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## Corrigenda

**Composition et évolution saisonnière d'un peuplement d'oiseaux au nord du Burkina Faso (nord-Yatenga). (G. Balança & M.N. de Visscher 1997, *Malimbus* 19: 68–94)**

Le nom scientifique du Ganga à ventre châtain n'est pas *Pterocles senegallus*, comme il est écrit dans l'Annexe de cet article (p. 89, ligne 8), mais *P. exustus*, et la mention de "Pterocles senegallus" p. 80, lignes 2–3 du bas, doit être attribuée à *P. exustus*. De même p. 80, lignes 3–4 du bas, il faut lire "Eremopteryx" et non "Eremopterix".

Je remercie M. Babacar Ndao d'avoir attiré mon attention sur ces inexactitudes.

Alan Tye

**Book review: The Birds of Liberia (1999, *Malimbus* 21: 66–67)**

I should like to apologize to G.D. Field for the unfortunate omission of his name as the author of this review.

Alan Tye

## News & Letters — Nouvelles & Lettres

**Request for information: ringed Fire-crowned Alethe *Alethe diademata***

I have failed to find anyone who has details of a ringed adult male *Alethe diademata*, which I controlled on 17 Apr 1999, at Lobéké, SE Cameroon. The ring unfortunately bears no address, just the number 1779. It is similar to others I have controlled in SW Cameroon, which had been used by the team working under Prof. Tom Smith. But he has told me it is not one of their birds, and that the series is not theirs. Approaches to several people who might have ringed it originally (including WWF, WCS and San Francisco University workers in Cameroon and neighbouring countries) have drawn a blank. Surely someone can claim to have ringed this bird? I would much appreciate banding data in due course, in particular exact locality and coordinates of ringing site.

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