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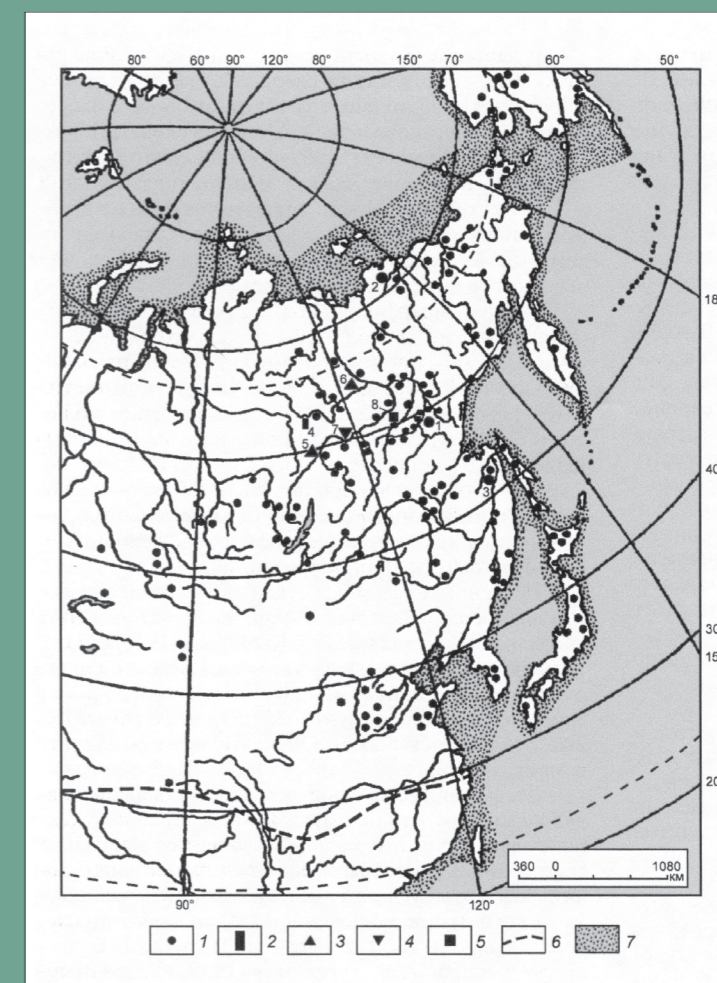
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[W]hatever the difficulties may be in discovering new truths through the study of nature, the difficulties of getting them accepted are much greater still (Lamark 1809).²

Knowledge is not given to man as a gift: he usually pays for it in deprivations and hard work. Perhaps, therefore, people so willingly become accustomed to once established though entirely false views and so unwillingly begin to examine and rework them (Gorodtsov 1980).

In order to begin to speak in one tongue, to understand one another and to work together, it is necessary at least to possess common knowledge (David 1982).

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