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J. Chadwick reports that one of the four fragments of Linear B tablets found during the excavation at Knossos by the British School at Knossos in 1959 is the central section of another "Armour" tablet, similar to S 8100. The HELMET ideogram is, however, in this case clearly recognizable, and the following word is o-pi-ko-ru-[-], not e-pi- as tentatively read on 8100.

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