

Re: Polynesian and South American place names

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Miguel Carrasquer wrote:

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> *On Wed, 25 Aug 2004 16:42:31 GMT, "Peter T. Daniels"*

> *<grammatim@worldnet.att.net> wrote:*

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> *>And [Hamp] calls the pre-Slavic but IE substratum in Slavic "Circassian."*

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> *I thought it was "Cimmerian".*

That sounds better! Circassian is an actual language.

Anyway, Hamp wouldn't posit identifiable substrates without good reason
and strict sound laws.

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