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Page 326. The date on the last line of Table II should read 15 Aug. 1950, rather than 1965.

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Page 363, left column, line 6 from bottom: The last part of the sentence: "which are similar to the "log-normal" distribution." should be deleted.