse</i> (ANGELA M. MÜLLER)	293
MARILYN HERMAN, <i>Gondar’s Child. Songs, Honor, and Identity among Ethiopian Jews in Israel</i> (CHARLOTTE TOUATI)	296
HUGUES FONTAINE, <i>African Train/Un train en Afrique, Djibouti-Éthiopie</i> (STÉPHANE ANCEL)	298
ፍጹም ፡ ወልደ ፡ ማርያም (FƏSSUM WÄLDÄ MARYAM), ያልተዘመረላ ቸው ፡ “ትልቅ ፡ ነበርን ፡ ትልቅም ፡ እንሆናለን” (‘Those who have not been publicized enough: we were great and we will become great’), I and II (ABREHAM ADUGNA)	300
LUTZ EDZARD (ed.), <i>Semitic and Afroasiatic: Challenges and Opportunities</i> (ALESSANDRO BAUSI)	302