

GUIDE TO BIBLIOGRAPHIES ON CHINA AND THE FAR EAST

Catalogues of Chinese Local Gazetteers

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SUBJECT HEADINGS AND STARRED ITEMS

I. UNION LISTS (pp.1-23)

(1-2 China)

**1. Chu Shih-chia, Chung-kuo ti-fang-chih tsung-lu (tseng-ting pen). 1958.

*2. Chu Shih-chia, Chung-kuo ti-fang-chih tsung-lu. 1935.

(3 Taiwan)

*3a. National Central Library, T'ai-wan kung-ts'ang fang-chih lien-ho mu-lu. 1957.

*3b. National Central Library, "Union Catalogue of Chinese Local Histories in Taiwan", Chinese Culture III, 1(Oct.1960), pp.155-212; III, 2(Dec.1960), pp.157-224.

(4-6 Japan)

*4. National Diet Library, Chūgoku chihōshi sōroku-kō, 1950-1964, 17 ts'e.

*5. Tōyō Bunko, Chūgoku chihōshi rengō mokuroku. 1964.

(7 Europe)

*7. Y. Hervouet, Catalogue des Monographies Locales Chinoises dans les Bibliothèques d'Europe. 1957.

(8 Ts'ung-shu)

(9 Encyclopaedias)

*10. Microfilm Collection (of Rare Books of the Peking National Library made by the Library of Congress)

II. INDIVIDUAL LIBRARY CATALOGUES (pp.24-48)

A. In China (pp.24-39)

11. Peking Library

*11. T'an Ch'i-hsiang, Kuo-li Pei-p'ing T'u-shu-kuan fang-chih mu-lu; and Erh-pien. 1933, 1936.

12. Palace Museum (Peking and Taipei)
13. Peking University
- *14-15. Academia Sinica (Peking and Taipei)
16. Nanking Library
- *17. Central Library (Taipei)
18. Nanking University
19. Shanghai Library
20. Shanghai Municipal Library of Historical Documentation
21. Han Fen Lou (Shanghai Oriental Library)
22. Fiscal and Economics Publishers, Shanghai Branch
23. Zi-ka-wei (Shanghai)
24. T'ien I Ko (Ningpo)
- *24a. Chu Shih-chia, "T'ien I Ko fang-chih mu pa",
Yü-kung 7(1937), pp.353-364.
25. Tientsin Municipal People's Library
26. Chekiang Provincial Library (Hangchow)
27. Futan University Library (Shanghai)
28. Wuhan National University
29. Hupei Provincial Library (Wuchang)
30. Tsing Hua University (Peking)
31. Port Arthur and Dairen Municipal Library
32. Governor-Generalship of Formosa (Taipei)
- B. In Japan (pp.40-45)
33. Tōyō Bunko (Tokyo)
34. Naikaku Bunko (Tokyo)
35. Tenri Library
- *35. Tenri Central Library, Chūbun chishi mokuroku. 1955.

36. Jimbun Kagaku Kenkyūjo (Kyoto)
 37. Kunaishō Zushoryō (Tokyo)
 38. Seikadō Bunko (Tokyo)
 39. Sonkeikaku Bunko (Tokyo)
- C. In the West (pp.45-48)
40. Library of Congress (Washington)
 - *40. Chu Shih-chia, A Catalog of Chinese Local Histories in the Library of Congress. 1942.
 41. Harvard University (Cambridge, Mass.)
 42. Columbia University (New York)
 43. Prague University
 44. Leipzig University
 45. School of Oriental and African Studies (London)
 46. University of Singapore
- III. SPECIAL TOPICS (pp.49-83)
- A. Area Studies (pp.49-65)
- a. The Central and Eastern Provinces
 47. Kiangsu
 48. Chekiang
 - *48a. Hung Huan-ch'un, Che-chiang ti-fang-chih k'ao-lu. 1958.
 49. Anhwei
 50. Kiangsi
 51. Hupei
 52. Hunan
 53. Hopei

54. Shantung

55. Honan

56. Shansi

57. Shensi

b. The Western and North-western Regions

58. Kansu (and Ningsia)

59. Chinghai

60. Sinkiang

61. Tibet

c. The South-western Provinces

62. Sikang

63. Szechwan

64. Yunnan

65. Kweichow

66. Kwangsi

d. The South-eastern Provinces

67. Kwangtung

68. Fukien

69. Taiwan

*69a. Huang Te-shih, "T'ai-wan fang-chih tsuan-hsiu chih kuo-ch'ü yü hsien-tsai", pp.675-691 in Kanda Hakushi Kanreki Kinen Shoshigaku Ronshū, 1957.

e. The Northern and North-eastern Provinces

70-72. Manchuria

70. Heilungkiang

71. Kirin

72. Liaoning
73. Jehol
74. Inner Mongolia
- B. Ancient and Rare Gazetteers (pp.65-76)
- 75-78. Sung, Yüan and Earlier Gazetteers
- *75. Chang Kuo-kan, Chung-kuo ku fang-chih k'ao. 1962.
- 79-82. Extant Gazetteers of the Ming
- 83-86. Rare Gazetteers of the Ch'ing
- *83a. Chao Lu-ch'ao, Kuo-li Pei-p'ing T'u-shu-kuan shan-pen shu-mu i-pien; and Hsiu-mu. 1935, 1937.
- 87-94. Lost Gazetteers of the Ming and Early Ch'ing
- C. Modern Gazetteers (pp.76-80)
- (95-100. Republic and Current Compilation)
- *95. Kurata Junnosuke and others, Tōyōshi Kenkyū Bunken Ruimoku. 1934- .
- (101-102. Hsiang-t'u-chih)
- (103. Taiwan Compilation)
- D. Miscellaneous Topics (pp.80-83)
- (104. Ch'ing Research)
- (105. Archaeological Monographs)
- (106. I-wen-chih)
- (107. Agriculture)
- (108. T'ai-p'ing)
- (109. Ssu-ku ch'üan-shu)
110. Dynastic Histories, I-wen-chih
- (111. Border Regions)

I. UNION LISTS

The following union lists are invaluable, in particular the works of Chu Shih-chia. Items 1 (or 2, with 2a) and 4, in addition to their value as union lists of holdings in China and Japan respectively, also approach the ideal of including all extant gazetteers. Nevertheless, for each library, they need to be checked against the individual library catalogue of our Part II.

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**1. Chu Shih-chia 朱士嘉, Chung-kuo ti-fang-chih tsung-lu (tseng-ting pen) 中國地方志綜錄 (增訂本) (Union Catalogue of Chinese Local Gazetteers: Revised and Enlarged Edition). 商務印書館 Commercial Press, Shanghai, 1958, 7 + 318 + 2 + 105 pages.

This is the first work to consult, both for its up-to-dateness and because it lists more gazetteers than any other work. Revised and expanded from his 1935 work (no.2), this union catalogue lists 7413 distinct gazetteers (excluding copies, but counting different editions for the same area as distinct). Including earlier supplementary entries and corrections to the 1935 work, 1581 extra distinct gazetteers are listed here, about 200 of them rare ones. Provinces with the largest number of gazetteers are Hopei, Kiangsu and Chekiang, Shantung and Szechwan.

This new work is basic as a list of extant gazetteers, for rare items in Japan or elsewhere, even though not found in the main 22 Chinese libraries covered, are still listed, where held being indicated in valuable notes. Nevertheless, for Japanese and other holdings outside China, one needs to consult other lists. This 1958 catalogue is thus most useful as a union list of holdings on the mainland. This is especially so now that several collections, private and public, have changed their name or been incorporated or amalgamated in other libraries (see Chu Shih-chia's preface; and the discussion of individual libraries in our Part II). The 1935 version is thus largely out of date.

The holdings of the following 22 Chinese libraries only are listed in full:

1. Peking Library (c.5000 gazetteers)
北京：北京圖書館
2. Academy of Sciences (Academia Sinica), (Peking, and Nanking branch)
(c.3500)
科學：中國科學院圖書館
3. Peking University (c.3000)
北大：北京大學圖書館
4. Peking Normal University (c.1000)
師大：北京師範大學圖書館
5. Institute of Minorities. (Peking) (c.1200)
民族：中央民族學院圖書館
6. Palace Museum, (Peking) (c.1200)
故宮：故宮博物院圖書館
7. Tientsin People's Library (c.2500)
天津：天津人民圖書館
8. Nanking Library (c.2500)
南京：南京圖書館
9. Nanking University (c.2200)
南大：南京大學圖書館
10. Shanghai Library (c.2000)
上海：上海圖書館
11. Shanghai Municipal Library of Historical Documentation (c.1800)
歷史：上海市歷史文獻圖書館
12. Zi-ka-wei Catholic Library, (Shanghai) (c.2600)
徐匯：上海徐家匯天主堂藏書樓
13. Chekiang Provincial Library, (Hangchow) (c.1000)
浙江：浙江省圖書館

14. T'ien I Ko, (Ningpo) (c.300)
天一: 寧波天一閣
15. Hupei Provincial Library, (Wuchang) (c.2000)
湖北: 湖北省圖書館
16. Wuhan University (c.1000)
武大: 武漢大學圖書館
17. Municipal Library of Port Arthur and Dairen (c.1700)
大連: 旅大市圖書館
18. Chung-shan (Sun Yat-sen) University, (Canton) (c.300)
中大: 中山大學圖書館
19. South China Normal Academy, (Canton) (c.500)
華南: 廣州華南師範學院圖書館
20. Fiscal and Economics Publishers, Shanghai Branch (c.1500)
財經: 財政經濟出版社上海辦事處圖書館
21. Futan University, (Shanghai) (c.700)
復旦: 復旦大學圖書館
22. North-east People's University (from 1958, Kirin University),
(Changchun) (c.500)
東大: 東北人民大學圖書館

The pre-war holdings of most of these libraries had already been covered by his 1935 lists, though sometimes in a different library or under a different name. The largest holdings are in Peking, though Nanking and Shanghai libraries are also specially rich in gazetteers. Some of the provincial libraries will hold more gazetteers than several listed above. Besides the 22 main libraries covered, rare items in 19 other Chinese libraries have been noted. For the following six libraries, the holdings of gazetteers of their own province have been incorporated in the main lists.