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ERRATUM

Throughout this book glottalized or emphatic consonants are denoted by an under-dot: e.g. $\underset{\cdot}{t}$ means ‘glottalized (or emphatic) t’. In two sections, *Phonetic Correspondences* and *Index of Nostratic Words*, this under-dot has incorrectly been replaced by an angular apostrophe: hence t^{\prime} instead of $\underset{\cdot}{t}$, \check{c} instead of $\underset{\cdot}{c}$, etc. Confusion may arise since the symbol $^{\prime}$ is a part of the ‘uncertainty brackets’: $^{\prime}t^{\prime}$ means ‘something like t’. The reader is asked to note that where the symbol $^{\prime}$ is preceded by $^{\prime}$, it denotes uncertainty brackets. In all other cases it should be replaced by an under-dot indicating a glottalized or emphatic consonant.