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〈1〉 lakhako meyakathālikā

Translation

The acrobat (and his apprentice) Meyakathālikā.

Commentary

meyakathālikā. On the identification of Meyakathālikā with P. Medhakathālikā, the apprentice named in the simile of the *caṇḍālavaṃsika* in the Sedakasutta of the Saṃyuttanikāya (SN V.168.16–169.25) and its parallels, see Anālayo 2015: 318. See also, on the genre of the apprentice, Anālayo 2015: 316, n. 18.

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