Following our listing of Arabic books available, Pat Hogan has now produced a companion list covering numismatic books on the Far East. All books are currently available from stock in the U.S.A. and, where sterling prices are shown, also in the U.K. If you have difficulty in obtaining them from your usual sources, ONS may be able to help you. Please let me know of any errors or omissions.

General: Coole, A.B. Coins in China's History, 4th ed. £8.75. £3.25. Surveys all Chinese coins and relates their issue to Chinese and western historical events.

China, general cast issues:

Cresswell O.D. Chinese Cash £1.50 Pocket sized listing - see review with October '71 Newsletter.


Coole: Vol. 3, Spade Coin Types of the Chou Dynasty £20. £8.50

Remmelts A.A. Chinesische Kaschmunzen £1.25. Pocket sized listing in German - see review with October '71 Newsletter.

Patalas Y. Chinesische Munzen von ihren Ursprung bis 1912 £7.50 Good general description in German

Ting Fu-pao: Li Tai Ku Ch'ien T'u Shuo (A Catalog of Ancient Chinese Coins) £6.00 (Chinese text) 2nd edition. Thousands of coin-rubbings including pieces from Japan, Korea and Annam.


Remmelts A.A. Chinese Charms and Amulets £5.00

China, struck series:

Kann E. Illustrated Catalog of Chinese coins (Gold, Silver, Nickel and Aluminium) £25.00. Note this excludes copper and brass coins, but has much valuable general information.

Woodward A.M.T. The Minted Ten-Cash Coins of China £7.50. Reprint - includes all then-known die varieties of these coins.

Chinese paper money:


Smith W.D. & Matravers B. Chinese Banknotes £15.00.

Annam: Novak J.A. A Working Aid for Collectors of Annamese Coins £5.50.

Lists all known Annamese coins and copies.

Japan:  J.A.N.A. Catalog of Japanese Coins (in Japanese) - post 1870 coins with mintages and values, also earlier paper money, and gold and silver pieces.

Korea:  Mandel E.J. Cast Coins of Korea ¥7.50. £3.50. Covers the period 996-1891 and includes a Korean numismatic dictionary.

Philippines:  Basso A. Coins, Medals and Tokens of the Philippines $5.95. £3.50

Tibet:  Kempf F. A Primary Report on Native Tibetan Coins £2.00

Siam:  Le May. Coinage of Siam ¥7.50. £1.75 reprint.

Little S. Bank Notes of Thailand $5.00.

Hong Kong:  De Sousa Standard Catalog of Hong Kong Coins and Currency Notes. £2.50.

East Indies

Malaya:  Pridmore F. Coins and Coinages of the Straits Settlements and British Malaya £2.10.
