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Summary

This is a fragmentary record of **Dantivikramavarman.** It mentions a certain **[Kā]ḍuveṭṭi-Muttaraiyaṉ** at whose request an endowment of 4 *paṭṭi* of land was made to the old temple of Vishṇu called Tirumēṟṟaḷi at Iṟaiyāṉchēri and to a *maṭha,* probably attached to it.

Reference to a Kāḍuveṭṭi-Muttaraśan who made a raid on Kōyāttūr in the reign of the Bāṇa king Vijayāditya Vīrachūḷāmaṇi Prabhumēru is noticed in a record from Puṅganūr (No. 542 of 1906). This chief was probably identical with the Kāḍuveṭṭi-Muttaraiyaṉ mentioned in the present inscription as he lived about this period.

Edition

〈1〉 [8+] caiya tantivikkiramaparumakki yā [4+]〈2〉 [6+] (ṭu ve)ṭṭi muttaraiyaṉ viṇṇappattāl [5+]〈3〉 [6+] ṭṭu Iṟaiyāṉceri paḷan tirumeṟṟaḷiyum maṭamum U [5+]〈4〉 [6+] ḷḷiṭṭu **caturvvaṭṭi** nālupaṭṭi nilamum paḷantirumel [4+]〈5〉 [4+] **parihāra**māka pā**dada**tti ceṉ(ṟa)tu Itu kāttāṉ ṉaṭi Eṉṟa [4+]

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