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King Ashurnasirpal II



I am a...
great king, strong king,
 king of the universe, king
 of Assyria; valiant man
 who acts with the support
 of Ashur, his lord, and
 has no rival among the
 princes of the four
 quarters, marvelous
 shepherd, fearless in
 battle, unstoppable
 mighty floodtide, king
 who conquers those
 disrespectful to him, he
 who rules all peoples,
 strong male who steps
 upon the necks of his
 foes, crusher of all
 enemies.

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An Eye for an

49 shall they d e s t r o y
 48 his eye
 47 d e s t r o y s
 46 the eye of anther man
 45 If a man



45 shum-ma a-wi-ium 46 in mâr a-wi-lim

47 uh-tab-bi-it 48 in-shu 49 u-ha-ap-pa-du

MESOPOTAMIAN MONUMENTS

Museum

Field Notes

Keep track of your journey



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 of the ANCIENT NEAR EAST

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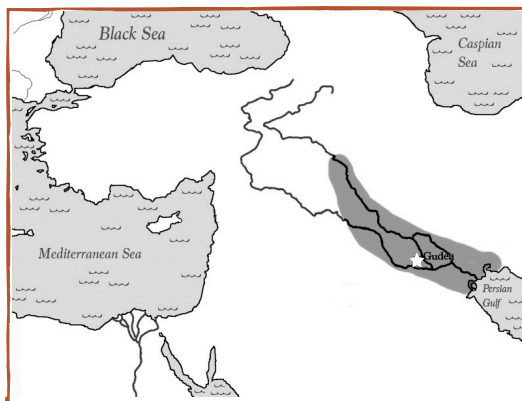
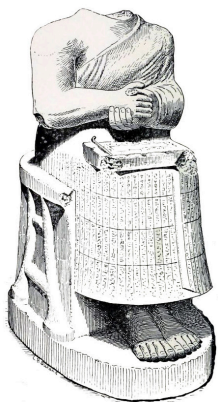
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Monument

Architect with a Plan

Ruler

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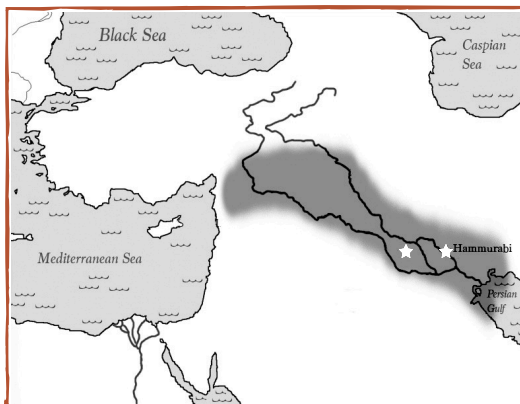
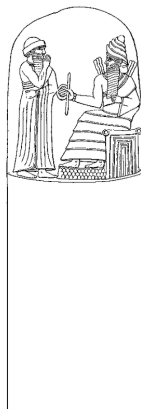
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Laws of Hammurabi

Ruler

Hammurabi



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Civilization

Monument A

Black Obelisk of

Shalmanesser

Ruler

Shalmaneser III



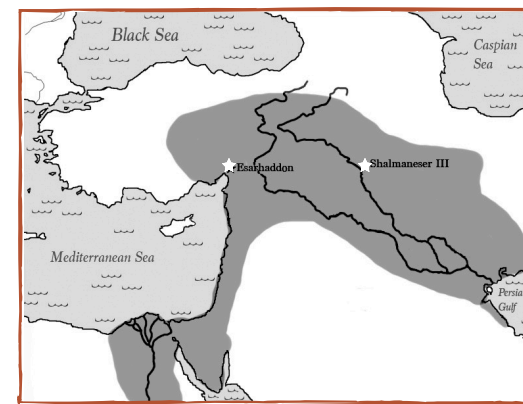
Monument B

Victory Stela of

Esarhaddon

Ruler

Esarhaddon



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