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## **The Common-Caucasian Culture**

The paper deals with the part of the Common-Caucasian cultural fund which can characterize the prehistoric metallurgy. The existence of the terms of metallurgy in the protolanguage points to the fact that the breakage of the Common-Caucasian linguistic unity took place only after the metal era, in particular, in the second half of the fifth millennium B.C., when along with the developing of metallurgy the epoch-making changes in the formation of the local society is observable.