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- The discussions and results of the SC2/WG2 Helsinki meeting from June 2011 regarding characters for German dialectology are considered, resulting in dropping one character (which can be unified with an accepted German dialectology character "barred alpha"), one reverting to a name used in earlier versions (the "reversed scruple" is no longer considered a "lunate epsilon") and some code point adjustments to prevent overlaps with character contained in PDAM 1.2 (SC2 N4201) and other recently submitted proposals.
- Otherwise, the text is not changed substantially.

1. Introduction

The English Phonotypic Alphabet is one attempt to give the English language a phonetic spelling and an alphabet which accomplishes this in a way that every sound is represented by a single letter (the words "phonetic" and "sound" translate in today's language roughly as "phonemic" and "phoneme"). The English language has experienced many of such experiments; e.g. William Bullokar's "Booke at Large" (London 1580), or Unifon (1957, <http://www.unifon.org>). Some prominent examples, having their alphabets encoded in Unicode, are Deseret and Shavian.

The "English Phonotypic Alphabet", shortly referenced in the following as "EPA", stands out of these numerous experiments by these facts:

- It was propagated for more than 40 years, at least from 1847 to 1888.
- It was used in one of the earliest systematic phonetic dictionaries of the English language (see fig. 1855c–1855e).
- Besides that, there were several other thousands of pages of text published using it.
- It is closely related to the widely used Pitman Shorthand (being based on the same phonemes, as its inventor was also one of the main contributors and propagators of EPA).
- It played a role in the history of IPA.

The EPA is an extension of the Latin alphabet, including some special punctuation marks. It also assigns special meanings of existing Latin characters and punctuation marks when used in its domain.

It was developed by Isaac Pitman (who also developed the Pitman shorthand) and Alexander Ellis in England since 1844; the first stable version was published 1847.

The term "phonotypic" was coined to distinguish the project from "phonographic" which then was used for the shorthand, referring to its design for lead types (while the other was designed for "graphics" done by hand). While the "English phonotypic alphabet" was called later "English

"phonetic alphabet" by its propagators, the original wording seems more appropriate now to name the alphabet, as the alphabet is not "phonetic" in the sense this term is used today.

Besides some hobbyist usage, texts published in the EPA are referenced and cited in discussions of details of English pronunciation of the 19th century (see especially fig. 1855c-1855e; see also fig. 1996b for a modern bibliographic reference using EPA in the naming of the cited work).

While EPA is (as outlined above) not phonetic in the modern sense, nevertheless the texts (which include self-referencing discussion texts) give hints for such pronunciation details.

Four main stages can be identified, by considerably different use of some single characters (however, the special punctuation marks devised for EPA were used unchanged throughout all EPA versions, see fig. 1848a, 1848e, 1848f).

1.1 EPA 1847

The 1847 version of EPA (shortly referenced as "EPA 1847" in the following; see fig. 1847a) contained 40 letters, distinguishing between long and short vowels, but does not address the sound differences for stressed and unstressed syllables (thus, e.g. it ignores the schwa as an English phoneme). In this, it matches the Deseret alphabet, which was developed at the same time and possibly was in fact modeled according to the EPA 1847 version.

Together with the publishing of EPA 1847, some additional letters and many diacritical combinations were devised to write other languages than English (see fig. 1848a, 1848c).

1.2 EPA 1855 (the "Cincinnati alphabet")

The EPA was adopted in the USA by a group of promoters mainly situated in Cincinnati, who in first line adopted the EPA 1847, but in 1855 published the "Cincinnati alphabet" (referenced as "EPA 1855" in the following, see fig. 1855a), which retained the consonants and diphthongs (except a glyph change for the "th" sound) but has revised the vocals, resulting in a total of 43 letters. This alphabet was in use at least until 1864 (see fig. 1864b).

1.3 EPA 1856

Independent of the USA use, in England from 1852 on, Isaac Pitman tried to "improve" the EPA (see fig. 1852a) and started to publish several short-lived new versions. From 1856 on, a reduced version was used ("EPA 1856"; see fig. 1856c, 1860a) which lacked the diphthongs and characters for the compound consonants [tʃ] and [dʒ].

1.4 EPA 1868

However, from 1868 on, a version ("EPA 1868"; see fig. 1868a, 1871a) was used which had restored most of the diphthongs and the consonant inventory from earlier versions (with the exception of replacing "c" by "k"). In 1888, the diphthongs are dropped again (see fig. 1888a).

2. Encoding considerations

2.1 Scope of this proposal

The proposal intends to include all EPA variants which were stable for at least some years, and which were used for publications beyond publishing the alphabet version itself.

These are the aforementioned versions "EPA 1847", "EPA 1855", "EPA 1856", and "EPA 1868".

Not included are therefore:

- any experimental versions. These include the alphabets published by Pitman/Ellis before the final 1847 versions, and the "improvements" published by Isaac Pitman from 1852 on before there was stability again (the EPA 1856).
- any characters found only in discussions of the character forms themselves (a lot of such are found in the "Plowshare", see fig. 1853a; see also fig. 1852c).
- any competing alphabets from the same era (one of the more remarkable ones is the Comstock alphabet, see fig. 1855f).

However, such characters can be in principle subject of later proposals.

As an exception, such versions were used as source for lowercase counterparts of capital EPA characters, whenever elsewhere no lowercase form was found which fulfills the requirement for being a formal lowercase counterpart (see "casing issues" below; see fig. 1852b, 1855f).

2.2 Character identity

During the history of EPA, some of the glyphs developed for the EPA as well as some standard Latin characters were used to denote different sounds/phonemes.

On the other hand, the used glyphs show a high grade of stability during their use in any EPA versions (compare fig. 1847a, 1855a, 1860a, 1868a, 1871a, 1888a).

This includes the italic forms which were deliberately designed, not simply being skewed forms of the Roman ones (see e.g. fig. 1888b for the lowercase a, i, and o forms).

Therefore, the character identities were devised by their glyptic appearance, rather than by the sounds/phonemes they denote. This is in accordance with the general encoding principle of Latin letters (e.g. the W/w is U+0057/0077 whether it denotes [w] in English, [v] in German, or [u] in Welsh).

This is done consequently (see the discussion of U+A7C3 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH below).

To enable the exact reproduction of EPA texts by good typography, unifications with existing letters are selected with care. The principle is followed that EPA shall be displayable using multipurpose fonts, never needing to select a special EPA font only to get a recognizable high-quality representation of EPA texts.

2.3 Casing issues

A special phenomenon of EPA is that the combination of upper and lowercase letters is peculiar in EPA, and changes between the different EPA stages.

Especially in EPA 1847, the standard letter A and the already encoded small Latin alpha are involved in this:

- the uppercase A is paired with the lowercase Latin alpha;
- the lowercase a is paired with the uppercase "roundtop A" (included in this proposal).

Therefore, the "canonical" casing mechanism of Unicode, defining a fixed casing counterpart in the character properties, cannot be employed in full on EPA text.

It would be possible to solve this by defining special casing rules in the Unicode data file "special-casing.txt", as it is done for Turkish to accomplish the casing I/I ī/ī).

However, the UTC gave some rules in the feedback to the first version of this proposal, which are followed in this revision.

- ▶ A formal case pairing in the character properties is only given if the form (of the representative glyph) and the naming of the capital and small letter correspond. (*Of course, no naming correspondence is proposed here whenever there is no form correspondence.*)
- ▶ If such a pairing is found, this has precedence over an actual case pairing found in a specific historical use, like EPA or only a specific variant of EPA.
- ▶ The actual case pairing in such a use has to be described elsewhere (e.g. in initiating a specific CLDR entry), and has to be accomplished by other means (like regarding such a CLDR entry).

Another fact to be regarded is a consequence of the current Unicode stability policies:

- ▶ Whenever a capital letter is encoded, a lowercase counterpart (by “canonical” casing reflected in the Unicode character properties) cannot be encoded later.
(This does not apply vice versa: for a lowercase letter, a capital counterpart in fact can be encoded later.)

Based on this, the following rules were incorporated:

- Whenever a capital and a lowercase letter are found which match by form, they are proposed as “canonical” case pair, without regarding the actual use in any EPA variant.
- Whenever a lowercase letter is found without a capital letter matching by form, this letter is proposed as an unpaired lowercase letter.
- Whenever a capital letter is found without a lowercase letter matching by form in EPA, the following is done:
 - If an appropriate matching lowercase letter was found in an area otherwise not in the scope of this proposal, that letter is included, and the complete “canonical” case pair is proposed.
This is the case for:
U+A796/A797 LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE
U+A7AC/A7AD LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER A WITH LOOP
For proposing U+A796/A797 LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE as a case pair, see fig. 1825a/1825b.
 - Otherwise, if there exists an already encoded letter which is obviously the matching lowercase letter, but which is already formally paired to another uppercase letter, such letters are handled using U+1E9E LATIN CAPITAL LETTER SHARP S as precedent: They are given the lower case letter as formal counterpart, while this one retains its original capital counterpart. (Thus, there is no round-trip casing.).
Additionally, a compatibility equivalence to the existing capital letter is given to that capital letter, to avoid problems in the case that small letter is used in IDNs (e.g. URLs. or e-mail addressed) when a locale using case mapping to the capital letters listed here is active.
This is the case for:
U+FB0B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG
(informally paired with U+014B LATIN SMALL LETTER ENG)
U+FB0E LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U
(informally paired with U+026F LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED M)
 - Otherwise, if there is no form of a lowercase letter which is obviously matching by form (and thus being its “natural” lowercase matching independent of any use in a special EPA variant), the capital letter is proposed unpaired.
In such cases, the case matching has to be done by a tailoring specific to the EPA

variant in use (which is no special problem, as any EPA variant considered here needs such a tailoring anyway).

These capital letters will never get a lowercase counterpart (due to the aforementioned Unicode stability policies), and as they cannot be lowercased independent of a special tailoring, they are excluded from the use in IDNs and identifiers.

The last two groups of capital letters are “second class letters” in some sense, as they are no “canonical” capital counterpart of any encoded lowercase letter.

Therefore, it is considered appropriate to put these letters into a specific group. In fact, they are proposed to be placed in the “**Alphabetic Presentation Forms**” block.

As true presentation forms (like U+FB06 LATIN SMALL LIGATURE ST) will no longer be encoded, the gaps in this block are considered to be the appropriate place for other “second class” letters now.

- A list of the case pairings deviating from the “canonical” pairings is given in an informative chapter (“3.6 Special case pairing within the main EPA versions” below), which can be used as an appropriate data source when it comes to define the special casing tailoring for EPA variants elsewhere.

2.4 Duodecimal numbering

During some years about 1860, Isaac Pitman has propagated the duodecimal system along with EPA. As some publications are found using this system (see fig. 1860f, 1860g), the special digit forms used there for the digit values ten and eleven are included in this proposal.

2.5 Special issues for single characters

- A typical feature for some lowercase EPA letters is the “u-turned tail”, which always displays a 180° bend upward, of about half the length of the tail (see the proposed U+A7AB, U+A7B1, U+A7C4 LATIN SMALL LETTER A/ALPHA/U WITH U-TURNED TAIL, and the italic form of U+A7B6 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL; see fig. 1888b). These tails are straight prolongations of the right stem of the letter replacing the usual bend or serif at the bottom line, thus differing from an appended ogonek or retroflex hook, or the hook tail of U+024B LATIN SMALL LETTER Q WITH HOOK TAIL.
- A similar feature is seen with U+A7B7/A7B8 LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM, which therefore are not unified with the Latin iota (which usually has a bend of only 90° ... 120°, ending in a sharp peak rather than a ball terminal). The U-turn of the proposed letters may be even more prominent than that of a J/j in the same font (see fig. 1852a, middle part). Therefore, they are not called REVERSED J.
- U+A7C0/A7C1 LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER OW: Its appearing is equidistant to that of the following similar letters:
U+0264 RAMS HORN: Normal height; arms bend about 90° outwards (see fig. 1996a).
Proposed OW: Normal height; arms are straight, belly is broad.
U+0194/0263 LATIN GAMMA: Extended height; arms are straight, belly is narrow.
U+0222/0223 LATIN OU: Normal height; arms bend about 90° inwards, almost touching.

Thus, no one of the three other letters exploits a preference to be unified with the “OW” proposed here. Each of them would be look equally wrong when used in EPA (especially, the Capital Latin Gamma would look weird, as no EPA capital letter extends below the baseline; even the Q is not used in any EPA variant).

The differences between the listed letters anyway are more prominent than e.g. between U+0075 u, U+1D1C u, U+028B v, U+0076 v, U+2C71 v.

Thus, any unification of the proposed “OW” is considered inappropriate.

Also, as the most prominent part if the “OW” is the O-like “broad belly”, it is not proposed as the (not yet encoded) Pullum & Ladusaw’s “baby gamma”, which has a shape like a “v with a little loop at the peak” (see fig. 1996a).

Feedback from UTC #126 suggested this letter to be unified with U+0222/0223 LATIN OU. We cannot follow this. Neither the glyph nor the meaning ([au]:[u:J]) resemble each other (regarding the glyph, see above). Other phonetic alphabets, like Landsmålsalfabetet or canIPA, have sets of different letters (albeit lowercase only, as usual for scientific phonetic alphabets) resembling the U+0264/U+0263/U+0223 series.

For instance, canIPA <http://venus.unive.it/canipa/dokuwiki/doku.php> contains a letter exactly resembling the here proposed U+A7C1 LATIN SMALL LETTER OW, and an inverted version of it. Obviously, if unified with U+0223 LATIN SMALL LETTER OU, the inverted letter would not be distinguishable from the non-inverted one.

A possible unification candidate is U+1E090 as proposed in WG2 N3555 (an explanatory document), but this has to be discussed if Landsmålsalfabetet in fact is proposed.

- U+A7C3 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH: There are three fundamentally different glyphs used for the lowercase letter denoting the phoneme [θ]. The representative character was selected to resemble the Cincinnati alphabet (EPA 1855), as this EPA variant was used for the phonetic dictionary referenced in fig. 1855c, considered as the scientifically most important source referenced in this proposal.
It is also the glyph used in EPA 1856 (see fig. 1856c) in England devised by Isaac Pitman. The more symmetrical glyph shown in fig. 1851c is considered a glyph variant of this character.

However, the glyphs used for this phoneme in fig. 1847a (EPA 1847) and fig. 1868a (EPA 1868) are fundamentally different by design.

According to the principle that Latin letters are encoded by design rather than by a special meaning in a special context, these forms are proposed as separate letters

U+A7C9 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH EARLY PITMAN FORM and
U+A7CA LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH LATE PITMAN FORM

- U+218B TURNED EZH-SHAPED DIGIT THREE (duodecimal digit eleven in Pitman's notation) is no simple turned digit three, as fig. 1860f, 1860g clearly show. Therefore, a unification with 0190 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER OPEN E or A72B LATIN SMALL LETTER TRESILLO would be far more inappropriate, as an unification of the tresillo with the open E would have been. It can be presumed that Pitman wanted the digit to be clearly distinguishable from the capital open E which is a common letter in EPA.

(In fact, other propagators of non-decimal numbering systems used a simple turned three, but then, this is another character, the unifiability of which has to be discussed in due course when such digit sets are proposed for encoding.)

3. Proposed characters

Annotations in parentheses address special issues for a character, or reference to figures where such special issues are discussed. These annotations are not intended to be retained in the character listings in the standard.

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Number Forms

218F

	215	216	217	218
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A				2 218A
B				Σ 218B
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2E00

Supplemental Punctuation

2E7F

	2E0	2E1	2E2	2E3	2E4	2E5	2E6	2E7
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1								
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4					⸮			
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	A72	A73	A74	A75	A76	A77	A78	A79	A7A	A7B	A7C	A7D	A7E	A7F	
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E										Ꝕ	Ꝫ				
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FB00

Alphabetic Presentation Forms

FB4F

	FB0	FB1	FB2	FB3	FB4
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1					
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7	Ā				
	FB07				
8	Ē				
	FB08				
9	Ē				
	FB09				
A	ꝑ				
	FB0A				
B	ꝑ				
	FB0B				
C	ꝑ				
	FB0C				
D	ꝑ				
	FB0D				
E	ꝑ				
	FB0E				
F					

All letters (except when noted) are found in at least one of the figures:

EPA 1847 – fig. 1847a

EPA 1855 – fig. 1855a

EPA 1856 – fig. 1856c

EPA 1868 – fig. 1868a

The italic forms for some letters are found in fig. 1888a.

Block: Latin Extended-D

Additions for historical and phonetic use

Ѐ	U+A796	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE → 0404 cyrillic capital letter ukrainian ie → 2108 scruple → A792 latin capital letter c with bar · the serif on the middle bar is sometimes retained or modified in sans-serif fonts · denotes the sound [tʃ] in the English Phonotypic Alphabet · denotes the sound [e] in the Slovene Metelko alphabet
ԑ	U+A797	LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE → 03F5 greek lunate epsilon symbol

Additions for the English Phonotypic Alphabet

ә	U+A7AB	LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH U-TURNED TAIL → 1D8F latin small letter a with retroflex hook
Ӑ	U+A7AC	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH LOOP
ӑ	U+A7AD	LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH LOOP (see fig. 1855f)
Ӑ	U+A7AE	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ROUNDTOP A
Ӗ	U+A7AF	LATIN SMALL LETTER ROUNDTOP A · the italic form may resemble an unreversed Latin alpha with left notch
ԛ	U+A7B1	LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH U-TURNED TAIL → 024B latin small letter q with hook tail → 1D90 latin small letter alpha with retroflex hook
Ӗ	U+A7B2	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ALPHA WITH LEFT NOTCH = latin ligature of capital open e and i
ӗ	U+A7B3	LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH LEFT NOTCH
ڎ	U+A7B4	LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH
ڗ	U+A7B5	LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH PIGTAIL AT BOTTOM · the italic form usually shows the pigtail at bottom to the right → 0279 latin small letter turned r (see fig. 1848c, 1873a, 1880a)
ӂ	U+A7B6	LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL · the italic form usually has a u-turned tail

ł	U+A7B7	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM → 0196 latin capital letter iota → 13D3 cherokee letter da
í	U+A7B8	LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM (see fig. 1851c, 1852a, 1852b)
ꝑ	U+A7B9	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH CURL · the italic form usually has the curl directed to the left (see fig. 1888b)
ꝑ	U+A7BA	LATIN SMALL LETTER O WITH CURL
ꝑ	U+A7BB	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA · lowercase is 0277 latin small letter closed omega
ꝑ	U+A7BC	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA WITH LONG STEM
ꝑ	U+A7BD	LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA WITH LONG STEM
ꝑ	U+A7BE	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA (see fig. 1848d, 1848i, 1849b)
ꝑ	U+A7BF	LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA (see fig. 1848a, 1848d, 1848h, 1848i, 1849b)
ꝑ	U+A7C0	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER OW · in the English Phonotypic Alphabet, it usually denotes the diphthong [au] → 0194 latin capital letter gamma → 0222 latin capital letter ou → A64A cyrillic capital letter monograph uk
ꝑ	U+A7C1	LATIN SMALL LETTER OW · this is not Pullum & Ladusaw's "baby gamma" → 0263 latin small letter gamma → 0264 latin small letter rams horn (see fig. 1996a)
ꝑ	U+A7C2	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH
ꝑ	U+A7C3	LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH
ꝑ	U+A7C4	LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH U-TURNED TAIL → 1D99 latin small letter u with retroflex hook
ꝑ	U+A7C5	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH NOTCH AT BOTTOM
ꝑ	U+A7C6	LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH NOTCH AT BOTTOM
ꝑ	U+A7C7	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED ENLARGED SMALL U (see fig. 1856c)
ꝑ	U+A7C8	LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED U (see fig. 1856c, 1856d)

Variant forms for the English Phonotypic Alphabet

†	U+A7C9	LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH EARLY PITMAN FORM
‡	U+A7CA	LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH LATE PITMAN FORM

Block: Alphabetic Presentation Forms

Capital letters used with the English Phonotypic Alphabet

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Ā	U+FB07	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH TOPBAR
Ē	U+FB08	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH BENT TOPBAR
Ē	U+FB09	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITHOUT MIDDLE BAR (see fig. 1851c)
ꝑ	U+FB0A	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR → 0197 latin capital letter i with stroke → 2629 cross of jerusalem → 2720 maltese cross (see fig. 1848b)
Ꝕ	U+FB0B	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG · lowercase is 014B latin small letter eng ≈ 014A latin capital letter eng
ꝕ	U+FB0C	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SIGMA → 01A9 latin capital letter esh
Ꝗ	U+FB0D	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH Q TAIL (see fig. 1848a vs. the Q in fig. 1848d No. 21)
ꝗ	U+FB0E	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U · lowercase is 026F latin small letter turned m ≈ 019C latin capital letter turned m

Block: Supplemental Punctuation

Punctuation used with the English Phonotypic Alphabet

⸮	U+2E44	WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK = smile mark, mirth mark, laughter mark · wiggles are broader at top than at bottom (see fig. 1848e, 1851b, 1852c, 1858a)
⸮	U+2E45	INVERTED WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK · indicates sarcasm when used in sequence with U+2E44 · used at the end of sentences, unlike U+00A1 inverted exclamation mark (see fig. 1852d)

{	U+2E46	LEFT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING → FD2E ornate left parenthesis (see fig. 1848f, 1855b, 1860d, 1868a)
}	U+2E47	RIGHT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING

Block: Number Forms

Turned Digits (see fig. 1860f, 1860g)

These were devised as digits for the duodecimal system by Isaac Pitman in 1857.

ζ	U+218A	TURNED DIGIT TWO = duodecimal digit ten (in Pitman's notation)
Σ	U+218B	TURNED EZH-SHAPED DIGIT THREE = duodecimal digit eleven (in Pitman's notation)

Unified with already accepted characters contained in PDAM 1.2 (SC2 N4201)

Ϛ	U+A794	LATIN SMALL LETTER C WITH PALATAL HOOK
Ϛ	U+AB30	LATIN SMALL LETTER BARRED ALPHA (see fig. 1848a, 1848h, 1848i, 1849a)

3.1 Annotations to be added for already encoded characters

Ѡ	U+0277	LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA
ADD:		· uppercase is A7BB latin capital letter closed omega
ADD:		→ A7BD latin small letter closed omega with long stem

3.2 Properties for the proposed characters

218A; TURNED DIGIT TWO; No; 0; ON; ; ; ; 10; N; ; ; ;
 218B; TURNED EZH-SHAPED DIGIT THREE; No; 0; ON; ; ; ; 11; N; ; ; ;
 2E44; WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK; Po; 0; ON; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 2E45; INVERTED WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK; Po; 0; ON; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 2E46; LEFT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING; Ps; 0; ON; ; ; ; Y; ; ; ;
 2E47; RIGHT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING; Pe; 0; ON; ; ; ; Y; ; ; ;
 A796; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A797;
 A797; LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A796; ; A796
 A7AB; LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH U-TURNED TAIL; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 A7AC; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH LOOP; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7AD;
 A7AD; LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH LOOP; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7AC; ; A7AC
 A7AE; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ROUNDTOP A; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7AF;
 A7AF; LATIN SMALL LETTER ROUNDTOP A; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7AE; ; A7AE
 A7B1; LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH U-TURNED TAIL; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 A7B2; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ALPHA WITH LEFT NOTCH; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7B3;
 A7B3; LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH LEFT NOTCH; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7B2; ; A7B2;
 A7B4; LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 A7B5; LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH PIGTAIL AT BOTTOM; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 A7B6; LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ;
 A7B7; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7B8;
 A7B8; LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7B7; ; A7B7
 A7B9; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH CURL; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7BA;
 A7BA; LATIN SMALL LETTER O WITH CURL; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7B9; ; A7B9;
 A7BB; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; 0277;
 A7BC; LATIN CAPITAL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA WITH LONG STEM; Lu; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7BD;
 A7BD; LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA WITH LONG STEM; L1; 0; L; ; ; ; N; ; ; ; A7BC; ; A7BC

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A7BE;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7BF;
A7BF;LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7BE; ;A7BE
A7C0;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER OW;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7C1;
A7C1;LATIN SMALL LETTER OW;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;A7C0; ;A7C0
A7C2;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7C3;
A7C3;LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;A7C2; ;A7C2
A7C4;LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH U-TURNED TAIL;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;
A7C5;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH NOTCH AT BOTTOM;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7C6;
A7C6;LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH NOTCH AT BOTTOM;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7C5; ;A7C5
A7C7;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED ENLARGED SMALL U;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7C8;
A7C8;LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED U;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;A7C7; ;A7C7
A7C9;LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH EARLY PITMAN FORM;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;
A7CA;LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH LATE PITMAN FORM;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB07;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH TOPBAR;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB08;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH BENT TOPBAR;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB09;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITHOUT MIDDLE BAR;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB0A;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB0B;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG;Lu;0;L;<compat> 014A;;;;N;;;<014B>;
FB0C;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SIGMA;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB0D;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH Q TAIL;Lu;0;L;;;;N;;;;
FB0E;LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U;Lu;0;L;<compat> 019C;;;;N;;;<026F>;

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3.3 Properties to be changed for already encoded characters

0277;LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA;L1;0;L;;;;N;;;;A7BB; ;A7BB

3.4 Line breaking and text delimitation properties of punctuation marks

U+2E44 WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK and

U+2E45 INVERTED WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK both behave like:

U+0021 EXCLAMATION MARK, as both terminate sentences (U+2E45 is not an "Spanish counterpart" of U+2E44; both are terminating sentences, exploiting different meanings.)

U+2E46 LEFT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING and

U+2E47 RIGHT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING behave like other recently encoded parenthesis pairs (like e.g. U+2E28/U+2E29 LEFT/RIGHT DOUBLE PARENTHESIS).

3.5 Collation and sorting

As the different versions of EPA specify differing "systematical" alphabet orders, in any case strongly deviating from the standard Latin ABC... order, these have to be handled by special tailoring.

Thus, for default collation and sorting, the characters are to be treated in the common way for Latin characters, without special exceptions.

3.6 Confusability issues

The following confusables exist:

(The first line of each paragraph shows a proposed letter, followed by lines containing similar already encoded letters.)

A7BD LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA WITH LONG STEM
0277 LATIN SMALL LETTER CLOSED OMEGA

A7AD LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH LOOP
0061 LATIN SMALL LETTER A

A7B1 LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH U-TURNED TAIL
024B LATIN SMALL LETTER Q WITH HOOK TAIL

A7B4 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH
0111 LATIN SMALL LETTER D WITH STROKE

A7B3 LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH LEFT NOTCH
0061 LATIN SMALL LETTER A

A7B8 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM
0269 LATIN SMALL LETTER IOTA

A7C6 LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH NOTCH AT BOTTOM
026F LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED M

A7C1 LATIN SMALL LETTER OW
0223 LATIN SMALL LETTER OU
0263 LATIN SMALL LETTER GAMMA
0264 LATIN SMALL LETTER RAMS HORN

The proposed capital letters without lowercase counterparts, placed in the “Alphanumeric Presentation form” block, are explicitly not intended for use in identifiers and IDNs. Therefore, they cannot raise any confusability issues.

3.7 Special case pairing within the main EPA versions

This part is informative, regarding to this proposal.

If it is decided to include such data into the CLDR or to document them elsewhere, these tables can be used as data source.

English Phonotypic Alphabet, final 1847 Pitman/Ellis version ("Original EPA")
(see fig. 1848a)

0041 LATIN LETTER CAPITAL A
0251 LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA

A7AE LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ROUNDTOP A
0061 LATIN SMALL LETTER A

FB07 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH TOPBAR
A7B1 LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH U-TURNED TAIL

A796 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE
A794 LATIN SMALL LETTER C WITH PALATAL HOOK

018B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER D WITH TOPBAR
A7B4 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH

FB0A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR
A7B6 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL

FB0B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG
014B LATIN SMALL LETTER ENG

FB0C LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SIGMA
 0292 LATIN SMALL LETTER EZH

 A780 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER TURNED L
 A7C9 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH EARLY PITMAN FORM

 FB0D LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH Q TAIL
 A7C4 LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH U-TURNED TAIL

 FB0E LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U
 026F LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED M

 # English Phonotypic Alphabet, 1855 version ("Cincinnati alphabet")
 # (see fig. 1855a)

 A7AE LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ROUNDTOP A
 A7B1 LATIN SMALL LETTER ALPHA WITH U-TURNED TAIL

 A7AC LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A WITH LOOP
 A7AB LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH U-TURNED TAIL

 A796 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE
 A794 LATIN SMALL LETTER C WITH PALATAL HOOK

 018B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER D WITH TOPBAR
 A7B4 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH

 FB08 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITH BENT TOPBAR
 0065 0323 LATIN SMALL LETTER E with COMBINING DOT BELOW

 FB0A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR
 A7B6 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL

 FB0B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG
 014B LATIN SMALL LETTER ENG

 FB0C LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SIGMA
 0292 LATIN SMALL LETTER EZH

 A7C2 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH
 A7C3 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH

 FB0D LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH Q TAIL
 A7C4 LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH U-TURNED TAIL

 # English Phonotypic Alphabet, 1856 Pitman version ("Reduced EPA")
 # (see fig. 1856c, 1860e)

 A796 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE
 A794 LATIN SMALL LETTER C WITH PALATAL HOOK

 018B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER D WITH TOPBAR
 A7B4 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH

 FB0A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR
 A7B5 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH PIGTAIL AT BOTTOM

 FB0B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG
 014B LATIN SMALL LETTER ENG

 A7C2 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH
 A7C3 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH

 FB0E LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U
 026F LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED M

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# English Phonotypic Alphabet, 1868/1871/1888 Pitman version ("Final EPA")
# (see fig. 1868a)

A796 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE
A794 LATIN SMALL LETTER C WITH PALATAL HOOK

018B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER D WITH TOPBAR
A7B4 LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC DH

A7B7 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM
A7B5 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH PIGTAIL AT BOTTOM

FB0A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH SERIFED CROSSBAR
A7B6 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL

FB0B LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC ENG
014B LATIN SMALL LETTER ENG

FB0C LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED SIGMA
0292 LATIN SMALL LETTER EZH

A7C2 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH
A7CA LATIN SMALL LETTER PHONOTYPIC TH LATE PITMAN FORM

0244 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U BAR
0252 LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED ALPHA

FB0D LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U WITH Q TAIL
A7C4 LATIN SMALL LETTER U WITH U-TURNED TAIL

FB0E LATIN CAPITAL LETTER DOUBLE U
026F LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED M

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5. Examples and figures

The figures are numbered by the year of the publication of the book from where the scan is taken, following by a letter.

Remarkable occurrences of characters mentioned in the figure descriptions are marked by a colored circle.

Disclaimer:

The religious, philosophical, or ideological views expressed in some of the text specimens are not necessarily the ones of the author of this proposal.

Fig. 1825a: Metelko, Franz Seraph: Lehrgebäude der slowenischen Sprache im Königreiche Illyrien und in den benachbarten Provinzen. Laibach (now Ljubljana) 1825.

Showing a Slovene alphabet used at that time in relation to contemporary Latin alphabets (referred as "Neu-Krain.", i.e. "new Slovene"), containing LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE as a case pair. (Otherwise, this alphabet is not subject of this proposal.)

Krainische und aus andern Alphabeten gleichbedeutende Schriftzeichen:

Neu-Krain. Alt-Krain. Kroatische, Deutsche, Franzöf. Italienische.

A a	a	a	a	a	a
B b	b	b	b	b	b
D d	d	d	d	d	d
E e	e	e	ä	e	e
C c ←	é	— (?)	é	aperto	
F f	f	f	f	é	chiuso (?)
G g	g	g	s	g: gant	g: gara
H h	h	h	b	—	—
M h	h	h	ø	—	—
I i	i	i	i	i	i
z z	l, ù, e	— (?)	— e	e: que	—
J j	j	j	t	i: mien	j
K k	k	k	r	c: car	ch
L l	l	l	l	l	l
L l	lj	ly	—	il: ail	gl: gli
M m	m	m	m	m	m
N n	n	n	n	n	n
N n	nj	ny	—	gn	gn
O o	o	o	ö	o	o chiuso
Ø ø	ö	—	—	oi (?)	o aperto (?)
P p	p	p	p	p	p
R r	r	r	r	r	r
S s	f	sz	ß	s: son	s: sono
U u	sh	ss, sh	ſh	che	sce
¶ ¶	shzh	sch	ſhtſh	—	—
ž ž	z	z	ſ: lesen	z	z: rosa
š š	sh	z	—	j	—
T t	t	t	t	t	t
U u	u	u	u	ou	u
V v	v	v	v	v	v
¶ ¶	z	cz	g	—	z: zio
¶ ¶	zh	ch	ſch	—	c: ciò

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Fig. 1825b: ibid., p.283, showing a text specimen containing LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED SCRUPLE.

7. Sraka inš pavovo perje.

Sraka je pavovega perja nabrala, inš se zas nim ozalva inš navlepíre. Ta posójena lepotina jo je takó prevzela, de je

Fig. 1847a: The Gospel according to Matthew, in Phonotypy and Heterotypy. Interlinear Edition; London/Bath, 1847; p.4, showing the EPA 1847.

THE ENGLISH PHONOTYPIC ALPHABET.

VOWELS.			CONSONANTS.		
No.	Type.	Example of its sound.	No.	Type.	Example of its sound.
LONG.					
1	E ε	eel	20	P p	rope
2	A a	ale	21	B b	robe
3	Ā ā	ālms	22	T t	fate
4	Θ θ	all	23	D d	fade
5	Ω ω	ope	24	C c	etch
6	W w	food	25	J j	edge
SHORT.					
7	I i	ill	26	C c	leek
8	E e	ell	27	G g	league
9	A a	am	28	F f	safe
10	O o	olive	29	V v	save
11	U u	up	30	T t	wreath
12	W w	foot	31	D d	wreathe
DIPHTHONGS.					
13	ī ī	isle	32	S s	hiss
14	ō ō	oil	33	Z z	his
15	ɔ ɔ	owl	34	ɛ ɛ	vicious
16	ū ū	mule	35	ȝ ȝ	vision
COALESCENTS.					
17	Y y	yea	36	R r	for
18	W w	way	37	L l	fall
ASPIRATE.					
19	H h	hay	38	M m	seem
		ha	39	N n	seen
			40	W w	sing

Fig. 1847b: ibid., excerpt from p.10.

MATU 3.14—4.9.

MATU.

MATTHEW 3.14—4.9.

him. ¹⁴ But Jon forbad him, sain, I hav ned tu be baptizd ov ðe, and him. ¹⁴ But John forbad him, saying, I have need to be baptized of thee, and I comest ðs tu me. ¹⁵ And Jezus anserij sed untuu him, Sufer it tu be comest thou to me? ¹⁵ And Jesus answering said unto him, Suffer it to be so nɔ: for ðus it becomet us tu fulfil el rjteusnes. ¹⁶ Then he suferd him, so now; for thus it becometh us to fulfil all righteousnes. Then he suffered him. ¹⁶ And Jezus, hwen he woz baptizd, went up stratwa ȝt ov ðe weter: and, ¹⁶ And Jesus, when he was baptized, went up straightway out of the water: and, lo, ðe hev'nz wer op'nd unto him, and he se ðe Spirit ov God descendin lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and ljtin upon him: ¹⁷ and lo a v̄s from hev'n, sain, His iz mi like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ and lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my

Fig. 1848a: The Phonetic Journal (Vol. 7) from 1848, ed. by Alexander Ellis, London 1848. Inner cover page; showing the EPA 1847, additional special letters devised for foreign language and dialect writing use (marked by red circles), and special punctuation marks.

**AN EXPLANATION OF
THE ENGLISH PHONETIC ALPHABET,**

FOR THE USE OF THOSE WHO CAN READ THE HISTORICAL ORTHOGRAPHY.

[Columns 1 and 2 contain the phonotypic letters, capital and small, each representing a certain sound, or modification of sound, which constitutes the *power* of the letter; the other columns shew what that power is. For further information, see *January Journal*, pages 17—20.]

LONG VOWELS.	STOPPED VOWELS.	EXPLODENTS.	CONTINUANTS.
Sounded as	Sounded as	Sounded as	Sounded as
E e ee in eel	I i i in ill	P p p in rope	F f f in safe
A a a .. ale	E e e .. ell	B b b .. robe	V v v .. save
Ã a a .. alms	A a a .. am	T t t .. fate	T t th .. wreath
Ө e a .. all	O o o .. olive	D d d .. fade	ð ð ðh .. wreath
Ӫ o o .. ope	U u u .. up	C c ch .. cheer	S s ss .. hiss
W w oo .. food	W w oo .. foot	J j j .. jeer	Z z s .. his
Diphthongs.			
F i i in isle	X x o in owl	C c c .. came	Σ ſ ſh .. mesh
Ƣ e oi .. oil	Ƣ u u .. male	G g g .. game	Ʒ Ʒ Ʒ .. measure
LIQUIDS.			
COALESCENTS.		R r r in for	L l l in fall
Y y y in yea	W w w in way	NASALS.	
ASPIRATE.		M m m in seem	W w ng in sing
H h h in hay		N n n .. seen	

The sign (') is prefixed to *l*, *m*, *n*, to shew when they form syllables by themselves; as, *dub'l*, *dublin*; *rit'm*, *ritmic*; *ev'n*, *evnig*; and the compound symbols '*l*', '*m*', '*n*', are then called "vocals."

Additional Symbols are used for foreign sounds, as may be seen by the following examples. See p. 21.

French.—ſän, pât, pat, bon, vü, hüt, zön, zón, zë
 chéne, pâle, patte, bonne, vü, hutte, jeûne, jeune, je
 fan, soñ, œcun, bon, felj, räuñ
 fin, champ, aucun, bon, fille, règne

German.—cünste, cünste, Göte, böce, ik, ak, zeq, tqq, van
 kühnste, künste, Goethe, böcke, ich, ach, sieg, tag, wann

New Orthographical Signs:—(♀) query, placed at the commencement of interrogative clauses; (♂) sigh; (♂) smile; { } obsolescent parentheses, used to inclose words which are not spelt phonetically. See pp. 24, 25.

Fig. 1848b: ibid., excerpt from p.10.

This shows an earlier development stage of the EPA 1847. This stage is not subject of this proposal. However, it proves that the U+FB0A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER PHONOTYPIC I was considered different from U+0197 LATIN CAPITAL I WITH STROKE, as these letters are both included in that draft as different letters (see circle markings).

5. Øgust, 1844.

I I, E E, A A, Ø O, e u, ø u; F, Ø, Y, W, H,
=e i, a e, q a, ø o, [e] u, ø u; i, ø, y; y, w, h, ov 1847.
P B, T D, E J, C G; F V, T Δ, S Z, Σ Ξ; L, R; M, N, U,
=p b, t d, g j, c g; f v, t ð, s z, f ʒ; l, r; m, n, y, ov 1847.
Dis woz avædli onli a temporeri alfabet.

Fig. 1848c: ibid., excerpt from p.10.

This shows another earlier development stage of the EPA 1847. This stage also is not subject of this proposal. However, it shows U+A7B5 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH PIGTAIL AT BOTTOM together with an uppercase form which is not included in later stages of the EPA development (and therefore not proposed here).

This form, together with the asymmetric serif at the top below the dot of U+A7B5 itself, which is typical for the small letter i, proves that that an unification of that letter with 0279 0307 "small letter turned r with dot above" would be inappropriate.

7. October, 1844.

I I, E E, A A, Ø O, E U, Ø U, F, Ø, Y, W, H,
i i, e e, a a, ø o, c u, ø u; j, q, u, w; y, w, h,
=e i, a e, q a, ø o, [e] u, ø u; i, ø, y; y, w, h, ov 1847.
P B, T D, E J, K G; F V, T Δ, S Z, Σ Ξ; L, R; M, N, U,
p b, t d, g j, k g; f v, t ð, s z, f ʒ; l, r; m, n, y,
=p b, t d, g j, c g; f v, t ð, s z, f ʒ; l, r; m, n, y, ov 1847.
Dis iz ðe ferst "løer-eas" ør smøl-leter alfabet, and it wil be sen ðat
ðe cónsonants wer nɔ priti wel set'ld. Prijur tuu ðe adopsjon ov ðis alfabet,

Fig. 1848d: ibid., excerpt from p.21.

Part of the list of additional symbols for foreign sounds.

Mostly, diacritical marks are used which are already encoded. For the right dot on small u and o (No. 15 and 16), U+0358 COMBINING DOT ABOVE RIGHT seems appropriate.

No. 14 (marked red) shows the letter pair U+A7BE/A7BF LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA, which is not listed in the alphabet shown in fig. 1848a.

§ 8. II. ADIEUNAL SIMBULZ FØR FOREN SØNDZ.

- 1 'I ï ðe Polis y; it iz ðæ proper loj vsel ov Inglij 7.
 2 'A á ðe Jerman á, Freng é; ðæ proper sñnd ov Inglij 2².
 3 'A á ðe Frij a, az distingwijs from æter q er a; it iz ðæ tru loj vsel ov Inglij 9.
 4 '^A Á Freng a; mug breder ðan Inglij 3, but not so bred az Inglij 4.
 5 'O ô Italian o *apártø*; not cwjt so bred az Inglij 4, but breder ðan A.
 6 ,O Õ Italian o *cízo*; between Inglij 5 and 6, but inclind tu ðæ later.
 7 'U ü Loj Jerman ü, Freng u; fermd bj an atemt tu prønsns Inglij 1 and 6 simultaniusli. Inglijmen huu can not caç ðæ sñnd, ma substitut y in Freng, and e in Jerman wurdz.
 8 'O ö Loj Jerman ö, Freng œü; fermd bj atemtij tu prønsns Inglij 2 and 5 simultaniusli. Inglijmen huu can not caç ðæ sñnd, ma substitut é.
 9 'E ē Freng e müä {muet}; jenerali a bref vsel. ðe Inglij 9 bref haz veri nerli de sam sñnd. Sum Fonetisanz consider dat Inglij 3³ and 3⁴ wud be mor corect rit'n ör.
 10 'I ï ðe Freng stopt i; a mug brjter sñnd ðan ðe Inglij 7. Inglijmen, hwen specij Freng, jenerali uz "e" er "i" insted ov ï. We hav herd it prønst in de wurd {been}—"bin," insted ov "ben."
 11 'E ë ðe Freng é; røðer tiner, and mør ljc 7 ðan 8. Inglijmen jenerali uz e insted ov it.
 12 'A æ Stopt a in el Foren langwejez, hwar it replazez sr Inglij 9. ðe sñnd ljk between Inglij 9 and 10, and aprogez ðæ later veri nerli. It iz herd in de nert ov Ingland and Scotland in plas ov Inglij 9. It iz elsø veri nerli ðæ sñnd hwiç meni Inglij specerz giv tu ðæ Inglij 3², tuv avod a çqns ov prønsnsin "a" er "ar" fer q.
 13 'O õ Stopt Italian o *apártø*; scarsli distingwijsab'l from Inglij 10.
 14 'O œ ðe tru fært vsel ov Inglij 5, az in Freng {bonne}—"ben." It iz stil herd in America, hwar {stone}—"ston;" but it iz elwaz replast in Ingland bj "o" er "u," dus "a ston, tre stun wat."
 15 'U ü Stopt Jerman ü, Freng u, dus {künste, hutte}—"cünstë, hit."
 16 'O ö Stopt Jerman "ö," Freng eu, dus {böcke, jeune}—"böcë, góñ."
 17 'O ò ðe Oriéntal compresun, az "aqin."
 18 'X x ðe Oriéntal qlef-hamza, er soft brefin.
 19 'V ð ðe Jerman w, intermediet tu ðæ Inglij "w" and Inglij "v;" ðæ loer lip duz not tuç ðæ tet az fer "v," but presez ðæ uper lip mør flatli ðan fer "w."
 20 K k ðe Jerman ch, after paletal vselz or liwidz, dus {ich}—"ik;" hwen printed in italics, it reprezents ðæ hørj sñnd ov Jerman ch, herd after el uder vselz, az {auch, ach}—"auk, ak. Inglijmen huu can not caç ðæ sñnd, ma uz ðæ hwiçperd y fer "k," and c fer k.
 21 Q q ðe Jerman g final after paletal vselz, dus {sieg}—"zeq," er mør acqretli—"szeqk," and veri frequentli—"szek" onli; hwen printed in italics, it haz ðæ hørjer sñnd ov ðæ Duç g and ðæ final Jerman g after uder vselz, az {tag}—"tag." Inglijmen huu can not caç ðæ sñnd, ma uz "y" fer "q," and "g" fer "q."

2. Ægzályeri Sjn.

[Tu prevent ðæ nesesiti ov eqstiq a number ov nu tjpz, a fu ægzályeri sjnz qr empleð, tuu modifi ðæ non valuz ov ðæ leterz tuu hwiç ða qr subjønd or prefist.]

- 22 ñ Sjn ov nazáli. Hwen jend tuu eni vsel, it soz dat it must be spoc'n

Fig. 1848e: ibid., excerpt from p.24.

Showing the "Expressional Signs" (i.e. punctuation marks).

Note that No. 11 ("the Query", red) is not a mirror image of No. 12 (it is narrower, and the kink at the vertical stem is about 135°, while the kink at No. 12 ("the Doubt", obviously a reuse of U+003F QUESTION MARK) is below 90°. However, UTC #126 requested the unification with U+2E2E REVERSED QUESTION MARK, thus this character is not proposed separately at this time.

No. 13 ("Call") and 14 ("Sigh") obviously are the exclamation marks U+0021 and U+00A1. No. 14 ("Smile", green) shows U+2E44 WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK (in a bad type).

3. ECSPREUNAL SINZ.

- 11 (⌚) **De Cveri.** Dis iz plast befor eni wurdz er clezez bj hwiç a cweşun iz qsc.
- 12 (?) **De Dst.** Dis iz plast qfter eni wurd er statement, conserninj hwiç de rjter felz sum dst, er hwiç he wíjez tu col in cweşun. Obzerv de diferens between de dstful incwiri "U cam lqst njt?" and de ugual interogafun "Did u cum last njt."
- 13 (!) **De Col;** a mqrc ov eesclamasun, er simpli surpriz. Dub'ld (!!), it indicats grat astonishment.
- 14 (;) **De Si;** a mqrc ov gref er sorø: plast qfter a statement hwiç givz de rjter pan. Dub'ld (!!), it indicats grat oflicsun.
- 15 (!) **De Smj;** a mqrc ov mert er plezur: plast qfter a statement hwiç givz de rjter plezur, or prôdusez in him a felij ov amuzment; and hens qzd in plas ov dat espresun in de specer hwiç in comun intercors iz ment tuu indicat "I woz onli in joc." De dub'l smj (!!) iz a dsnrjt lqf.
 [Ol dezs sjnz qr qzd tuu indicat de felij ov de rjter er specer: da hav no referens tuu de reder, huu iz cwjt at liberti tuu sj over a smj, er smj over a sj.]

Fig. 1848f: ibid., excerpt from p.25.

Showing the "Obsolescent Parentheses" as No. 19 (U+2E46 LEFT PARENTHESIS WITH MIDDLE RING and its right counterpart).

4. PARENTETICAL SINZ.

- 16 () **De Paréntesis,** er in de plural Paréntesez; qzd tuu incloz eui wurd er clez hwiç iz inserted in de bodi ov a sentens, wiñ huz gramatical construcfun it sumhwot interferz. It iz elso qzd tuu incloz eni lit'l mqres er sjnz hwiç mijt uñerwiz be overlauct, er not hav sufisent importans giv'n tuu dem bj de reder. Fer instans, we hav fer dis rez'n, inclozd de ortografical sjnz 1 tuu 15 in de mqrijn ov de abuv ecsplanaſunz between parentesez.
- 17 { } **Bræsez,** qzd az a variaſun ov de parentesis; de ferst hqf { iz elso qzd tuu conect er lijc tugeðer several ljsnz.
- 18 [] **Bracets;** qzd az a variaſun ov parentesis, and elso tuu incloz hal sentensez hwiç interfér wiñ de jeneral aranjement ov a paragraf, and consequentli hav røder de operans ov nots. Obzervajunz mad bj de siter, in de cors ov a sjtaſun, qr jenerali so inclozd, tuu distiñ- gwiſ dem from de wurdz ov de etur sited.
- 19 { } **Obsoleſent Parentesez;** qzd tuu incloz wurdz hwiç qr not egzibited Foneticali.
- 20 (“ ”) **Inverted Comaz er Mqrcs ov Sjtazun,** incloz wurdz cwøted from anudder etur, er put intu de mst ov de specer. Wurdz tuu hwiç particuler impörtens iz ataq, tecnical espresunz, etc., qr of'n so inclozd.

Fig. 1848g: ibid., excerpt from p.122.

Showing some of the special punctuation marks (in red circles).

Also, showing some examples of the elision dot (in green circles), which is constantly shown at x-height within EPA.(This character, however, is not subject of this proposal.)

¶ Hwj lucst ðs so wjldli. ¶ Hwot seeſt ðs afqr.
 ¶ A specter, ¶ a gost from the ded.
Prins.—It iz not the bodiles ferm ov the ded,
 Ner the specter ov det, dat afrits,
 ¶ ewal at a spirit tuu monercs mor dred,
 the spirit, in loq-enslavd naſunz hat bred
 the boldness tuu çalenj ðar r̄ts.
 It bursts from the dept ov the priz'n-hss, hwar
 It haz lan in stroj çanz, wo iz mej
 ¶ Tiz a hundred-jd, hundred-qrmrd jjant, hu'l dar
 the strug'l, o Fredum, wið d̄é.

M. P.

1. Dis lit'l poem iz a translaſun ov Cloptocs "Fürst und zjn Cebzjbj" (Fürst und sein Kebnoeibj), hwiç woz compozd in 1789, wið referens tuu de ferst Freng revoluſun.

Fig. 1848h/i: ibid., excerpts from p.276/280.

Excerpt from an article "The Pronunciation of Lowland Scots", showing the letters not listed in the alphabet table in fig. 1848a: U+A7BF LATIN SMALL LETTER TURNED CLOSED OMEGA, U+AB30 LATIN SMALL LETTER BARRED ALPHA (the latter is accepted already based on different evidence). The second figure shows an interlinear sample, (F) being the claimed Scots pronunciation, (E) the claimed Standard English one.

The complét Scoç alfabet apérz tuu be :

Loj Vselz	e — a ä q e ö o u ü ö
Eort Vselz	í i ē e œ o — œ u ü ó u
Diftoyz	ui, ai, oi œau, éui
Coalésents and Bredij	y w, h
Ecsplodents	p b, t d, c̄ —, e g
Contyngants	f v, t d, s z, ſ ʒ, k —, k̄
Licwidz	r l, m n ŋ.

The qſe p̄nts tuu be noted bij an Ingliſman ar :

The prezens ov the vselz ó, ü, ï, ē, œ, o, u, ö, hwiç duu not ocúr in Ingliſ; de natur ov the diftoyz, espeſali the diftoyz ū, ā, neðer ov hwiç ocúr in Ingliſ, and hwiç replás the Ingliſ i at different t̄jmz. Ov dis, ū iz veri nerli the trui Ingliſ i, and Ingliſmen ma ðarfor substitut i fer it, hwil až veri nerli =qi, the s̄nd giv'n in Ingland tuu the sing'l wurd {aye}. The Scoç,

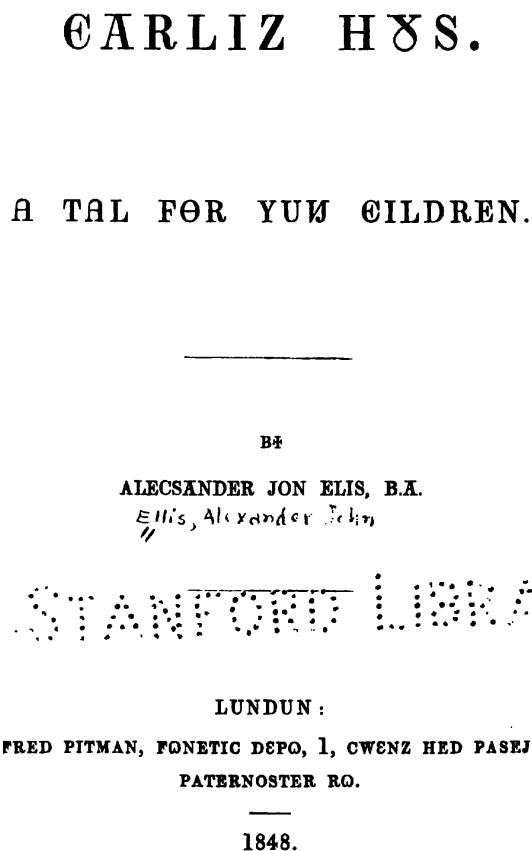
Duncan Gray came here to woo,

- (F) duñcan gra cam her tu wui,
 (E) Duncan Gra cam her tu wui,

On blithe yule night when we were fou,

- (F) on blaít yul n̄kt hwen we wer fu,
 (E) On blaít yul nikt hwen we wer fu,

Fig. 1848j: Charlie's house - a tale for young children. Alexander John Ellis, London 1848: Title page; p.39 (as an example for a publication printed in EPA 1847).



tu cum tu super, becəz it woz ðe ferst tjm in
ðe nu hss. So Jan went tuu ðe dor tu cel
Cqrli in.

"Cqrli! Cqrli!" but no wun cam, and no
wun qnserd.

Of set Jan abþt ðe gqrd'n tu fñnd Cqrli,
but þe luct fer a lon tjm widþt sein him, so þe
cam in tuu her muðer, and sed; "Mamá, i
canot fñnd Cqrli eni hwar. 'Wil u help me
tuu luc fer him."

Den Mister Brñn, hui woz in ðe rum tú,
and had just sat dñn tuu rest himself, and
enjer his te, sed: "Hwj, ðe bør haz ben runij
abþt el ðe qfternun, and i no he wud not go
beyond ðe gqrd'n. Brñj me mj cap, Jan, i
wil go qfter him miself.

So Jan and her papá set of tugéðer; wun
went tuu ðe rjt, and ðe uðer tuu ðe left, and ða
cept celij st, "Cqrli! Cqrli!" but no Cqrli
qnserd. At lqst Jan tet þe herd a fant "Her,
Jini!" but þe cud not mac st hwar it cam
from.

"Dont hjd, Cqrli," sed þe; "'Hwar qr u.
Papá iz lucin everi hwar fer u."

Fig. 1848k: Shakespeare, Macbeth, phonetic edition London 1848, excerpt from p.11/12:

Sæn 8.]	Macbét.	11
er memorjz anúðer Golgota, i canot tel :—		
but i am fant, mj gajez crj fer help.		
8 Duyc. So wel dj wurdz becüm dé, az dj wundz; da smac ov onur bot.—Go, get him surjunz. [ecslit Soljer, atended.		
Enter Ros and Angus.		
9 Huú cumz her.		
9 Mat. Ðs wurdz tan ov Ros.		
10 Len. Hwot hast luces tru hiz fz! So sud hé dat semz tuu speo tijz stranj.	[luc	
11 Ros. God sav ðs cij!		
12 Duyc. 9 Hwens cam'st ðs, wurdz tan.		
13 Ros. From Fif, grat cij, hwar ðe nerwaan banerz fist ðe sci, and fan sr pep'l cold.		

12	Macbét.	Act I.
16 Ros. Dat nȝ, Sweno, ðe Nerwaz cij, cravz compozifun ; nor wud we dan him berial ov his men, til he disbürsed, ot Sant Colmez Ing, ten tszend dolerz tuu sr jeneral us.		
17 Duyc. Na mor ðát tan ov Cedur sal desév sr buzzum interest.—Go, pronéns his det, and wið his former tij'l gret Macbét.		
18 Duyc. Hwoð-he hat leest, nob'l Macbét hat wun. [ecslit.		
SEN 3.—A Het. Tander. Enter tre Wigz.		
1 Ferst Wig. 9 Hwar hast ðs ben, sister.		
2 Secund Wig. Ciliq swjn.		

Fig. 1849a: Scripture texts. Compiled by: Thielisch, Johann Christian; Bath 1849. p.6
Showing an example of U+AB30 LATIN SMALL LETTER BARRED ALPHA (already accepted based on different evidence).

NOTIS.

De fölooi pajez wer orfjinali compyld bj Yohan Cristiën Telis {Thielisch}, superinténdent (er luteran bisup) ov evanjelical (er luteran protestant) congregasjünz in Uper Østria, and præger tau de evanjelical congregasjün in Σqrten {Scharten}, (lat 48¹⁸, lonj. 14¹, ner Lints), and wer ljsenst bj de protestant cónsisturi in Ven (Veéna), in de yer 1799. De jeneral ecselens ov de aranjment recoménded it tau de printer az a convenient sculbuc, and he

Fig. 1849b: The Phonetic Reader. Bond, Robert; London 1849, p.vii.
Showing example of U+A7BE/U+A7BF LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER TURNED
CLOSED OMEGA.

Adifusal leterz fer foren səndz hwig du not ocár in iuglis.							
de leter		iz elwaz		de leter		iz elwaz	
rit'n	prntd	sənded az		rit'n	printd	sənded az	
Ä	ë	·A ä	freng	éø	Hl hl	welſ	ell
A	â	·A å	freng	éð	Hr hr	welſ	erhð
Ü	ü	·U ü	freng	éü	Lj lj	italyan	glð
Ö	ö	·O ö	freng	éuð	Nj nj	italyan	gnð
Ë	ë	·E ë	freng	éø	K k	jerman	ch
A	ā	-A a	fr. sert	éað	Q q	dug	g
O	o	O o	fr. sert	éoð	ꝝ ꝟ	árabic	qatin
U	ü	·U ü	fr. sert	éu	ꝝ ꝟ	polis	erz
Ö	ö	·O ö	fr. sert	éuð	ꝝ ꝟ		
an	an		freng	éind			
on	on		freng	éand			
ən	ən		freng	éond			
un	un		freng	éund			

ðøz ignorant ov foren langwejez qr advísd tuu prontns
ð. ð. é. a. o. i. z. k. g. ü.

az *s*, *q*, *u*, *a*, *o*, *y*, *y*, *c*, *g*, *z*,
respectivli, tu omít *o*, and tu disregárd *sz* marc on strov leterz, until da can
lern da truw synds. In frenç, *ö*, *ü* ma be pronúnct az *wr*, *v*, and *ö*, *ü* az *w*, *i*;
in ierman, *ö*, *ü* ma be spec'n lic *a*, *e*, and *ü* lic *e*, *i*.

Fig. 1851a: First phonetic reader, Cincinnati 1851. Title page; p.6.
Showing that the EPA 1847 alphabet was used unchanged in Cincinnati for a time.

PHONETIC ALPHABET.		
<i>Phonetically Arranged.</i>		
The Phonetic letters have the value of the <i>italicized</i> letters in the illustrative words.		
<i>ECSELSIUR SERIEZ.</i>	Letters. Illustrative words. Names.	Letters. Illustrative words. Names.
FURST	<i>Long Vowels.</i>	<i>Explodents.</i>
	E ε . . eel ε	P p . . pole . . . pe
	A a . . ale a	B b . . bowl . . . be
	Ā q . . arms q	T t . . toe . . . te
	Θ e . . all e	D d . . doe . . . de
	Ω o . . oak o	Ē g . . cheer . . . ga
	W u . . ooze u	J j . . jeer . . . ja
	<i>Short Vowels.</i>	
	I i . . ill it	C c . . came . . . ca
	E e . . ell et	G g . . game . . . ga
	A a . . am at	F f . . fear . . . ef
	O o . . on ot	V v . . veer . . . ve
	U u . . up ut	I t . . thigh . . . it
	U u . . wood . . . ut	D d . . thy . . . de
	<i>Diphthongs.</i>	
	Ē ī . . ice ī	S s . . seal . . . es
	Ē ē . . oil ē	Z z . . zeal . . . ze
	Ē ē . . owl ē	Ē ē . . shall . . . if
	Ē ē . . use ē	Ē ē . . vision . . . ze
	<i>Liquids.</i>	
	R r . . rare . . . ar	R r . . rare . . . ar
	Y y . . yea ya	L l . . lull . . . el
	W w . . way wa	N n . . nun . . . en
	<i>Nasals.</i>	
	H h . . hay ha	M m . . mun . . . am
	<i>Breathing.</i>	
		N n . . nun . . . en
		W w . . sing . . . inj
LOWLI & BRUDUR, FONETIC PUBLIEURZ; WOLNUT STREET, BETWEEN FORT & FIFTI SINSINATI, OHIO. 1851.	(') <i>vocal</i> , showing when l, m, n, make syllables of themselves.	

Fig. 1851b: ibid., excerpt from p.53.
Showing an example of U+2E44 WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK (encircled).
Also, this book being a primer using large types, shows a good example for U+A7B6 LATIN SMALL LETTER I WITH SPIRAL TAIL, displaying clearly its unique spiral tail.

Mj Slat.

Pra giv me mj nu slat, ī
wiſ tu dre on it. Mj slat
haz a fñ red ej. Ī wil dro
a bø. Hwot a loŋ noz he
haz, and but wun qrm? Ns
ī wil dre a cꝝ, and a milc

Fig. 1851c: Cubi i Soler, Mariano: Nuevo Sistema (Bath 1851), p. 8.

Showing a variation of the EPA 1847. Presumably, the use of "E"/"ε" for [i:] seemed not acceptable for a Spanish audience, thus U+A7B7/U+A7B8 LATIN CAPITAL/SMALL LETTER I WITH RIGHT TURN AT BOTTOM (marked red) were introduced to indicate that phoneme.

Also, the "ə" was used to mark liquids being syllabic, using U+FB09 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER E WITHOUT MIDDLE BAR as capital form of that letter.

ALFABETO FONÉTICO INGLES.

En la primera columna se hallan las letras mayúsculas i minúsculas. En la segunda columna hai el modo de pronunciarlas segun se suenan las letras cursivas en las palabras inglesas que siguen. En la tercera, está su correspondiente sonido, segun pronunciamos nosotros los españoles, las letras cursivas en las vozes castellanas adjuntas: donde este sonido no es exacto, o al menos mui aprosimado, se pone una señal de referencia a la página inmediata, en que se dan esplicaciones claras i terminantes. En la cuarta i última columna, se halla el nombre de las letras del alfabeto fonético, escrito, donde es posible, en ortografía castellana; i, donde no, en ortografía fonética.

VOCALES.

Largas.

T	i	.. eel ir i
E	e	.. ale él é
A	q	.. air (¹) q
H	q	.. alms (²) aáh
O	o	.. all. . . . (³) o
U	o	.. ope oro . . . ó
W	w	.. food ñudo. . . ú

Cortas.

I	i	.. ill. . . . (⁴) it
E	e	.. ell. . . . (⁵) et
A	a	.. am (⁶) at
A	a	.. are, pass . ama . . a
O	o	.. olive (⁷) ot
U	u	.. up (⁸) ut
W	w	.. fall (⁹) ut
E	ə	.. title, taken (¹⁰) el

Diptongos.

Y	i	.. eye (¹¹) i
Y	s	.. owl (¹²) s
U	u	.. you yugo yu

Ligantes. (Coalescents.)

W	w	.. way (¹³) we
Y	y	.. yea rayita yé

Aspirante.

H	h	.. hay (¹⁴) heg
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CONSONANTES.

Prorumpientes. (Explodents.)

P	p	.. rope pan pi
B	b	.. robe bobo bi
T	t	.. fate (¹⁵) ti
D	d	.. fade (¹⁶) di
C	g	.. etch charro ché
J	j	.. edge (¹⁷) je
C	e	.. leek cacao qué
G	g	.. league legua gué

Continuantes.

F	f	.. safé fuego ef
V	v	.. save vivo vi
Θ	θ	.. thigh zierzo iθ
ꝑ	ꝑ	.. thy deidad di
S	s	.. seal sesos es
Z	z	.. zeal (¹⁸) zi
Σ	ſ	.. mesh (¹⁹) if
ꝫ	ꝫ	.. measure (²⁰) ȝi

Líquidas.

L	l	.. fall (²¹) el
R	r	.. rare (²²) ar

Nasales.

M	m	.. seem mamá am
N	n	.. seen (²³) en
ꝝ	ŋ	.. sing (²⁴) in

Fig. 1852a/b: The Phonetic Journal, Vol. 7, London 1852. Excerpts from p.5 and p.23.

In 1852, Isaac Pitman began to try to "improve" the EPA, changing letterforms several times (the forms beyond Jan. 1852 not shown here). While these letterforms are not subject of this proposal, one of them (see red circle) was used as the source for the canonical lowercase form to U+A7B7 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER I WITH RIGHT U-TURN AT BOTTOM.

The complete U-turn together with the thick dot at its end distinguishes this letter from the Latin iota, which usually has a 90° or 120° turn without a distinctive closing.

No. 4, Jan., 1847.

æ a q e o w, i e a o u u, j e s y, w y h, p b t d q j c g, f v t ð s z
ʃ ʒ, l r, m n ŋ.

Specimen.

Nutin hwotever iz mor tu be dezjrd, or mør delijful, ðan de ljt ov trut: for it iz de sors ov wiz-dum. Hwen de mjnd iz harast wið obscuriti, distracted bj ðsts, renderd torpid or sad'nd bj ignor-ans or felsitiz, and trutj emerjez az from a darc abís, it sjnz fört instanteniusli, ljc de sun dispersin mists and vapurz, or ljc de don dispelin de sadz ov darcnes.

No. 5, Proposed Jan., 1852.

i e a o ɔ u, i e a o u u, j s w, w y h, p b t d q j c g, f v ð ð s z ʃ ʒ,
l r, m n ŋ.

Specimen.

Nuðin hwotever iz mor tu bi dezjrd, or mør delijful, ðan de ljt ov trut: for it iz de sors ov wiz-dum. Hwen de mjnd iz harast wið obscuriti, distracted bj ðsts, renderd torpid or sadend bj ignor-ans or folsitiz, and trutj emerjez az from a darc abís, it sjnz fört instanteniusli, ljc de sun dispersin mists and vapurz, or ljc de don dispelin de sedz ov darcnes.

No 6, Romanic Alphabet.

aa, bb, cc, dd, ee, ff, gg, hh ii, jj,
kc, ll, mm, nn, oo, pp, qc, rr, ss, tt,
uu, vv, ww, xcs, yy, zz.

Specimen.

Nothing whatever is more to be desired, or more delightful, than the light of truth: for it is the source of wisdom. When the mind is harassed with obscurity, distracted by doubts, rendered torpid or saddened by ignorance or falsities, and truth emerges as from a dark abyss, it shines forth instantaneously, like the sun dispersing mists and vapours, or like the dawn dispelling the shades of darkness.

FONETIC ALFABET WIH SICS LOW VSELZ AND FOR DIFØOMZ.

LONG VOWELS.

I i,	E e,	A a,	O o,	U u,	W u:
est,	age,	air,	alms,	all,	ope;

SHORT VOWELS.

I i,	E e,	A a,	O o,	U u,	W u:
it,	edge,	err,	at,	are,	pass,

DIPHTHONGS.

ɛ i,	ɔ e,	ʌ ɔ,	w u:
pine,	oil,	owl,	you, new:

CONSONANTS.

C q,	θ ð,	ð ð,	Σ ſ,	Ξ ʒ,	Ĳ ŋ,
such,	thin,	then,	she,	vision,	sing,

together with the consonants of the old alphabet, except k,q,x, which are rejected.

Fig. 1852c: The American Reporter, Vol. 5, No. 26; Washington (DC) Nov. 1852; excerpt from p.40.
This was one of the magazines which used and discussed the EPA, including proposals for change of letterforms. In doing so, the letterforms changed between single issues and even between articles within the same issue. These letterforms are not subject of this proposal. However, this excerpt shows one of the rare examples of U+2E44 WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK in a context not addressed to children.

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PHONETICS.

¶ wil lev Dr Ston tu tac caer ov his on reputesen. It wud be
lqfabl fer me tu testifi dat i hav sen him rjt 120 wurdz a minit!¶
¶ hav ritn 201 wurdz in a minit wi ez, befor witnesez, but did
not tac da trubl tu get a sertificat deerfor, for da simpl rezn dat
an abiliti tu rjt rapidli duz not prsv an abiliti tu report wel.

Fig. 1852d: The American Reporter, Vol. 5, No. 16; Washington (DC) 1852; p.43.
Showing U+2E45 INVERTED WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK to denote different levels of sarcasm.

upon mj cor, wi da asurans dat da cud rjt 60 wurdz per minit,
and after mor practis cud undowtedli rjt faster!¶ A jentlman
woz introdust to me bj Mr Leyli az beij wun ov daar fastest rjterz
hwil he cud not rjt mor dan 60 or 70 wurdz per minit!!¶ A
western fonoografer woz told bj wun ov da ledin fonoograferz oy da

Fig. 1854a: American Manual of Phonography (Elias Longley; Cincinnati 1854): excerpt from p.10.

The alphabet shown here resembles EPA 1855 (the "Cincinnati alphabet"; see fig. 1855a), only missing some letters, and using one letterform (for [u:]) from EPA 1847 which was replaced in EPA 1855.

Regarding the case pairing, this alphabet version is compatible with EPA 1855.

THE ENGLISH PHONETIC ALPHABET.

The letter written		is always sounded as	The letter written		is always sounded as			
written	prntd		written	prntd				
E	ɛ	E e	ee	in eel	P	p	p	in pole
A	ə	A a	a	.. ale	B	b	b	.. bowl
H	ʌ	A q	a	.. alms	T	t	t	.. toe
O	ɔ	O o	ə	.. all	D	d	d	.. doe
Ø	ø	O o	o	.. ope	C	g	ch	.. cheer
U	ɯ	U u	oo	.. food	G	j	j	.. jeer
J	i	I i	i	.. ill	K	k	c	.. came
E	ɛ	E e	e	.. ell	G	g	g	.. game
A	ə	A a	a	.. am	F	f	f	.. fear
O	ɔ	O o	o	.. olive	V	v	v	.. veer
U	ɯ	U u	u	.. up	Z	θ	th	.. thigh
W	ɯ	W w	oo	.. foot	D	ð	th	.. thy
					S	s	s	.. seal
ʃ	j	ɪ	i	.. isle	Z	z	z	.. zeal
ɔ	ɒ	o	oi	.. oil	ʒ	ʃ	c	.. vicious
ɔ	s	ɔ	ow	.. owl	ʒ	ʒ	s	.. vision
U	ʌ	U u	u	.. mule	R	r	r	.. rar
Y	y	Y y	y	.. yea	L	l	l	.. lull
W	ɯ	W w	w	.. way	M	m	m	.. mum
H	h	H h	h	.. hay	N	n	n	.. nun
					ŋ	ŋ	ng	.. sing

Fig. 1855a: American Phonetic Journal (ed. Randall P. Prosser), Cincinnati (Ohio) 1853, p.12.

This is the first complete listing of EPA 1855 (the "Cincinnati alphabet"), the version which was propagated by a group of supporters in Cincinnati. This alphabet was used there without any changes at least until 1864 (see fig. 1864b).

The punctuation marks are the same as in EPA 1847 (see again the "mark of interrogation" not being a mirror image of the "ordinary" question mark). The elision dot is called here "inverted period", which obviously refers to the application of the lead type.

The missing uppercase form for *ŋ* (last line of the table, right part) is considered being a typo, as the usual EPA form is found in other documents using the Cincinnati alphabet (see fig. 1864b).

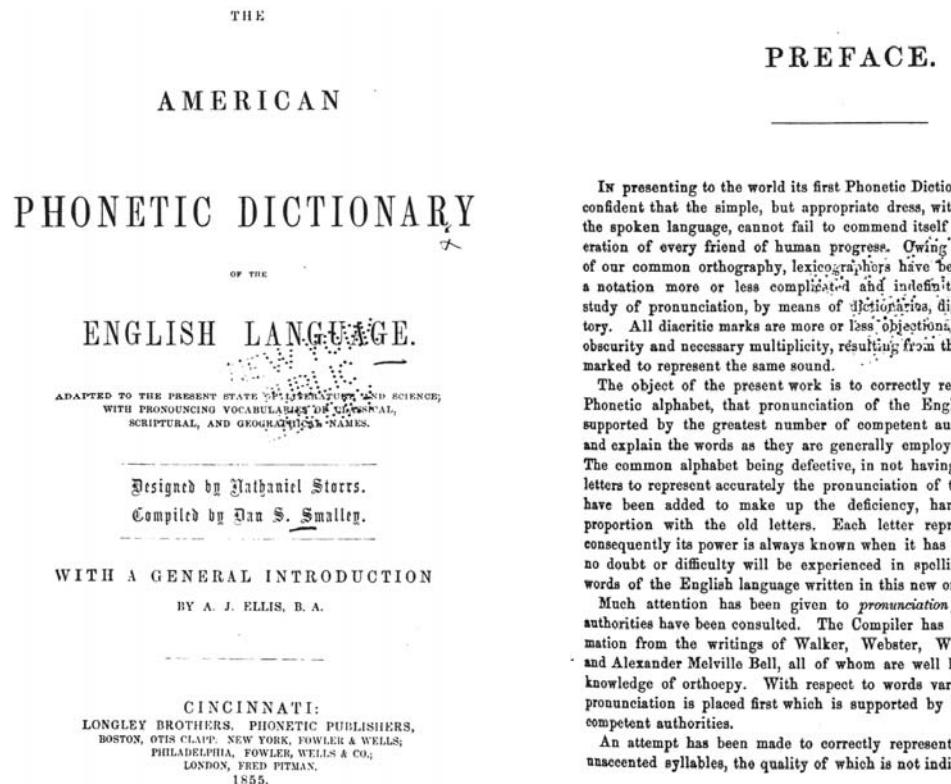
AMERICAN PHONETIC JOURNAL.								
THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.								
<i>The Phonetic letters in the first column are pronounced like the italic letters that follow. The last column contains the names of the letters.</i>								
LETTERS	ILLUSTRATIVE WORDS	NAME	LETTERS	ILLUSTRATIVE WORDS	NAME			
<i>Long Vowels.</i>								
E e	eel	e	P p	pale	pe			
E ə	earth	ər	B b	bale	be			
ɪ a	ale	a	T t	tame	te			
A ə	air	ər	D d	dame	de			
ʌ q	arms	q	C ɔ	cheer	ɔa			
θ o	all	o	J j	jeer	ja			
ʊ ə	oak	ə	K k	came	ka			
ʊ ə	ooze	ə	G g	game	ga			
<i>Short Vowels.</i>								
I i	ill	it	F f	fain	ef			
E e	ell	et	V v	vain	ve			
A a	am	at	R ə	thigh	it			
ɪ ə	ask	at	ʌ ə	thy	əe			
O o	on	ot	S s	seal	es			
U u	up	ut	Z z	zeal	zz			
W w	wood	ut	Σ ʃ	shall	if			
<i>Diphthongs.</i>								
ɛ ɪ	ice	i	Κ ɔ	vision	ʒe			
ɔ ə	oil	ə	<i>Liquids.</i>					
ɔ ə	owl	ə	L l	full	el			
U ʌ	dupe	ʌ	R r	rare	ər			
<i>Coalescents.</i>								
Y y	yea	ya	M m	maim	am			
W w	way	wa	N n	nine	en			
<i>Breathing.</i>								
H h	hay	ha	N ŋ	sing	ɪŋ			
<i>The marks of punctuation are the same as in the Romanic orthography, excepting the following changes and additions: the mark of interrogation ՞ is placed before the first word of a question; ? is placed at the end of a sentence, and indicates doubt; ՛ indicates laughter; ! surprise; ; sorrow; the inverted period · signifies the omission of a letter.</i>								

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Fig. 1855b: ibid., p.31. Showing a sample of the use of EPA 1855.

JERMAN SILVER.	31
<p>ded tu ðe tøm we kan not nɔ spæk konfidentli ; bøt djd in 1777—Mr Gwinet, Ma 22 ; ðe da er munð ov Mr. Mørtonz det kan not nɔ be korektli asertand. Cqrlz Karol standz fôrt wið mqrkt pekuiliariti on dis list. Not onli iz he ðe onli wun hø givz hisz plas ov rezidens, but he woz ðe last survivor ov ðe illustrius band, and else atand tu a grater aj dan eni ov ðe rest, he being, at ðe tijn ov hisz det, November 14th, 1832, njenti-fjv. Tomas Ling, wun ov ðe tø yungest at ðe tijn ov sjiñj, woz else ðe yungest in det : he djd abøt 1780, ajet terti-wun. Tomas Jeferson and Jon Adamz bøt djd on ðe fôrt ov Julij, ov ðe sam yer, 1826 ; de former at de aj ov ati-bræ, ðe later njenti-wun.</p>	
<p>We hav bin abl tu asertan ðe several ajez ov fifty-bre ov ðez distingwist men at ðe tijn ða sjnd ðe Deklarasjon. Hår yunjited ajez prezent an aggregat ov to þszand bre hundred and terti siks yerz, givin an aggregat tu eç ov ferti-for yerz and twenti-sevn daz. Ðe aggregat yerz at det ov fifty-to ov dis number, (ðe ajez ov ðas uðer for we hav no menz ov korektli asertanij,) iz tre þszand tre hundred and njenti-wun ; averaj, siksti-fjv. Ere ov ðez livd tu be mør dan njenti ; twelv, mør dan atti ; twenti-wun atand tu mør dan sevnti. Hwarz els sal we luk fôr suç instansez ov lonjeviti. It wil be sen at wuns dat ðe dæriq ded ða had komited did not “frjtn ðem tu det.”</p>	
<p>Most ov ðem livd tu se sum ov ðe rezults ov ðis ferst desjiv blo fôr ðe komplet redemson ov ðær kuntri. Sum ov ðem livd meni yerz tu enjø sivil and relijus blesijz, suç az ðe yuniversal Kreator never yet vøcsaft tu eni uðer pepł he haz mad.</p>	
<p>Yer after yer kælz us agen tu komemorat ðær nobl ded. Hwjl we rever, geris and embqm ðær memoriz, let us most devøtli ðaðk, ador and serv ðat God hø gav ðem for ñr kuntriz reskø in tijn ov her gratest peril. “He hat not delt so wið eni naſon, and az fer hisz juſments we hav not non ðem. Praz ye ðe Lerd.”</p>	
<p>Nasjonal Magazen.</p>	
<p>• • •</p>	
<p>J E R M A N S I L V E R .</p>	
<p>Fu ov ñr rederez qr probabli awar hø meni aplikaſionz qr nɔ-a-daz mad ov ðis yøſful kompozijon. We kel it kompozijon, elðo ðe majoriti ov ðe pepl imajin dat it iz a metal (<i>sui generis</i>)—but suç iz not ðe fakt. It iz kompozod ov wun pqrt nikel, wun pqrt ov spelter ov zijk, and tre pqrts ov koper; but el ðez substansenz hav tu be pur, and ekspøzd tu a grat het befor ða miks amup ðemselvz. Ðe zijk metal, hwiq iz ov a volatil natyur, iz not put in ðe pot until ðe ferst to ðr wel yunjited tageder. Ðe refraktori natyur ov ðe nikel, and ðe difikulti ov obtaniq ðe metal frø from qrsenik, iron and kobelt, qr ðe kez dat not unfrekwentli we se Jérman silver spønz ov a gold yelo kuler, hwjl Jérman silver prepard from pur metalz, wil ekwal in hwjtnes sterlijq silver, and wil not tqrnisj. Te and tabl spønz, njvz and forks, fjrmens and siph kaptenz spekip trumpets, poket-buk klasps, te sets, lamps and gun mɔntijz qr nɔ mostli mad ov Jérman silver. Upwardz ov fifty þszand psndz ov ðis kompozijon iz manyufaktyurd in ðis kuntri anyqali, fer hwiq ðe nikel iz imported from Jérmani and Ingland. Hår qr but tre lokaſitiz ov nikel or in ðis kuntri:—Catham, Konektikut; La Mot, Mizouri, and Lak Superior.</p>	

Fig. 1855c: The American Phonetic Dictionary of the English Language. Designed by Nathanael Storrs, compiled by Dan S. Smalley. Cincinnati 1855.
Showing the title page, p.iii claiming this being the first phonetic dictionary of the English language, and an excerpt from p.xxi showing EPA 1855 (the Cincinnati alphabet).



the vowel is short the accent falls upon the following consonant, and they would therefore accent *he'pig*, *hap'i*. This is an error which may be traced to the inconsistencies of romanic spelling.

43. Order of the Letters in the American Phonetic Alphabet. As it is impossible to enter fully into the subject of phonetics in this introduction, the above may suffice as an explanation of the principles on which the alphabet is constructed. The order of the letters must next be considered. It is obvious that even if the inventors of the alphabet had been at the time in possession of the systematic explanation which has now been given, it would not have been advisable to arrange the letters of the alphabet in the order which a consideration of other languages besides the English has shown to be correct. Hence the alphabet required a thoroughly English arrangement. For this purpose the long vowels were arranged in a single series, commenced with the palatal, proceeding to the guttural, and ending with the labial, thus, *e*, *a*, *o*, *ɛ*, *ɔ*, and when the Americans introduced *ɛ* and *æ* they considered it best to place the first immediately before and the second immediately after *a*, so that the series became *e*, *ɛ*, *a*, *æ*, *o*, *ɔ*, *ʊ*,

American Phonetic Alphabet.

Each letter has the sound of the italicised letter or letters in the illustrative words.

<i>Long Vowels.</i>		<i>Explodents.</i>
<i>E e</i> . . . <i>as in eel</i>	<i>Name e</i>	<i>P p as in pole</i> , <i>Name pe</i>
<i>E ə</i> . . . <i>earth</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>B b . . . bowl</i> <i>bə</i>
<i>U a</i> . . . <i>ale</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>T t . . . toe</i> <i>te</i>
<i>A ə</i> . . . <i>air</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>D d . . . doe</i> <i>de</i>
<i>A ə</i> . . . <i>arm</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>G g . . . cheer</i> <i>ca</i>
<i>O ə</i> . . . <i>all</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>J j . . . jeer</i> <i>ja</i>
<i>O o</i> . . . <i>oak</i>	<i>o</i>	<i>K k . . . king</i> , <i>can</i> . . . <i>ka</i>
<i>O ə</i> . . . <i>oone</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>G g . . . game</i> <i>ga</i>
<i>Short Vowels.</i>		<i>Continuants.</i>
<i>I i</i> . . . <i>ill</i>	<i>i</i>	<i>F f . . . fear</i> <i>ef</i>
<i>E e</i> . . . <i>ell</i>	<i>e</i>	<i>V v . . . veer</i> <i>ve</i>
<i>A ə</i> . . . <i>am</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>R r . . . thigh</i> <i>it</i>
<i>I ə</i> . . . <i>ask</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>ɪ d . . . thy</i> <i>da</i>
<i>U u</i> . . . <i>on</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>S s . . . seal</i> <i>es</i>
<i>U u</i> . . . <i>up</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>Z z . . . zeal</i> <i>zz</i>
<i>UJ w</i> . . . <i>wood</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>ʃ ſ . . . shall</i> <i>if</i>
<i>Diphthongs.</i>		<i>3 ʒ . . . vision</i> <i>za</i>
<i>ɛ ɪ</i> . . . <i>ice</i>	<i>i</i>	
<i>ɔ ə</i> . . . <i>oil</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>Liquids.</i>
<i>ɔ ə</i> . . . <i>oal</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>R r . . . rare</i> <i>ur</i>
<i>U ə</i> . . . <i>dupe</i>	<i>ə</i>	<i>L l . . . lull</i> <i>el</i>
<i>Coalescents.</i>		
<i>Y y</i> . . . <i>yea</i>	<i>ya</i>	<i>Nasals.</i>
<i>W w</i> . . . <i>way</i>	<i>wa</i>	<i>M m . . . main</i> <i>em</i>
		<i>N n . . . none</i> <i>en</i>
		<i>H h . . . hay</i> <i>ha</i>
		<i>W w . . . sing</i> <i>ig</i>

Fig. 1855d: ibid., p.1.

FONETIK DIKEONIRI

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I U G L I S L A N G W E J .

ABB

A, ðe indefinit qrtíkl, plast befór wurdz beginig wið ðe sñnd ov a kónsonant. Befór wurdz beginig wið ðe sñnd ov a vsel, it is ritn æn.
ABACIST, Ab'a-sist, n. an akvántant.
ABACK, A-bák, ad. bak;bakward; behjnd.
ABACOT, Ab'a-kot, n. kap ov stat fermerli yqzd in Igland.
ABAOTOR, A-bák-tor, n. [L.] wun ho stels a hérð ov knatl. [kolum].
ABACUS, Ab'a-kus, n. a kvntip tabl; a pqrt ov a
ABAFT, A-báft, ad. toard de stern ov a jip.
ABAISANCE, A-bá-sans, n. abassans.
ABALLENATE, Ab-ál-yen-at, v. t. tu estránj; tu transfér from eni wun.
ABALIENATION, Ab-al-yen-á-jon, n. ðe transferig de tjtí tu properti. [tu forsák].
ABANDON, A-bán-don, v. t. tu giv up; tu kwit;
ABANDONED, A-bán-dond, p. a. forsakn; dezert-ed; veri wiked.
ABANDONER, A-bán-don-er, n. wun ho abándons.
ABANDONING, A-bán-don-ing, n. levig er forsakig.
ABANDONMENT, A-bán-don-mént, n. ðe akt ov forsakip.
ABANDONEE, A-bán-don-é, n. wun tu hóem a tig iz abándond.
ABARTICULATION, Ab-ar-tik-yη-lá-jon, n. a kjnd ov qrtíkyqlajon hwic admits ov manifest mójon.
ABASE, A-bas, v. t. tu humbl; deprís; bripl lo.
ABASKMENT, A-bás-mént, n. ðe akt ov humblig; lo stat.
ABASH, A-bás, v. t. tu mak ajsámd; tu konfñnd.
ABASMENT, A-bás-mént, n. jam; konfúzon.
ABATABLE, A-bát-a-bl, a. dat ma be abated.
ABATE, A-bát, v. t. tu lessn; tu diminif; in le, tu defét, tu overbró. [diskvnt].
ABATEMENT, A-bát-mént, n. ðe akt ov abatig;
ABATER, A-bát-er, n. ðe person er tig dat abáte.
ABATIS, Ab'a-tis, n. trez kut dñn for militari.
ABE, Ab, n. ðe yqrn for a wevers werp. [défens].
ABBA, Ab'a, n. a Sirial wurd, hwic signifis fñðer.
ABBACY, Ab'a-si, n. ðe rjta and pozefons ov an
ABBATIAL, Ab-á-Jal, a. relativ tu an abo. [abot].
ABBE, Ab'a, n. an abot; an eklesiastikal tjtí wið-étt ofis er dqtí anekst.
ABBER, Ab'ee, n. ðe guvernes ov a nunerí.
ABBEY, Ab'i, n. ðe residens ov an abot er munjk.
ABBOT, Ab'ot, n. ðe qef ov an abi er konvent.
ABBOTSHIP, Ab'ot-sip, n. ðe stat ov an abot.
ABREVLATE, A-bré-vi-at, v. t. tu ferta; tu abrij.
ABREVIATION, A-bré-vi-á-jon, n. akt ov fertning; kontráktip.

ABI

ABBREVIATOR, A-bré-vi-a-tor, n. wun ho abrijes or reduçez tu a smeler kumpas. [tráktip].
ABBREVIATORY, A-bré-vi-a-to-ri, a. fertning; kon-
ABBREVIATURE, A-bré-vi-a-tür, n. abreviajon; abrijment.
ABDICANT, Ab'di-kant, a. ábdikatip; renvensp.
ABDICANT, Ab'di-kant, n. a person ho ábdikats.
ABDICATE, Ab'di-kat, v. t. tu rezjn; tu renvens; tu giv up; tu deprív ov rjt.
ABDICTION, Ab-di-ká-jon, n. ðe dezertig ov a publik trust wið ét a formal surénder.
ABDICATIVE, Ab'di-ka-tiv, a. ábdikatip.
ABDITIVE, Ab'di-tiv, a. havig ðe kwoliti ov hñdin.
ABDITORY, Ab'di-to-ri, n. a plas tu hñd guds in.
ABDOMEN, Ab-dó-men, n. ðe loor pqrt ov ðe boli.
ABDOMINAL, Ab-dóm-i-nal, a. relativ tu ðe abdómen. [fijes].
ABDOMINAL, Ab-dóm-i-nal, n. wun ov an erder ov
ABDOMINOUS, Ab-dóm-in-us, a. lqrj-belid; abdom-i-nal.
ABDUCE, Ab-díja, v. t. tu separat; tu dre from; yqzd in anatómi.
ABDUCENT, Ab-dí-sent, a. dreig er pulip bak.
ABDUCTION, Ab-dúk-jon, n. ðe kariig awa a person bj förs.
ABDUCTOR, Ab-dík-tor, n. a musl dat drez bak.
ABEARANCE, A-bár-ans, n. behavýor.
ABECDARIAN, A-be-se-dá-ri-an, n. a teger er lerner ov ðe alfabet.
ABED, A-béd, ad. in bed; on de bed.
ABELE, A-bél, n. ðe hwít poplar.
ABERRANCE, Ab-ér-ans, } n. a wonderig from
ABERRANCY, Ab-ér-an-si, } ðe rjt wa.
ABERRANT, Ab-ér-ant, a. déviatip from ðe rjt wa.
ABERRATION, Ab-or-á-jon, n. ðe akt ov wonderig.
ABERRING, Ab-ér-ip, a. wonderig; goig astrá.
ABET, A-bét, v. t. tu enkúraj; tu set on; tu ad.
ABETMENT, A-bét-mént, n. ðe akt ov abétip.
ABETTER, A-bét-er, } n. wun ho abéta; an akóm-
ABETTOR, A-bét-or, } plis.
ABEYANCE, A-bá-ans, n. reverson; ekspektasjon ov pozefon. [de flok].
ABGREGATION, Ab-gre-gá-jon, n. ðe separaçon from
ABHOR, Ab-hór, v. t. tu hat biterli; tu distést; tu abominat. [hatred].
ABHORRENCE, Ab-hór-ens, n. detestaçon; grat
ABHORRENT, Ab-hór-ent, a. struk wið abhórens; odius; kontrari tu; inkonsistent wid.
ABHORRENTLY, Ab-hór-ent-li, ad. in an abhórent maner.
ABHORRE, Ab-hér-er, n. wun ho abhórs.
ABIB, A'bib, n. ðe ferst munþ ov ðe Jujs yer.

Fig. 1855e: ibid., p.741.

PRONUNCIATION OV JEΩGRAFIKAL NAMZ.

Aachen, A'ken.	Adel, A-dél.	Ajan, A-gán.
Aalborg, Ol'borg.	Aden, A'den, or E'dem.	Ajalon, Aj'a-lon.
Aargau, A'rgs. Argovie, A'-go-vé, [Fr.]	Adige, Ad'i-je, [A.] A'di-ja.	Ajmeer, Aj-mér.
Aarhuus, O'r-høs.	Adirondack, Ad-i-rón-dak.	Akaba, A'kq.-bq.
Abaco, A'bq.-ko.	Adlerberg, A'dler-berg.	Akerman, A'ker-mán.
Abakan, A-bq-kán.	Adour, Ad-dv.	Akhaf, A'kaf.
Abancay, A'bqa-kí.	Adowah, A'do-wq, or Adova, A'do-vq.	Akhissar, A-k-his-ár.
Abano, A'bq-no.	Adramiti, A-drq-má-te.	Aksehr, Aksehr, or Akseher, A-k-jár, or A-k-já-her.
Abassia, or Abassia, A-bás-i-e.	Adria, A'dre-q.	Aksou, Aksou, or Aksu, A-k-sú.
Abbeville, A'b-s-vil, [Fr.] A'b-vél.	Adrianoople, Ad-re-an-ó-pl.	Alabama, Al-a-bím-a.
Abbetibbie, or Abbetibbe, A'b- s-tíb-z.	Adriatic, Ad-ri-át-ik.	Alachua, Al-áq-n-a.
Abd-el-Curia, A'b-del-kú-re-q. Ritn elso (Koore, or Kouri.)	Egean, E-jé-an.	Aladulia, Al-a-dó-li-a.
Aberdeen, A-b-er-dén.	Egina, E-jí-na.	Alagoas, A-lq-gá-qs.
Abergavenny, A-b-er-gá-ne.	Eroe, E'-ro, or E're-e.	Alais, A-lá.
Aberistwith, A-b-er-ist-wit.	Etna, Et'na.	Alamo, A'lq-me.
Abernethy, A'b'er-net-i.	Afghanistan, A-f-gán-is-tán.	Aland, A'l'and.
Abex, A'beks.	Afioum, Afioum, or Afium, A-fi-úm.	Alasehr, or Alasehr, A-lq- jár, or A-lq-sá-her.
Abington, A'b'ing-ton.	Afragola, A-frq-gó-lq.	Alaska, A-lðs-ka.
Abo, A'bø.	Africa, A'fri-ku.	Alatamaha, Ol-ta-ma-hé.
Abomey, A'b-ø-mé.	Agably, or Aghably, A-gq-blá.	Alba, A'l'bø.
Abookeer, Aboukir, or Abukir, A-bø-kér.	Agadir, A-gq-dér.	Al Baab, Al Bqb.
Abootish, Aboutige, or Aboutij, A-bø-tig.	Agdas, A-gq-ds, or Aghades, A'gq-des.	Albacete, Al-bq-bá-ta.
Ahrantes, A-brán-tes.	Agde, Agd.	Albania, Al-bá-ni-a,
Abrolhos, A-bról-yos.	Agen, A-tán.	Arnaootleek, or Arnaoutlik, Ar-nq-ðt-isk, [T.]
Abruzzo Citra, A-brót-so Cé- tra. [trq.]	Aghrim, Æ'grim, or Æ'hrim.	Albano, A-l-bé-no.
Abruzzo Ultra, A-brót-so Ol'í.	Agincourt, Aj'in-kort, or Aj- in-kort.	Albans, St., Sant Ol'banz.
Absecum, or Abecombe, Ab- sé-kum. [keer.]	Agnone, A-n-yá-na.	Albany, Ol'ban-i.
Abukir, A-bø-kér. Se (Aboo-) Abutige, or Abutisch, A-bø-tig. Se (Abootish.)	Agosta, A-gós-tq.	Albemarie, Al-be-márl, {Egg.}
Abyssinia, A-b-is-in-ta.	Agra, A'gru.	Albemarie, Al-be-márl, {U. S.}
Acadia, A-ká-di-a.	Agram, A'grqm.	Albufera, Al-bu-fá-ru.
Acapulco, A-kq-pó-l-ko.	Aguadilla, A-gwq-dé-l-yq.	Albulia, A'l'bo-lq. [b6.]
Acaray, A-kq-rj.	Aguas Nuevas, A'gwq Nwá-vq.	Alby, or Albi, A'l'bi, [Fr.] Al-
Accomack, A-k'ø-mak.	Aguas Calientes, A'gwq Kq-li- én-tes.	Alcala, A-l-kq-lq.
Accra, A'kr'a.	Agsayo, A-gwí-o.	Alcala de Henares, A-l-kq-lq da En-í-res.
Achmim, or Akhym, A-k-mém.	Akulhas, A-gó-l-yq.	Alcamo, A-l'kq-mø.
Aoq, Aks.	Ahanta, A-hán-tq.	Alcaniz, A-l-kqn-yé-t.
Acqui, or Aqui, A'kwe.	Ahgrim, A'grim.	Alcaniara, A-l-kún-tq-rq.
Accra, or Accra, A'kr'a.	Ahmedabad, A-méd-a-bqd.	Alcarria, A-l-ka-ré-a.
Acro, A'ker, or A'ker.	Aichstadt, Æk'stet.	Aickmaer, Alk-már. Se (Akk- maar.)
Adair, A-dár.	Aigle, Æ'gl.	Alcoona, A-l-kó-na.
Adalia, A-dá-li-q, or Satalia, Sq-tá-li-q.	Aigues Mortes, Æg Mér.	Aleoy, A-l-kó-e.
Adana, A-dá-nq.	Ain, Añ.	Aldabra, A-l-dq-brq.
Adda, A'dq-q.	Aintab, Æn-táb.	Aldan, A-l-dán.
	Aisne, Æn.	Alden, Ol'den.
	Aix Æks.	Alderney, Ol'der-ni.
	Aix-la-Chapelle, Æks-lq-Sq-pé-l.	Alem-Tejo, or ALEN-Tejo, A- ley-Tá-za. [loh-són.]
	Ajaccio, A-yá-tq, or	Alencon, A-lén-son, [Fr.] A-
	Ajazzo, A-yá-tq-so.	

De onli nq notaſon emplöd in dis list is ds yns ov an itálik r for ds tril ov dat leter. Nams
dat, bj jeneral yns in dis kuntei, hav beküm Anglijsed, qr mqrit wið ds Ingliſh pronunsiaſon ruſer
dan ds Yqropean.

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Fig. 1855f: Andrew Comstock: A Treatise on Phonology; Philadelphia (PA)1855; p.16

The alphabet shown here is one of the competitors of the EPA, published in the same era (promoted by the author in exactly this form at least from 1846 to 1858). While this alphabet is not subject of this proposal, it is the source of the lowercase letterform U+A7AD LATIN SMALL LETTER A WITH LOOP.

(An enlarged excerpt from this table, containing that letter, is shown at the lower right.)

A PHONETIC ALPHABET FOR THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.					
BY ANDREW COMSTOCK, M. D.					
In this Table there is a letter for each of the 38 elementary sounds of the English Language; and, for the sake of brevity, there are 6 compound letters, each to be used, in particular instances, to represent two elementary sounds. There are also tone-marks, to represent accent, inflection, and intonation.					
THE 38 SIMPLE LETTERS.					
15 Vowels.		14 Subvowels.		9 Aspirates.	
E e ale		B b bow		P p pit	
A a arm		D d day		T t tin	
Q o all		G g gay		K k kite	
A a an		V v vile		F f fame	
I i eve		Δ ð then		Θ θ thin	
ɛ s end		Z z zone		S s sin	
I i ile		J j azure		C c shade	
I i in		L l light		H h hut	
Ω ω old		R r roll		Q q what	
ȝ ȝ lose		M m met		Tone-marks to represent Accent, Inflection, and Intonation.	
O o on		N n not			
UJ u tube		UJ ȝ song			
U u up		W w wo		, , , , ,	
U u full		Y y yoke		, , , , , , , , ,	
Φ φ out					
THE 6 COMPOUND LETTERS.					
Q q oil		D ȝ job		C ć etch	
Θ ə air		G ȝ tugs		X x oaks	

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Fig. 1856a: Biographies of the Presidents of the United States (F. G. Adams); Cincinnati (Ohio) 1856; title and p.13 (showing another publication using EPA 1855).

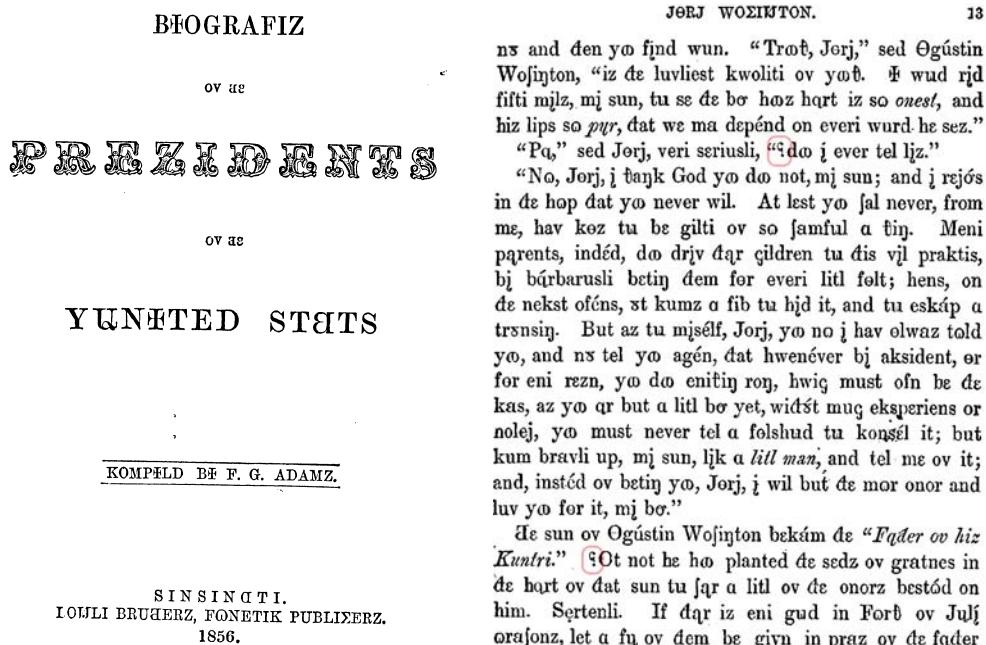


Fig. 1856b: An English Grammar, printed phonetically (London 1856); title page and p. 4. Showing EPA 1856. The letter pair U+A7C7 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER REVERSED ENLARGED SMALL U / U+A7C8 LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED U is unique to it.

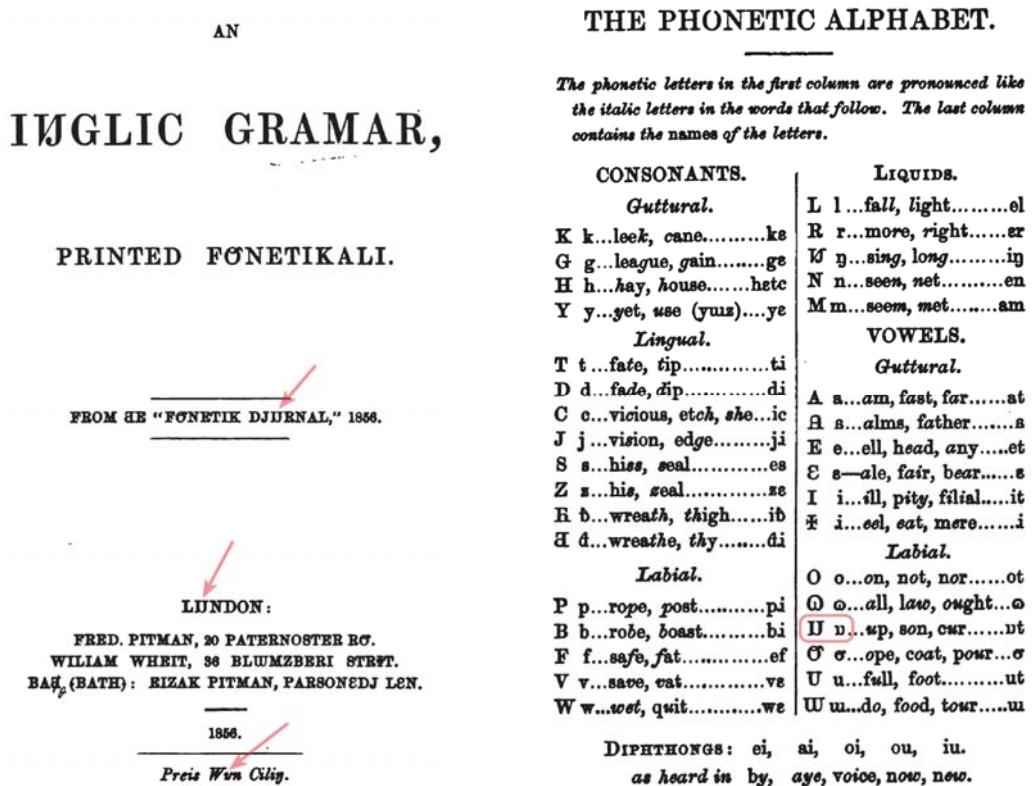


Fig. 1856d: The Phonetic Journal (ed. Isaac Pitman, London 1856); excerpt from p.334.
This shows a text specimen using EPA 1856, with the character meanings like shown in fig. 1856c. One occurrence of U+A7C8 LATIN SMALL LETTER REVERSED U is marked.

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[12 July, 1856]

DJUVENIL DEPARTMENT.

GOLDEN RUL.

“But it iz sør kruel, sør cemfuli kruel, mams, and sør wiked, and sør gud-for-nubinj,” kreid litel Hari Lester, pantin wid redj, and stampinj hiz fut bitwin ite paconet wurd. “And ei'l never luv him agen,—never,—never.”

“O yes yuu wil, Hari.”

“No ei csnt—ei no ei csnt. Ei cal het him ol mei leif, and ei'l go up tu de Hol and let *hiz* rabits out direktli, dat ei wil.”

“But ei woz veri *vn*hapi, mams, and ei am sori. Dwu, duu forgiv mi.”

“Wiligli, when yuu kan tel mi dat from yur hart yuu hav forgiven Arður, and hav trauli repented ov yur revenjful filijz tordz him.”

Agen ðer woz a seilens, for Hari woz an onest boi, huu wud not, iven tu gen hiz muðer'z pardon, tel her a folshud, and ci had askt him a hard ðig, harder dan eni task or lesson hi had ever yet lernd, and won white it simd imposibel for him tu perform. Had it bin enibij dat hi had lost, or had eniwun

Fig. 1858a: American Phonetic Journal, vol. 5, no. 7, July 1858: excerpt from p.106.
Showing the use of U+2E44 WIGGLY EXCLAMATION MARK in EPA 1855.

gerl ov siksten sumerz.

Es woz djig ov Skrofyula. It had fasnd itself on ds organ ov Nutrison, and se woz beip stqrvd tu det do her

belopig tu de solar sistem. Eg iz tu

be de terminus ov an ar-ljn ral-rod, run-ip tu el uder pqrts ov de kreated yuni-vers and de man? Eg iz lajer dan

Fig. 1860a: The Phonetic Journal (ed. Isaac Pitman, London 1860); excerpt from p.1.
Showing a variant of EPA 1856 (the letter used for [ʌ] is exchanged).

VOWELS.

Name.	ah, eh, oo; awe, oh, oo; ut:
Phonotype.	A a, E e, I i; O o, O o, U u; ɔ ɔ:
Script.	À à È è Ì ì Ò ò Ó ó Ú ú Ò ò
Example.	alms, age, air, eat; all, ope, food; son, bat
Phonetic form.	sms, eŋ, er, ɛt; ɔl, ope, fuud; sɔn, bæt

DIPHTHONGS.

ai, i, oi, ou.	ay, eɪ, œɪ, œu.	ɛɪ, eɪ, œɪ, œu.	ay, by, boy, now.	ɛɪ, bei, boi, nou.
ɛɪ, eɪ, œɪ, œu.				
œɪ, œu.				
ay, by, boy, now.				

CONSONANTS.

th, thee, ing.	θθ, ðð, ðð, ðð.	θθ, ðð, ðð, ðð.
θθ, ðð, ðð, ðð.	θθ, ðð, ðð, ðð.	θθ, ðð, ðð, ðð.
ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.	ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.	ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.
ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.	ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.	ðð, ðð, ðð, ðð.

U, as in unit, unite, duty, value, is a double letter, and is written thus: “yunit, yneit, diunti, valiu.”

Fig. 1860b/c: ibid., excerpts from p.15 and p.24.
Showing sample texts of EPA 1856, one of them in a script font.

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inventer hui iz dis ivniq amsg ss—Mr Eizak Pitman ov Bab—is az w̄rdi ov de onor and de respekt ov de men ov everi edj, az de inventerz ov de elektro-telegrafi and fotografi.

And i hwei. Bikoz hiz art, tu de sem degri az derz, mits dis wont ov hiumaniti in everi edj. It parteks indid ov de netiur ov b̄d elektro-telegrafi and fotografi, and der iz a konsiderabel amount ov analogji bitwin it and dem, az tu dis histori az au invencen, mauer ov its operacenz, and de valiu ov its rezults. Az b̄d elektro-telegrafi and fotografi ar not se m̄ste nim eidiaz, az an impruvment spon old w̄snz, se iz f̄nografi an impruvment spon kaligrafi and stenografi hwite wer in ekzistens bifor it.

F̄nografi ssstanz a relecon tu sound veri similar tu d̄at hwite Fotografi heldz tu form. It iz a korekt reprezentacon ov it, and de proses iz instantenissali efekted bei b̄d. It d̄sz not rekweir a log and wirissm aprentiscip tu master eider art, and hwen w̄sns atend, its yusez ar manifold, and ar avelabel bei everibodi. A man meit mek a veri puur portret-penter, hui wud mek a veri gud f̄tografier; and a veri moderet skolar me biksm a gud f̄nografer; and f̄rder, der iz no limit—s̄nles it iz self-impozd—tu de eksereiz ov hiz art.

ilodjikal. Ei woz reversig de order ov der relativ importans, and komperij de greter bei de les. Ei duu not klem for bot-fotografi az m̄ste atencon and regard az hav bin bisted spon de Fotografi ov Form, bst ei klem for it m̄er atencon—imejurabli m̄r. Inazm̄te az de meind itself iz siupior tu mater, bei se m̄ste de m̄r iz de fotografi ov meind siupior tu de fotografi ov mater. Mater iz s̄nsbstancal, flitig, evanescent. de moet solid bloks ar krsmbliq awe everi moment bei de akcon ov disintegratig edjensiz, hwite rob dem ov der s̄bstanz. Meind iz m̄er s̄bstancal dan s̄bstanz itself, for it never deiz; its b̄ots wil out-liv teim, and rsn paralel wid eterniti. Hu kan limit de bot or de b̄yker, or estimet de magnitud and de importans ov its pouer. Imprial Rom woz w̄sne de mistres ov de w̄rld. Her gets wer de sentral f̄sezi ov de w̄rld's welb, and pomp, and magnifisens, bst her dominion in de proudest dez ov her empeir, never ekstended tu de limits dat hav bin atend bei de filosofez ov Gris, hwen her Aristotelz and her Ploterz ruld de meindz ov men hui demselvz ruld de w̄rld. Ei fil ei am enli reizig tu de digniti ov mei s̄bdjekt, de az yet ei bst dimli dizern al its veitai importans. Hwen bronx and empeirz hwite nou rul de w̄rld hav krsmbeld intu ruinz, de b̄ots hwite

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LITERARI GL̄NIUZ.

Everi truf hwite wi no and aknoledj in dis leif, bst duu not relidyshi obo, iz teken awe from us hwen wi enter de spiritualisal world. It iz teken awe from us likoz wi hav no rial afekcon for it; hav n̄fiz in our harts tu reten it; for n̄fiz han abeid wid us bst hwot haz enterd intu our leif's leu.

A gud manz frendz me fersch him, or me doi and liv him tu morn. Hiz fortun me fel, or hiz hell deho. Hiz alomni and reprole me undjostli atah hiz karakter. Is sekrumstansez ov dis

Bst hwen dou mokst dei prezenc feit,
and hwen de sol haf graupt di reit,
hou fast de drari cadry molt
linid dei worm and livij leit!
In di ei feind a nobler berf,
a glori o's de w̄rld ei si!
and Paradeis retronz tu esf,
and blumy agen for us in di.

Kou stroz and livij Son ov Man,
Roedimer fram de bandz ov sin,
'tiz hou de livij spark drot fan
dat sets mei hart on feis wedin.

Fig. 1860d: ibid., excerpt from p.129.

Showing an example of the parentheses with middle ring, to resolve an ambiguity.

elongetij der bodiz. W̄sns in de dismis der telz az yusles apendedjez, and bigin hwot iz kold de proses ov insistip (incysting), dat iz, ov relig demselvz sp intu a bol, and sekritin a miukss over its sr̄fes, hwite in teim develops intu a flei, hoverz over de pond, and iz swooled bei s̄m berd. De flei iz didjested, and de libereted serkeria feindz itself in k̄mfortabel kworterz; its cel iz broken, and its proses tu matiuriti iz ritct.—Dj. Luis in "Kornhil Magazin."

Fig. 1860e: A triple (twelve gross) Gems of Wisdom (ed. Isaac Pitman); London 1860; title and p.5. Showing the variant of as in fig. 1860a.

THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.		
A T R I P E L		
(TWELV GROS)	CONSONANTS.	LIQUIDS.
DJEMZ OV WIZDOM,	<i>Guttural.</i>	<i>W</i> w .. sing iŋ <i>N</i> n .. seen en <i>M</i> m .. seem am <i>L</i> l .. fall el <i>R</i> r .. rare ar
ON	<i>Lingual.</i>	VOWELS.
MORAL AND SPIRITUAL SØBDJEKTS.	<i>T</i> t .. fate ti <i>D</i> d .. fade di <i>C</i> ɔ .. vicious iɔ <i>J</i> j .. vision ji <i>S</i> s .. hiss es <i>Z</i> z .. his zi <i>H</i> h .. wreath ið <i>D</i> ð .. wreathe ði	<i>Guttural.</i> <i>A</i> a .. am at <i>ʌ</i> ʌ .. alms ʌs <i>E</i> e .. ell et <i>ɛ</i> ɛ .. ale ɛs <i>I</i> i .. ill it <i>ɪ</i> ɪ .. eel i
SELEKTED FROM DE BEST ØFORZ.	<i>Labial.</i>	<i>O</i> o .. on ot <i>ʊ</i> ʊ .. all ʊ <i>ɔ</i> ɔ .. up ɔt <i>ʊ</i> ʊ .. ope ʊ <i>U</i> u .. full ut <i>ʊ</i> ʊ .. food u
SECOND EDITION.	<i>F</i> f .. safe ef <i>V</i> v .. save vi <i>W</i> w .. wet we	DIPHTHONGS: si, ei, ɔi, ou. as heard in ay, by, voice, now.
LONDON :		
FRED. PITMAN, 20 PATERNOSTER RO, E.C. W. HWEIT, 36 BLUMZBERI STRAT, W.C. BAR (BATH): EIZAK PITMAN, FØNETIK INSTITIUT.		
1860.		

Fig. 1860f: ibid., excerpt from p.8. — Around 1860, Isaac Pitman propagated the duodecimal system, and in fact used it in some publications like the one shown here. He used turned and (in the case of the 3) modified forms of the digits 2 and 3 as digits for ten and eleven (U+218A TURNED DIGIT TWO, U+218B TURNED EZH-SHAPED DIGIT THREE).

De nñmberij ov de paragrafs bei dszenz and grøsez iz a kontribuiçon teardz a yuniversal sis-tem ov kountij, mñni, wets, and mejurz, best on de nñmber twelv and its mñltipelz. De seinz “7, 8” reprezent de nñmberz ten and eleven, and “10” reprezents wsn dszen; “16,” wsn dszen and siks; 453, for grøs, feiv dszen, and ðri; 7,819, seven tripelz, et grøs, wsn dszen and nein; and so on. It gud bi konsiderd a stron argument for a twelv sistem ov noteçon dat ðe wi prøfes tu rekon bei tenz, yet wi kount artikelz in tred, djenerali, bei de dszen and de grøs; mek de qilij konsist ov twelv pens; mejur bei de fut kontenij twelv inqez; and diveid ðe de intu tu dszen ourz.

Fig. 1860g: ibid., excerpt from p.12 (noted as "10" in the duodecimal system).

The encircled duodecimal number shows clearly that the shape of the duodecimal digit eleven is based on an ezh-shaped digit three is intentional, as the first digit, an "ordinary" unturned digit three, is not ezh-shaped.

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Djemz ov Wizdom.

38. Lsv iz ðe leif ov relidjon, and ov ðe sol, and ov ðe tçsrte.

39. Ðe ferst meçon ov relidjon iz tu snderstand hwot iz truu ov God; and de sekond iz tu ekspres it in our leivz, and tu kopi it out in our wsrkz: ðe former iz our wizdom, and ðe later iz our gudnes.

36. Ðer iz no stronger simpaði ðan dát bitwin truð and gud.

32.

Ol mei leif loj,
ei hav biheld wið mest respekt ðe man
huu niú himself, and niú ðe wez bifør him,
and from amȝyst dem tȝez konsideretli,
wið a klir ferseit, not a bleindföld kȝredj;
and havig tȝezen, wið a stedfast meind
þrsiud his þrpos.

40. Ðe binz ov ðe bodi mæst in a mejur dei, bifør man
kan bi born aniu, or ridjenereted. Ðe bodi itself mæst

Fig. 1864a: The Reporting Magazine; Vol. 3, 1864: Appendix "Key to the Reporting Magazine", excerpt from p.1: *Showing the use of EPA 1856 in 1864.*

THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.

The Phonetic Alphabet consists of 34 letters, namely, the 23 useful letters of the common alphabet (*c, q* and *x* being rejected,) and the 11 new ones below. *J* is used for the French *j* (zh), or *g* in *edge*, or *s* in "vision;" hence *dj* represents *J* in *John*, and *dg* in *edge*. *Tg* (*t sh*) represents *ch* in *chess*, and *tch* in *catch*. *Y* and *w* are consonants; *wh* being replaced by *hw*. The vowels *a, e, i, o, u*, have invariably their short sounds, as in *pat, pet, pit, pot, put*. All the other old letters have their usual signification. The italic letters in the words in the third line denote the SOUNDS of the letters.

VOWELS.

Phonotype. | A a, E e, Ð i — O o, Ø œ, U u — Þ ȝ.

Script. | Å å, È è, Ð ð i — Ø ø, Ð ð, U u — Þ ȝ *

Example. alms, age, air, eat — all, ope, food — son, but.
,, smz, ej, er, it — ol, op, fud — sn, bst

DIPHTHONGS.

CONSONANTS.

si, ei, oi, ou. || C ȝ, H ð, Ð ð, U y.

æi ei æi ou || G f X ȝ X ð Y y

ay, by, boy, now. || she, thin, then, sing.

si, bei, boi, nou. || ȝi, din, den, siŋ.

The double letter *u*, as in *unit unite, duty, value*, is written thus: "yunit, yneit, diuti, valiu." When *ai*, *oi*, make a dissyllabic diphthong, the second letter is marked with a diaeresis; thus, *solfäin, swïŋ*.

The order of the Phonetic Alphabet, and the names of the letters are:

CONSONANTS.

k, g; h; y: t, d; ȝ, j; s, z; ð, ð: kay, gay; aitch; gag: tee, dee; ish, zhee; ee, zee; ith, thee:

p, b; f, v; w: y, n, m; l, r.
pee, bee; ef, vee; way: ing, en, am; el, ar.

VOWELS.

a, ȝ; e, ȝ; i, i: o, œ; Þ, ȝ; u, u.

at, ah; et, eh; it, ee: ot, awe; ut, oh; oot, oo.

Fig. 1864b: The New Testament, in phonetic spelling; Cincinnati (Ohio) 1864. title; pp. v, viii, 21.
Giving an example of the unchanged use of EPA 1855 in Cincinnati for at least 10 years.

N U T E S T A M E N T

OR LÖRD AND SVYOR JEZUS KRIST.
our lord & saviour jesus christ

AKORDIW TU DE GEOREZD VEREON.

IN FONETIK SPELIM.

Cincinnati
SINSINITI:
ELIAS LOWLI, FONETIK PUBLIEER;

1864.

viii INTRODUKTORI REMARKS.

As it is yez tu be.

This asprings of the birth tongue is cause of twey things: on is of two things: one is for children in scole, asnes the usage and maner of alle other nacions, both compelled for to leve her owne langage, and for to konstrewe her lessoun and her thingis a French, and have withthe that the Normans come first into England, also gentil men since (that) the Normans children beth yntau come [came] first into England, and speke French, from the tyme that thei beth rokiked in her cradle, and kunneth speke, and playe with a childe brooch—*Hyden*, who died about 1360.

As it is nu.

This appearing of the birth tongue, is because wun is for [bekóz] children in skol, agénst de yrsej and maner ov ol uder nations, be [qr] kompíd (for) tu lev dar on langwej, and strue [intu] Fréng, and hav [dun so] sins [dat] de Normans cum [kam] ferst intu Engeland. Olso gentilmen cildren be [qr] tot (for) tu spek Fréng from de tijm dat da be [qr] rokt in darskradl, and kan spek, and can speak, and playe with a child's brooch.

As it is nu.

De ganjes in ergografi sins 1360 hav bin nuqumer, and de printip ov de Bibl has varid wid dem el. Dis last ganj, from románik tu fönétik spelij, as has bin sen abý, is not so difíkult for de redor tu master as de transjón bak ta Higdens tju, and is but a turo komplexion ov de wruk dat has bin grádyquali progesjón for several sentyrs, namli, de konistent and filosofikal representacija ov spoken langwej.

In regyd tu de pronunsjons ov indicated, we hav endévord tu konfirm ta Amerikan yzejd as desjud bj Webster and Wuster in dár pronunsjikónar. At de tijm ov steriotípov des pejor, dár is no fonétik dikjónari in print, tu hwig tu refer as a gđ so dat de Testament ma agré wid uder works in fonétik spolig; but beför de se de publik i suq a fonétik standard wil be komént, and rapidi huriid tñm de pres. End dár be diskrepancji betwén dár and uder publicaçjons ijyqd from sr ofis, on de nijer pönts ov ortoepi, dis statment wil eksplain de kor.

De anjet stijl ov pronunsjig a serten klas ov wurdz, hwig is still praktist bj meni redors from de pulpit, namli, *lued*, *greed*, *praed*, *luked*, *bleed*, has so jénerali bin diskontinyqd in de ordinari redig ov de skriptyor, dat we felt fulli waranted in printip *lued*, *greed*, *praed*, *luked*, *bleed*. But we hav not gon as far as tu modernisj laggewej in de kas ov vrásq tñminatig in (A) dus wa

PHONETIC ALPHABET OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

Each letter has the sound of the italicized letter or letters in the illustrative words.

Letters.	Illustrative Words.	Name.	Letters.	Illustrative Words.	Name.
Long Vowels.			Explodents.		

E e	eeel	e	P p	palo	pe
E e	earth	e	B b	bale	be
I i	eile	i	T t	tame	te
A a	air	a	D d	dame	de
A a	arms	a	C c	cheer	ca
O o	all	o	J j	jeer	ja
O o	oak	o	K k	king, came	ka
O o	oore	o	G g	game	ga

Short Vowels.

I i	ill	it	F f	fain	ef
E e	ell	et	V v	vain	ev
A a	am	at	R r	thigh	ir
U u	on	ot	H h	thy	ea
U u	up	ut	S s	seal	es
W u	wood	wt	Z z	zeal	ez

Diphthongs.

X i	ice	i	L l	full	el
G o	oil	oi	R r	rare	qr
ɔ ɔ	owl	ɔ			
ʌ ʌ	dupe	ʌ			

Coalescents.

Y y	yea	ya	M m	main	am
W w	way	wa	N n	nine	en
H h	hay	ha	K p	sing	ip

The marks of punctuation are the same as in the old orthography, excepting the following changes and additions: the mark of interrogation ? is placed before the first word in a sentence that indicates a query, ? at the end of a sentence indicates doubt, ! laughter, ! surprise, ! sorrow; the inverted ' signifies the omission of a letter.

Rules of Accent.

1. Words of two syllables are accented on the first.
2. Words of three or more syllables are accented on the third from the end; Unless the last syllable but one contain a long vowel or diphthong, or the last syllable begin with f, z, or y,—in which case the accent falls on the last syllable but one.

Exceptions to these rules are marked with the sign ' placed over the vowel to be accented.

Words wholly printed in capitals, and French words, (which have no regularly accented syllables,) are not thus marked.

DE GOSPEL AKORDIW TU SINT MAEU.

CAPTER 1.

and Sadok begát Elkim; and Elkim begát Elijud;

1. De buk ov de jenerajon ov Jezus Krist, de sun ov David, de and Eleazer begát Matan; and Matan begát Jakob;

2. Ibráham begát Izak; and Izak begát Jakob; and Jakob begát Judas and his breðren;

3. And Judas begát Perez and Zara ov Ramor; and Perez begát Ibráham ta David [qr] fortén Ezrom; and Ezrom begát Iram; jenerajon; and from David until

4. And Elram begát Amínadab; de karig awá intu Babilon [qr] and Amínadab begát Naásón; and fortén jenerajon; and from de Naásón begát Salmon;

5. And Salmon begát Booz ov Rakab; and Booz begát Obed ov Rot; and Obed begát Jese;

6. And Jese begát David de kip; and David de kip begát Sol; and Joádam begát Elsó; and Elsó begát Ezekjas;

7. And Solomon begát Roboam; and Roboam begát Abija; and Abija begát Elsó;

8. And Elsó begát Josafat; and Josafat begát Joram; and Joram begát Ozias;

9. And Ozias begát Joatam; and Joatam begát Elkaz; and Elkaz begát Ezekjas;

10. And Ezekjas begát Manáséz; and Manáséz begát Elmon; and Elmon begát Josafat;

11. And Josafat begát Jekonias and his breðren, abšt de tijm da ver karid awá tu Babilon;

12. And after de wér bret tu Babilon, Jekonias begát Salatiel; and Salatiel begát Zorobabel;

13. And Zorobabel begát Abiud; and Abiud begát Eljakin; and Eljakin begát Elzor;

14. And Elzor begát Sadok; us. [Ex. 7: 14.]

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Fig. 1868a: The Trial of William Rodger (Isaac Pitman; London 1868); p. vi and p.3.

Showing the EPA 1868, which reintroduces single letters for some diphthongs and consonant clusters.

The encircled letter introduced here (at this time unified with U+0244 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U BAR) is in fact a TURNED ROUNDTOP A (see the proposed U+A7AE LATIN CAPITAL LETTER ROUNDTOP A).

Therefore, a unification with U+0244 LATIN CAPITAL LETTER U BAR was considered inappropriate in the predecessor document, as this letter has a protruding bar.

The difference is comparable to: U+019F LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH MIDDLE TILDE (which, as the reference glyph in the Standard shows, is in fact an O with non-protruding bar; this letter is common in EPA), vs. U+A74A LATIN CAPITAL LETTER O WITH LONG STROKE OVERLAY, showing a protruding bar.

THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.

The phonetic letters in the first column are pronounced like the italic letters in the words that follow. The last column contains the names of the letters.

CONSONANTS.

Mutes.

P	p...rope, post.....pi
B	b...robe, boast.....bi
T	t...fate, tip.....ti
D	d...fade, dip.....di
C	ç...cheap, fetch.....çe
J	j...jump, bridge.....je
K	k...leek, cane.....ke
G	g...league, gain.....ge

Continuants.

F	f...safe, fat.....ef
V	v...save, vat.....vi
H	h...wreath, thigh....ih
I	i...wreathe, thy.....hi
S	s...hiss, seal.....es
Z	z...his, zeal.....zi
Σ	ſ...vicious, she .....iſ
Ξ	ȝ...vision, pleasure...ȝi

Nasals.

M	m...seem, met.....em
N	n...seen, net.....en
W	w...sing, long.....inj

DIPHTHONGS: Ȑ i, ȑ e, Ȕ u.

as heard in by, now, new.

Liquids.

L l...fall, light.....el

R r...more, right...ar

Coalescents.

W w...wet, quit.....we

Y y...yet, young.....ye

Aspirate.

H h...hay, house.....eg

VOWELS.

Guttural.

A a...am, fast, far...at

Ȑ a...alms, father....s

E e...ell, any, her...et

ȑ e...ale, fair, bear...e

I i...ill, pity, filial..it

Ȕ i...eel, eat, mere...i

Labial.

O o...on, not, nor...ot

ȑ o...all, law, ought..o

Ȑ o...up, son, cur...ot

Ȕ o...ope, coat, pour..o

U u...full, foot.....ut

Ȕ u..do, food, tour..u

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"William Rojer (Rodger); ker ov Mesierz Tinli (Tinley) and Spnz, 7 Water strit, Liverpool," woz duļi enterd in de Fenotipik Jurnal for Februari, 1848, pej 72. Hi enterd de servis ov dis ferm in 1844, at de ej ov fiftin.

Wi hav no rekord ov him durig 1849, hwén hi woz droig nir de eksپرسون ov his fyirz' aprentisip; bøt durig dis yir it apirz dat hi formd de dezjn ov bikvømij a travelin profesional fenorgrafik lekturer and ticer. Hi komenst in de tsnz ov Edinbøre and Dalkit (Dalkeith). Ær ferst konsjument ov fenografik instrukšon buks for his pupilz, woz med tu him in Februari, 1850, and forwarded tu Edinbøre. Hi woz svplid wid instrukšon buks for tú yirz and a haf: de akṣnt had ñen inkrist tu P 67. Az wi kud get ne remitanse, bøt enli promisez tu pe, de akṣnt woz klezd in Julij, 1852. Bvt bisjdz promisez, hi sent kopiz ov sørn titel didz ov properti hwiq wud sunn fol intu his pozeʃon, in order tu ale Ær firz dat wi wer inkorrig a bad det. ðiz peperz wer mair fabrikejonz, az wi afterwardz lernd, on bikvømij akwented wid his famili, hu ar ol respektabel and wordi pipel.

Hi kontinuqd tu lektur and ticer Fenografi in Edinbøre and Dalkit for mer dan a yir. An entri in his akṣnt respektig a parsel ov instrukšon buks sent 26 Julij, 1851, "tu remen at de steʃon (Edinbøre) til kold for," natruali eksjed ne suspion, it biig a komon okvrens. Wi hav in dis prezent yir lernd de rizon for dis prekɔʃon tu prevent his adres from biig nen.

Spdenli Ær talented and spkseſful lekturer adrest ps from Berik-on-Twid (Berwick-on-Tweed), and eksplend de koz ov his krosiq de border—ov kors hi did not intimet dat der woz enītig ov de karakter ov a "fijt" in it—hi sejg dat hi kud perfekt his Edinbøre and Dalkit pupilz jru de pest, hwiq hi rezd and tot frej klasez in Berik;—a veri ekselent arenjment wi tot.

Durig de foloig tri yirz hi wprkt his we sst ðru de tsnz ov Northumberland and Durham, lekturin on Fenografi, and tiqin de art in Anik (Alnwick), Morpeth, Nord

Fig. 1871a: The Other Life (William Holcombe); London 1871; p.2 and p.8.

Showing the 1871 form of EPA 1868.

Compared with the original EPA 1868, one character is dropped, and for one character another meaning is assigned. From an encoding point of view, this version has no features (esp. case mapping) which must be handled differently from EPA 1868; therefore it is subsumed under EPA 1868.

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<i>Mutes.</i>			
P	p...rope, post.....pi	L	l...fall, light.....el
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D	d...fade, dip.....di	W	w...wet, quit.....ws
G	g...cheap, fetchge	Y	y...yet, young.....ye
J	j...jump, bridge.....je		<i>Aspirate.</i>
K	k...leek, cane.....ke	H	h...hay, house eq
G	g...league, gain.....ge		<i>VOWELS.</i>
<i>Continuants.</i>			
F	f...safe, fat.....ef	A	a...am, fast, far.....at
V	v...save, vat.....vi	A	s...alms, father.....as
E	e...wreath, thigh.....it	E	e...ell, head, any.....et
H	h...wreathe, thy.....di	E	e...ale, air, bear.....e
S	s...hiss, seal.....es	I	i...ill, pity, filial.....it
Z	z...his, zeal.....zi	I	i...eel, eat, mere.....i
Sigma	ſ...vicious, ſhe.....iſ		<i>Labial.</i>
Zeta	ȝ...vision, pleasure...ȝi	O	o...on, not, nor.....ot
<i>Nasals.</i>		O	o...all, law, ought.....o
M	m...seem, met.....em	ȝ	ȝ...up, son, cur.....ȝt
N	n...seen, net.....en	C	c...ope, coat, pour....ɔ
W	w...sing, long.....inj	U	u...full, foot.....ut
DIPHTHONGS: Ȣ i, Ȣ u, OU ou, OI oi. as heard in by, now, now, boy.		W	wi..do, food, tour.....ui

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De Þær Lif.

nomena ekzist in de Þær wsrlid, j du not né, nor iz it esenjal dat j sud inkwir."

And se men pas from a temporal tu an eternal stet ov biig in a strenj apati respektij ssbjekts ov suprim valu, az ignorant ov de futur dat awets dem az de Þanborn bab iz ov de wsrlid intu whig hi wil bi Þjerd.

Iz dis rjt? Iz it nesesari? Iz it inevitabel?

De skeptikal filosofer afermz dat der ar pozitiv limitejonz tu huiman Þot; dat nr posibel sjentifik development or reserç kan ever lid ss tu a nolej ov de sol and its destiniz; dat de ekzistens ov a spiritual wsrlid iz a mir hipothesis, and ol tioloji de ofsprij ov drimi abstrakjon and jdel spekulejzon.

De Kristian konsidz de fijnjnes and fibelnes ov de huiman Þunderstanding, and korektli inferz from it de nesesiti ov revelejzon. Hi aksepts de Wþrd ov God az de revelejzon ov a moral ló. Ajurd ov a blesed immortaliti, hi asks for nr spejal Þnfoldinj ov de ljif tu ksm. Indid hi perswedz himself dat God haz intentionali and wjzli kept ss in ignorans ov de loz and fenomena ov de spiritual wsrlid: and dat it iz best for ss tu né litel and tijk litel ov what simz tu bi konsild and forbidden ground.

Iz not dis a hesti konkluzon, an snfounded assm-

Fig. 1873a: The Future of the English Language: An Argument for a Spelling Reform; William E. A. Axon, London 1874 (reprinted from the "Quarterly Journal of Science" for July 1873); p.12/13.

Showing the 1871 subset of EPA 1868 in different fonts and styles. Apparently, two lines are lost in the scanning process where the image shows a white gap in the middle.

A VIEW OF THE PHONETIC ALPHABET, IN VARIOUS STYLES OF WRITING AND PRINTING.

CONSONANTS.							VOWELS.													
Examples	Roman.	Old English.	Italic.	Script	Short-hand.	Name.	Examples	Roman.	Old English.	Italic.	Script.	Short-hand.	Name.							
peep	P p	ƿ ƿ	P p	ƿƿ	＼	pe	pat	A a	Ӑ ӑ	Ӑ a	Ӑ a	·	at							
bib	B b	ȝ ȝ	B b	ȝȝ	＼	bee	alms	Ӑ ӑ	Ӑ ӑ	Ӑ a	Ӑ a	·	ah							
tight	T t	ȝ ȝ	T t	ȝȝ	—	tee	pet	E e	Ӗ ӗ	Ӗ e	Ӗ e	·	et							
deed	D d	ð ð	D d	ðð	—	dee	age	Ӗ ӗ	Ӗ ӗ	Ӗ e	Ӗ e	·	eh							
church	C ȝ	ȝ ȝ	C ȝ	ȝȝ	/	chay	pit	I i	Ӭ ӿ	Ӥ i	Ӥ i	·	it							
judge	J j	ȝ ȝ	J j	ȝȝ	/	jay	eat	U ȝ	Ӯ Ӯ	Ӯ ȝ	Ӯ ȝ	·	ee							
cake	K k	ꝝ ꝝ	K k	ꝝꝝ	—	kay	pot	O o	Ӫ ӫ	Ӫ o	Ӫ o	—	ot							
gig	G g	ꝝ ꝝ	G g	ꝝꝝ	—	gay	all	Ӫ ӫ	Ӫ ӫ	Ӫ ӫ	Ӫ ӫ	—	aw							
faith	F f	ꝝ ꝝ	F f	ꝝꝝ	＼	ef	but	Ƣ ƣ	Ƣ ƣ	Ƣ ƣ	Ƣ ƣ	—	ut							
bathe	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝȝ	(	thee	ooze	W u	威 威	威 u	威 u	—	oo						
sauce	S s	ꝝ ꝝ	S s	ꝝꝝ	)	ess	zec	my	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ i	v	eye						
size	Z z	ȝ ȝ	Z z	ȝȝ	)	zee	new	U u	Ӯ Ӯ	Ӯ Ӯ	Ӯ y	~	you						
ship	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝȝ)	ish	zhee	The diphthongs in "ay (yes), boy, boil, now, noun," are written by the single letters that represent their elements, thus:												
azure	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝȝ	)	zhee	ai	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ i	Ӗ i	v	eye						
main	M m	Ӎ ӎ	M m	Ӎӎ)	em	on	oi	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ u	Ӗ u	~	you						
noon	N n	Ӆ Ӷ	N n	ӅӶ)	ing	ing	ou	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ Ӗ	Ӗ u	Ӗ u	~							
sing	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝ ȝ	ȝȝ)	el	SPECIMEN OF PHONETIC PRINTING.													
lull	L l	Ӆ Ӷ	L l	ӅӶ)	ar	Bi de Fonetik Alfabet eni person, old or ysyj, me bi tot tu rid, bot in fonetik and in ordinari buks, in tri msnts,—ai, ofen in twenti ourz' instrskfon,—a task whiq iz rerli akomplisht in tri yirz ov toil bj de old alfabet. Whot fñder or tiger wil not hel dis gret bun tu edukeson?—tis pouerful mañin for de difuzon ov nolej!													
roar	R r	ꝝ ꝝ	R r	ꝝꝝ	＼	way	yea	aith												
way	W w	威 威	W w	威威	＼	yea	yea	aith												
yea	Y y	Ӯ Ӯ	Y y	ӮӮ	＼	aitch	aitch	aitch												
hay	H h	威 威	H h	威威	＼															

Fig. 1880a: Das Buch der Schrift, enthaltend die Schriftzeichen und Alphabete aller Zeiten und aller Völker des Erdkreises (Carl Faulmann, Wien 1880; reprint Nördlingen 1985; ISBN 392156851X); p.240. *Showing the 1871 subset of EPA 1868.*

I. PITMAN'S ENGLISCHE PHONOGRAPHIE.

Vokale.

Antiqua	Cursiv	Schreib-schrift	Steno-graphie	Antiqua	Cursiv	Schreib-schrift	Steno-graphie	Antiqua	Steno-graphie	Antiqua	Steno-graphie
A a	A a	A a	'	A a	A a	A a	'	i, ay	'	woh	'
E e	E e	E e	.	E e	E e	E e	.	oi, oy	.	woo	.
I i	I i	I i	.	I i	I i	I i	.	ow	.	yah	.
O o	O o	O o	-	O o	O o	O o	-	wah	-	yeh	-
S s	S s	S s	-	S s	S s	S s	-	weh	-	yee	-
U u	U u	U u	-	U u	U u	U u	-	wee	-	yaw	-
F f	F f	F f	v	U u	U u	U u	v	waw	v	yoo	v

Konsonant.

Antiqua	Cursiv	Schreib-schrift	Steno-graphie	Antiqua	Cursiv	Schreib-schrift	Steno-graphie	Antiqua	Cursiv	Schreib-schrift	Steno-graphie
P p	P p	P p	\	F f	F f	F f	\	M m	M m	M m	\
B b	B b	B b	\	V v	V v	V v	\	N n	N n	N n	\
T t	T t	T t	|	H t	H t	H t	(	U y	U y	U y)
D d	D d	D d	|	Z d	Z d	Z d	(	L l	L l	L l)
C g	C g	C g	/	S s	S s	S s	)o	R r	R r	R r	/
J j	J j	J j	/	Z z	Z z	Z z	)o	W w	W w	W w	/
K k	K k	K k	—	S f	S f	S f	)	Y y	Y y	Y y	—
G g	G g	G g	—	Z z	Z z	Z z	)	H h	H h	H h	%)

Nach dem Standard-Alphabet bedeuten obige Zeichen: ā, ē, ī, ō, ū, ī, ei, ā, ē, ī, ō, ū, yu, p, b, t, d, tš, dž, k, g, f, v, θ, ð, s, z, š, ž, m, n, ñ, l, r, w, y, h.

Fig. 1880b: On Spelling (M. Müller, London 1880); p.46:

Showing an example using the 1871 subset of EPA 1868. The text claims that Isaac Pitman's "Phonetic Journal" is distributed by 12,400 copies in 1880.

If ei hav spóken stroplí in syport ov Mr Pitman'z sistem, it iz not bekoz on ol points ei konsider it siuprior tu de sistemz preperd bei yder reformerz, hu ar deli inkrisij in nymber; bst giffi bekoz it haz bijn tested so larjli, and haz stud de test wel. Mr Pitman'z *Fonetik Jsrnal* haz nou [1880] bijn psblift ðerti-est yjrz, and if it iz non dat it iz psblift wijkli in 12,400 kopiz, jç kopi reprezentij at ljsf for or feiv rjderz, it me not sjm so veri fülfis, after ol, if wj imajin dat der iz ssm veital pouer in dát insignifikant jerm.

Fig. 1888a: The Phonetic Journal, vol. 47 (London 1888); excerpt from p.1.

Showing an again reduced version of EPA 1868 (however with no new case pairings; thus this stage can still be subsumed under EPA 1868).

THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.

The Phonetic Alphabet consists of 36 letters, namely, the 23 useful letters of the common alphabet (*c*, *q*, and *x* being rejected,) and the 13 new ones below. The vowels *a*, *e*, *i*, *o*, *u* have invariably their short sounds, as in *pat, pet, pit, pot, put*. All the other old letters have their usual signification. The italic letters in the words in the fourth line denote the sounds of the letters.

<i>VOWELS.</i>								<i>CONSONANTS.</i>					
A s,	E ε,	(E e)	F i:	Ω o,	Ω σ,	U u:	ꝝ s.	C g,	H t,	D t,	Σ ſ,	ꝫ z,	W y.
A a,	E ε,	(E e)	F i:	Ω o,	Ω θ,	U u:	ꝝ s.	C g,	H θ,	D θ,	Σ ſ,	ꝫ z,	W y.
ꝫ α:	ꝫ ε	(E e)	ꝫ i:	ꝫ o	ꝫ σ,	ꝫ y:	ꝫ s.	ꝫ g	ꝫ θ	ꝫ d,	ꝫ ſ,	ꝫ z,	ꝫ y.
alms,	age, air,	pet,	eat:	all,	ope,	food:	son, but.	chair,	thin,	then,	shoe,	vision,	sing.
smz,	ej, er,	pet,	jt:	ol,	ep,	fud:	sxn, bst.	ger,	fin,	ten,	ſu,	vigon,	ſin.

The order of the Phonetic Alphabet, and the names of the letters are,

CONSONANTS:—p, b; t, d; ꝛ, j; k, g: f, v; t̄, t̄; s, z; ſ, ſ̄; m, n, y: l, r: w, y: h.
pee, bee; tee, dee; chay, jay; kay, gay: ef, vee; ith, thee; es, zee; ish, zhee: em, en, ing: el, ar: way, yay: aitch.

VOWELS:—a, s; e, ε; i, i: o, o; ſ, ſ̄; u, u. DIPHTHONGS:—ei, iu, ou, ai, oi.
at, ah; et, eh; it, ee: ot, awe; ut, oh; ööt, oo. as in *by, new, now, ay, boy.*

Fig. 1888b/c: ibid., enlarged parts from the same excerpt (to show the exact letterforms).

A s,	E ε,	(E e)	F i:	Ω o,	Ω σ,	U u
A a,	E ε,	(E e)	F i:	Ω o,	Ω θ,	U u
ꝫ α:	ꝫ ε	(E e)	ꝫ i:	ꝫ o	ꝫ σ,	ꝫ y:
alms,	age, air,	pet,	eat:	all,	ope,	food:
smz,	ej, er,	pet,	jt:	ol,	ep,	fud:

CONSONANTS.

ꝝ s.	C g,	H t,	D t,	Σ ſ,	ꝫ z,	W y.
ꝝ s.	C g,	H θ,	D θ,	Σ ſ,	ꝫ z,	W y.
ꝫ s.	ꝫ g	ꝫ θ	ꝫ d,	ꝫ ſ,	ꝫ z,	ꝫ y.
son, but.	chair,	thin,	then,	shoe,	vision,	sing.
sxn, bst.	ger,	fin,	ten,	ſu,	vigon,	ſin.

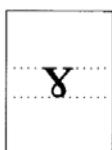
Fig. 1996a: Pullum, Geoffrey K., and Ladusaw, William A.: Phonetic Symbol Guide (second edition). Chicago and London 1996, ISBN 0-226-68536-5, p. 69 and 71.

The left picture shows the (not yet encoded) “Baby gamma” as a phonetic symbol (p. 69), while the right one shows the “ram’s horns” (U+0264), which is the preferred character to be used in phonetics.

The proposed U+A7C1 LATIN SMALL LETTER OW has a “belly” which extends to the full breadth of the letter, making this “o part” the predominant feature of the letter.

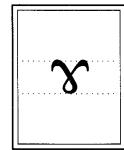
The two Pullum & Ladusaw letters, however, have a tiny “belly”, making the arms the predominant feature of the letter.

Thus, the “ow” is deliberately not proposed as “baby gamma”.



Baby Gamma

RAM'S HORNS



IPA Usage: Not currently used (superseded by Ram’s Horns), but encountered in pre-1989 IPA transcriptions for Cardinal 15, a close mid back unrounded vowel. *American Usage:* When used, denotes an upper mid back rounded vowel. *Comments:* This character was well established in earlier IPA usage (see *Principles* (p. 6)), but it has often

IPA USAGE
Cardinal Vowel No. 15: close mid back unrounded. The secondary cardinal vowel corresponding to Cardinal 7, [o].

AMERICAN USAGE
When used, same as IPA.

Fig. 1996b: Schmitter, Peter (ed.): Geschichte der Sprachtheorie, Vol. 5: Sprachtheorien der Neuzeit II. Tübingen 1996, ISBN 3-8233-5011-0, p. 315.

Showing use of EPA in referring to a work originally published in EPA.

OED

1989 The Oxford English Dictionary, 2nd ed., Vol. XI: Ow-Poissant. Oxford: Oxford Univ. Press.

Origin

1848 Orijin and ys ov de fənetic alfabet [Origin and use of the phonetic alphabet]. In: The Phonetic Journal 1848, 4–31.

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1887 Les sons du français, leur formation, leur combinaison, leur représentation. Paris: Firmin-Didot.

1926 a propo d nuvo sij [A propos de nouveaux signes]. In: Le maître phonétique, 3^e série 4 [No. 13], 13–15.

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A. Administrative

1. Title: *Third revised Proposal to encode characters for the English Phonotypic Alphabet (EPA) in the UCS*
2. Requester's name: *German NB*
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4. Submission date: *2011-10-18*
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- (or) More information will be provided later:

B. Technical – General

1. Choose one of the following:
- a. This proposal is for a new script (set of characters): *No*
Proposed name of script:
 - b. The proposal is for addition of character(s) to an existing block: *Yes*
Name of the existing block: *Latin Extended-D; Supplemental Punctuation; Number Forms; etc.*
2. Number of characters in proposal: *47*
3. Proposed category (select one from below - see section 2.2 of P&P document):
- | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| A-Contemporary | B.1-Specialized (small collection) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X | B.2-Specialized (large collection) |
| C-Major extinct | D-Attested extinct | <input type="checkbox"/> | E-Minor extinct |
| F-Archaic Hieroglyphic or Ideographic | | <input type="checkbox"/> | G-Obscure or questionable usage symbols |
4. Is a repertoire including character names provided?
- a. If YES, are the names in accordance with the "character naming guidelines" in Annex L of P&P document? *Yes*
 - b. Are the character shapes attached in a legible form suitable for review? *Yes*
5. Fonts related:
- a. Who will provide the appropriate computerized font to the Project Editor of 10646 for publishing the standard? *Andreas Stötzner*
 - b. Identify the party granting a license for use of the font by the editors (include address, e-mail, ftp-site, etc.): *Andreas Stötzner, as@signographie.de*
6. References:
- a. Are references (to other character sets, dictionaries, descriptive texts etc.) provided? *Yes*
 - b. Are published examples of use (such as samples from newspapers, magazines, or other sources) of proposed characters attached? *Yes*
7. Special encoding issues:
- Does the proposal address other aspects of character data processing (if applicable) such as input, presentation, sorting, searching, indexing, transliteration etc. (if yes please enclose information)? *Yes*
Special casing of Latin letters (see text)
8. Additional Information:
- Submitters are invited to provide any additional information about Properties of the proposed Character(s) or Script that will assist in correct understanding of and correct linguistic processing of the proposed character(s) or script. Examples of such properties are: Casing information, Numeric information, Currency information, Display behaviour information such as line breaks, widths etc., Combining behaviour, Spacing behaviour, Directional behaviour, Default Collation behaviour, relevance in Mark Up contexts, Compatibility equivalence and other Unicode normalization related information. See the Unicode standard at <http://www.unicode.org> for such information on other scripts. Also see <http://www.unicode.org/Public/UNIDATA/UCD.html> and associated Unicode Technical Reports for information needed for consideration by the Unicode Technical Committee for inclusion in the Unicode Standard.

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C. Technical - Justification

1. Has this proposal for addition of character(s) been submitted before?	No
If YES explain	
2. Has contact been made to members of the user community (for example: National Body, user groups of the script or characters, other experts, etc.)?	Yes
If YES, with whom?	
If YES, available relevant documents:	
3. Information on the user community for the proposed characters (for example: size, demographics, information technology use, or publishing use) is included?	Yes
Reference:	
4. The context of use for the proposed characters (type of use; common or rare)	Specialist
Reference:	
5. Are the proposed characters in current use by the user community?	Yes
If YES, where? Reference:	
6. After giving due considerations to the principles in the P&P document must the proposed characters be entirely in the BMP?	Yes
If YES, is a rationale provided?	
If YES, reference: <i>To keep them in line with similar characters</i>	
7. Should the proposed characters be kept together in a contiguous range (rather than being scattered)?	Yes
8. Can any of the proposed characters be considered a presentation form of an existing character or character sequence?	No
If YES, is a rationale for its inclusion provided?	
If YES, reference:	
9. Can any of the proposed characters be encoded using a composed character sequence of either existing characters or other proposed characters?	No
If YES, is a rationale for its inclusion provided?	
If YES, reference:	
10. Can any of the proposed character(s) be considered to be similar (in appearance or function) to an existing character?	No
If YES, is a rationale for its inclusion provided?	
If YES, reference:	
11. Does the proposal include use of combining characters and/or use of composite sequences?	No
If YES, is a rationale for such use provided?	
If YES, reference:	
Is a list of composite sequences and their corresponding glyph images (graphic symbols) provided?	
If YES, reference:	
12. Does the proposal contain characters with any special properties such as control function or similar semantics?	No
If YES, describe in detail (include attachment if necessary)	
13. Does the proposal contain any Ideographic compatibility character(s)?	No
If YES, is the equivalent corresponding unified ideographic character(s) identified?	
If YES, reference:	