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ILIA AND THE PRACTICAL ISSUES OF THE LITERARY GEORGIAN LANGUAGE

The activities initiated by Ilia Chavchavadze for the settlement of Grammar issues of the Georgian language triggered the process devoted to the development of the literary Georgian language in the late half of the 19th c.

Among the forms under discussion were derived adjectives formed with -*ebur* suffix. Evidently, the editorial board of *Iveria*, newspaper, made efforts for the establishment of such adjectives through their active usage on its pages. In spite of the facts the -*ebur* suffix adjectives could not find footing in the literary language, the principle suggested by Ilia Chavchavadze is acceptable. He supported the activation of the word building means that had been worked out and applied through centuries.