# Paul Balog's The Coinage of the Ayyubids:

#### Additions and Corrections

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[PLATES 13-16]

SINCE the publication of *The Coinage of the Ayyubids* by Paul Balog (Royal Numismatic Society, Special Publication No. 12, London, 1980), numerous hitherto unknown or unpublished issues have come to my attention. Also, a number of errors crept into the publication in the course of editing and publishing, which will be noted in the course of this contribution. Errors or problems in need of correction or clarification, whether noticed by me or brought to my attention by others, are all included here.

The format of this catalogue of additions will follow that of Balog's work, and numbers used refer to the order of arrangement in that catalogue. Additions are made in the following manner: a capital letter before a number places the addition before the base number: thus, A627 comes before 627. A lower-case letter following the number places the addition after the base number: thus, 448a comes after 448.

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Specimens from the above collections will be signified by use of the last name. In addition, the following publications were consulted and are referred to by the abbreviations given:

MSES: Paul Balog, The Coinage of the Mamlük Sultans of Egypt and Syria, New York, 1964. Berman: Ariel Berman, 'The turbulent events in Syria, in 658-659 H/1260 AD—reflected by three hitherto unpublished dirhams', Num Circ. 84 (1976), 314-16.

Bālis: Gilles Hennequin and Abū-l-Faraj al-'Ush, Les monnaies de Bālis, Damascus, 1978.
Lowick: Nicholas M. Lowick, 'The Manṣūrī and the Mahdawī dirham. Two additions to Sauvaire's 'Matériaux', NC 143 (1983), 121–38.

Nègre: Arlette Nègre, 'Les monnaies de Mayādīn: mission franco-syrienne de Raḥba-Mayādīn', Bulletin d'Études Orientales 32–3 (1980–1), 201–63.

Nicol: Norman D. Nicol, Raafat el-Nabarawy, and Jere L. Bacharach, Catalog of the Islamic Coins, Glass Weights, Dies and Medals in the Egyptian National Library, Cairo, Malibu, 1982. Where numbers in this catalogue refer to a specimen also recorded by Stanley Lane-Poole in his Catalogue of the Collection of Arabic Coins Preserved in the Khedivial Library at Cairo, London, 1897, the abbreviation Kh., along with Lane-Poole's number, will be placed in parentheses just before the diameter and weight of the coin.

Shamma: Samir Shamma, al-Nuqud al-Islāmīyah alatī duribat fī Filastīn. N.p., 1980.

Corrections to introductory sections:

Page 3. Line 16 should read, in part, '... from 647 н, shortly before al-Mu'azzam....'

Page 30. Line 34 should read, 'In 643 н, when al-Ṣāliḥ Ismā'īl lost Damascus....'

#### CATALOGUE

al-Nāṣir Yūsuf I 567-89 н/1171-93 AD

10a\* Damascus 57x, fals, Album (23, 5.16)

Margin: mostly off flan, but ضرب هذا . . . ـ شق . . . ـ ين و خسـ

Outer border of dots, margin . . . وحده الا الله وحده

Inner circle of dots both sides.

#### Centres:

مب الملك الناصر الملك الناصر المعيل سف

- 19 Nicol 2264 (Kh. 1302, 22, 4.07). The date is definitely 570 H.
- 30 Correction: reverse centre الامام الستض
- 31 Correction: reverse border ends رسـو/ل الـله , and centre as corrected no. 30. Cf. ill. of ANS specimen.
- 31a\* Damascus 575, dirham, Album (22, 2.80). Like no. 31, but rev. segments: لا اله/الا الله/محمد رسو/ل الله
- 36ff. Correction: complete obverse margin inscription ends صلى الله عليه Nicol 2271 (Kh. 1323, not 1523, 20, 4, 35)
- 56 Nicol 2271 (Kh. 1323, not 1523, 20, 4.35).
  67a\* (Cairo), 586, half dirham, Album (16, 1.42).

شر شلاح Like no. 67, but with points

Whiting: Robert M. Whiting, 'A copper coin of al-Muzaffar II Mahmud of Ḥamāh (AH 626-642)', Journal of Near Eastern Studies 43 (1984), 247-51.

I should also like to thank Mr Nicholas Lowick, Department of Coins and Medals, the British Museum, for his kindness in providing information and photographs of a number of the coins herein listed, and Mrs Helen Brown, Heberden Coin Room, Ashmolean Museum, Oxford, for bringing a number of errors in the original work to my attention.

Lastly, several of the following specimens were made known to me by the late Dr Balog during a visit with him in Rome in May 1982, just a few months before his death. This article is sincerely dedicated to his memory with the hope that it may supplement his many contributions to Islamic numismatics.

Note that an asterisk (\*) placed immediately after a catalogue number signifies that the coin is illustrated in the plates. If more than one specimen is listed, the one illustrated will also have an asterisk placed after the source name, i.e. BMC\*

67b*	Cairo, ND, half dirham, Album ( Border segments:	15.5, 1.39). Square-in-circle. Border segments:	
	يوسف/بن ايوب/ضرب با/لقاهرة	لا اله/الا الله/محمد ر/سول الله	
	Obv. centre: الملك الناصر	Rev. centre: الناضر لدين الله	
67c	(Cairo), ND, half dirham, Album (16.5, 1.32). Like no. 67, but obverse: النا ص		
79	Correction: the fourth line under this number should read, ' issued copper coins beginning in this same year (583 H), which featured the title'		
84a*	Damascus 578, dirham, Album (19, 2.83). As no. 84, but obverse: سنة ثهان / وسعن [sic] وخمسمئة الملك النا صر صلاح الد		
89a*	Mule of Damascus 581 and 579, dirham, Album (19.5, 2.25). Obverse as no. 89, reverse as no. 86.		
90a	Damascus 582, dirham, Album (22.5, 2.94). As no. 91, but full dirham.		
90b	Damascus 582, dirham, Album (22, 2.94). Mule of two obverse dies as no. 90a.		
92	Correction: centre inscriptions ac be variety not noted previously): الملك الناصر صلاح الد نيا والدين	ecording to ill. specimen (or may الامام النا صر لدين الله امير المؤرجمنين	
93	Correction: top obv. centre اللك		
94a		1, 2.81). Rev. segs.: ا الله [sic] ا / لا الله Rev. centre as no. 94	
Page 81 Correction: bottom three lines should read, in part, ' from 583 H on the Damascus copper, Saladin is styled <i>Sulṭān al-Muslimīn</i> . The title <i>Sulṭān al-Islām wa-al-Muslimīn</i> appears on his Damascene gold of the unique issue of'			
97	Correction: reverse border segs. e Balog and Album specimens.	according to both , رسو/ل الله	
99a (Damascus) 587, dirham, Album (21, 2.92). Centres as no. 98.  Obv. segs.: Rev. segs.:			
	ن ايوب/يوسف بن ايوب/سنة سبع ثما/نين خمسماة	لا اله/_/ رسو/ل الله يوسف بو	

Mule of two reverse dies, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.34). Centres as reverse of no. 105. Border segs. on one side as no. 104, on the other as no. 105.

Damascus ND, half dirham, Album (14, 1.27). Obverse as no. 106.

Rev. segs.:

لا اله/الا الله/محمد رسو/ل الله

Rev. centre:
الامام

الامام الناصر لدين الله

109a\* Ḥamāh 581, dirham, Album (23, 2.81). Very crude calligraphy.

Obv. segs.: Rev. segs.:

ضرب/سنة ا/حد وثمان/وخمد . . . . يوسف/بن ايوب/ضرب/بحماه

Obverse centre as no. 113, reverse centre as no. 110.

116/117 Correction: the obverse centres of both are as no. 113.

117a Hamāh 585, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.98). As no. 117, but no ornaments on reverse, and obverse segs.:

- / ضرب بحما [sic] / سنة خمس / ثمان [sic] وخمسائة

118a Hamāh 585, dirham, Nicol 2303 (21.5, 2.78).

Obv. segs.: Rev. segs. obliterated.

ضرب بحماه /سنة خمس /\_/\_

 Obv. centre:
 Rev. centre:

 الملك الناصر

 ----- صلاح الدين

 امير المؤمنين
 يوسف

119 Correction: the second specimen illustrated in Plate VI is not that of the Yapı ve Kredi Bank, but rather is the brockage half dirham of Mr. Broome, for which a separate number should have been given (119a). It appears that the brockage was struck from the same obverse die as the Paris specimen.

120a Ḥamāh 587, dirham, Album (20, 2.95). As no. 120, but obverse

centre: الملك الناصر.

121a\* Ḥamāh 58x, dirham, Album (19, 2.16, ex-Berman). Mule of two obverse dies of type no. 110.

121b\* (Ḥamāh) ND, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.93). Mule of two reverse dies of type no. 110.

130a Aleppo 581, half dirham, Album (16.5, 1.04). As no. 130, but half dirham struck with dirham dies.

. سنة / سنة / وثمنين Album (23, 2.93). Date written .

- Aleppo 586, half dirham, Album (17, 2.46; 14, 1.48). As no. 131, 137a but date as Album specimen no. 136.
- Note: Aleppo 592 (sic) probably not die engraver's error, but post-142a humous issue. Decade of date written like coinage of al-Zāhir Ghāzī dated 591 and 593 (nos. 584 and 586). No other coin is known for Aleppo dated 592.
- (Aleppo) ND, half dirham, Album (16, 1.58). Struck with dirham 142b dies type no. 127.
- Damascus 586, fals, Album (25, 5.35, ex-Berman). As no. 146, but 146a and large floriations beneath both ضرب بدمشق سنة ست وثمنين: centres.
- Damascus 588, fals, Nicol 2315 (24.5, 5.72). As no. 147, but reverse 147a ضرب بدمشق سنة ثمان وثمنين :border
- A149\* (Damascus) 575?, fals, Album (24, 5.44). Marginal legends:

. . . خمس ؟ وسبعين وخمسمائة . . . بالهدى ودين الحق . . .

Inner circle of dots both sides. Large floriated ornaments.

الملك الناصر

يوسف بن ا

Damascus 581/2 or 4, fals, Album (24, 4.89, ex-Berman). B149 Outer border of dots on obv. etc. Margins:

. . . والعم (الناصر العز الدائم)

. . . ـ ق سنة ا . . .

Inner circle of dots both sides.

Obv. centre:

Rev. centre:

الملك الناص

يوسف بن ايوب

- Damascus 583, fals, Album (25, 5.11\*; 26, 5.99, both ex-Berman). ثلثة وثمنين وخمس مائة :As no. 149, but date
- 152\* Correction: date is 573, not 583. Album (21.5, 4.31\*; 22.5, 3.87). بسم الله ضرب بحماه سنة ثلاث وسبعين وخمسائة :Rev. margin
- Ḥamāh 573, fals, Album (23, 3.48). As no. 152, but centres: A152

الملك الناصم يوسف بن ا يوب

- Hamāh 575, fals, Album (22, 3.40; 23, 3.70). As no. 152, but rev. B152 ... and rev. ornament مستة خمس وسبعين . . . and rev.
- Correction: delete no. 135 and replace with no. 119. 153

A154 Hamāh 585, fals, Album (20, 2.97, ex-Berman). As no. 154, but ... الناصر العز الدائم ... ضرب بحماه سنة خمس :marginal legends ... مرمن and ornament beneath rev. centre: وثمنين. بحاه Hamāh 589, fals, Album (22, 3.37). As no. 161, but بحاه. A155 155\* Aleppo 584, fals, Album (22, 2.88). More complete description. Obv. margin: Rev. margin:

155a\* Aleppo 584, fals, Album (20, 3.26). Margins as no. 155. Lineate inner circle. Pointillate inner circle.

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الملك	الامام
الناصر	الناضر
90	40

ضرب بحلب سنة اربع وثمنين وخمسائة صلاح الدنيا (و الدين) يوسف بن ايوب

159 Correction: border and ornaments as no. 160.

in rev. margin. Bouterse. الفلس بدمشق 163

168a Mayāfāriqīn 582, Æ dirham, Album (25, 6.11, ex-Berman). As no. 168, but date: اثنين وثمنين وخمسائة.

175a Harran 587, Æ dirham, Album (25, 6.41, ex-Berman). As no. 175, . سنة سبع [sic] /وثبانين/وخمسائة: but date

181 .دولة امر Album (28, 11.82). Obv. reads as no. 176, but ends

182 Correction: rev. legend reads:

Note that there are several subvarieties of this type according to (1) whether the orb is held in the sultan's left or right hand, (2) the ornaments on the back of the throne, either as shown in the drawing on p. 103, or on the Ashmolean example in Plate X, or (3) throne without ornaments as on the Paris specimen in the same Plate.

182a No Mint 586, Æ dirham, Album (29.5, 12.34). As no. 182, but rev. marginal legend, as read counterclockwise is:

> ستة وثمنين وخمسائة الدرهم سنة ضرب هذا

182b No Mint 586, Æ dirham, Album list 30, no. 332 (28, 9.26). As no. 182, but rev. marginal legend:

> R ضرب هذا الدرهم سنة ستة وثمانين

The varieties in the foregoing copper dirhams of 586 H demonstrate that the inscription was punched into the die one section at a time. Hence, the date inscription varies from die to die according to the order in which the die-sinker placed each section.

183a\* No Mint, undated, dirham, al-Mawsil style according to Album (16, 2.98).

Obv. centre: Rev. centre: الملك الناصم لله صلاح الدنياً (وا) لدين لا اله الا الله محمد رسول الـ(له)

#### (al-'Azīz 'Uthmān 589-95 H/1193-8 AD)

- 192a Alexandria 591, dinar, Nicol 2323 (Kh. 1348, 19.5, 3.77), Nicol 2324 . سنة احدى وتسعين وخمسائة : 19, 4.53). As no. 192, but
- Alexandria 592, dinar, BMC 294 (20.5, 4.22); Nicol 2325 (Kh. 1350 192b . سنة اثنتين وتسعين وخمسائة : 20, 4.01). As no. 192, but
- 193b Alexandria 595, dinar, Nicol 2327 (Kh. 1353, 19, 4.19). As no. 192, . سنة خمس وتسعين وخمسائة :but
- (Damascus) 590, half dirham, Album (14, 1.42). As no. 202, but 202a . ضرب/ (بدمشق) / سنة / تسعين :. obv. segs
- 204 . ضرب الدمشق اسنة احد اوتسعين Correction: obv. segs. should read .
- 204a\* Damascus 592, half dirham, Nicol 2336 (18, 1.11).

Border segs .: Border segs .: . . . / وحد . . / . . . . . . . / بدمشق سنة / اثنين وتسعين /

Centre as no. 205 Centre as no. 213

Damascus ND, half dirham, Album (14, 1.32).

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Border segs.: Border segs.: . . . / . . . / (ضـ) رب / بدمشق لا ۱ . . / . . . / حده Centre: Centre: عثان احمد الملك الامام الناصر

Hamāh 592, dirham, Album (21, 2.85, ex-Berman). Obv. as A217\* no. 217, except date: بحماه سنة / اثنين وتسعين; rev. as no. 213.

Ḥamāh ND, half dirham, Album (17, 1.41). Border segs.: 219a\* ضرب/بحماه/عثمان/بن يوسف K/16/18/11/

Centres as no. 214.

220a\* Manbij 595, dirham, BM 1982, 4.24.1 (21, 2.83).

NORMAN D. NICOL Border segs.: Rev. segs. as no. 217 ضرب/منبج سنة/خمس و /... Obv. centre as no. 217 Rev. centre as no. 213, but without floral ornament. Correction: this is clearly a coin of Saladin and should be renum-221 bered 126a. Damascus 592, fals, Album (21, 2.56). Border segments: A222 لا اله الا/الله وحده/.../... بدمشق سنة/اثن وتسعـ/(ين وخمسائة) Obv. centre as no. 220 Rev. centre as no. 213 This coin cannot be dismissed as a counterfeit dirham because (1) at امير at dirham issues of Damascus usually have either the alif of end of second line, or الناصر divided between first and second lines and (2) no full dirhams of Damascus 592 are known for al-'Azīz 'Uthmān. Damascus 595, fals, Bouterse. As no. 223, but obverse margin: 223a سنة خمس وتسعين ضرب Add: based on Album specimen (21, 3.39), the date is probably 593. 224 al-'Ādil Abū Bakr I 596-615 H/1199-1218 AD 233 Correction: lower three lines of obverse centre are: ولى عهده الملك الكامل محمد غاية Correction: Khediv. 1361=Nicol 2343 (20.5, 5.30) has ornaments 263 like no. 262. Cairo 597, dirham, Nicol 2378 (19, 2.87). As no. 275, but date: A275\* سنة سبع وتســ/عين وخمس مائة (Cairo) date missing, half dirham, Album (16.5, 1.32\*); Bouterse. 278a\* Centres as no. 275, margins mostly off flan. Cairo ND, fals, Album (20, 2.08, ex-Berman). In style of Cairo 278b dirhams, as no. 275, with . . . الفا visible in top segment of obverse. at top and سيف at top and 280 at bottom, according to illustrated specimen. Damascus 599, dirham, Album (20, 2.97, ex-Berman). 281a

(محمد) راسول/الله As no. 281, but ضرب/ (بدمشق) / (سنة) / تسع / وتسعين / وخمسائة

Border segs.:

Centre as no. 281

Border segs.:

Correction: read 'as no. 281, . . . '

Centre as no. 286

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285a (Damascus) 601, half dirham, Album (13.5, 1.39). Six-foil. Border segs.: Border segs. illegible

Centres on both sides as no. 294.

- 286 Correction: should read 'As no. 280'. Note: annulets between arches of trefoils. Only found on dirhams of this year.
- 286a (Damascus) 602, dirham, Album (20, 2.99). Double trefoil.

  Border segs.: Border segs. as no. 286

  ضرب/-/-سنة/اثنين/ستائة

  Centres as no. 281.
- 287a (Damascus) 602, half dirham, Album (14, 1.46). As no. 285a, but: -/-/- اسنة/اثنـ . -/-/-
- 287b Damascus 602, half dirham, Bouterse. As no. 287a, but obverse centre:

سيف الملك العادل [sic] لدين

- 288 Correction: should read 'As no. 285'.
- 289 Correction: *rev*. centre third line begins ادين, not ادين, according to Album specimen (19, 2.92).
- 289a (Damascus) 603, dirham, Nicol 2352 (Kh. 1373, 23.5, 3.00). Margins as no. 289, centres as no. 296.
- 291a Damascus 604, half dirham, Album (12.5, 1.27; 15, 1.47). As no. 285a, but: ضرب/ـ/ربع/ستمائة.
- 292a Damascus 605, dirham, Nicol 2354 (Kh. 1376, 19.5, 2.88). Margins as no. 292, centres as no. 281, ornament ★ bottom obverse.
- 293 Correction: centres, according to Album specimen (20, 2.93) and illustrated coins, are as no. 281, but with ‡ under reverse centre.
- A296 Damascus 607, dirham, Album (21, 2.96); Nicol 2357 (Kh. 1380, 20.5, 3.03). Centres as corrected in no. 293 above, border segments: الا الله الا الله عمد / رسول الله ضرب / بد / مشق / سنة / سبع / ستائة
- 296a Damascus 608, dirham, Nicol 2358 (Kh. 1372, 20, 2.85). As no. 296, but without annulets in both centres.
- 297a (Damascus 608), half dirham, Album (15, 1.28); Bouterse. Although the mint and date are not legible, there is no doubt about the attribution as these are half dirhams struck from the same dies as the full dirhams of the same year.

298a Damascus (610 type), dirham, Bouterse. As no. 298, but obv. margin has . . . / ضرب/بدمشق and rev. segs. read clockwise with bottom of letters at edge, part read from upper right seg.:

... /حمد/اميرا/لمؤمنين

- 300 Correction: Khediv. 1365=Nicol 2361 (22, 2.89) has *rev.* segs.: ابو/العبا/س/امبر/...
- A301 Damascus 611, dirham, Album (22, 2.99). As no. 298, but date: احد/عشر/وستائة
- 301 Correction: according to Album specimen (21, 2.83), the word الدين should be at bottom of obverse centre.
- 302 Correction: Khediv. 1367=Nicol 2365 (20, 2.99) has date written عشر and ornaments & above and below reverse centre.
- 303a\* Damascus 612, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.96). Six-pointed star as no. 303, but centres as no. 302 and ornaments ∠ above and below obverse centre.
- 303b Damascus 612, dirham, Nicol 2364 (19.5, 2.97). As no. 301, but: منة / اثنتي عشرة أروستائة.
- Correction: delete phrase [No annulets, etc.], Nicol 2366 (Kh. 1368, 15, 1.50).
- 307a Damascus 613, half dirham, Album (14, 1.50). As no. 307, but obverse segments: ضرب/بد/-/ثلث/عشر و/ستمائة
- 307b Damascus 613, half dirham, Album (13.5, 1.53). As no. 307, but ornaments  $\Re$  instead of annulets.
- 308a Damascus 614, half dirham, Album (14, 1.52). As no. 307, but date: . . . / (عشر) اربع / (عشر)
- 309a Damascus 615, dirham, Album (20, 2.93; 19, 2.94). As no. 309, but unit of date: خس
- 309b Damascus 615, half dirham, Album (14, 1.47). As no. 307, but date: خس / عشر ة
- A310 Damascus 61x, half dirham, Album (13.5, 1.50). As no. 284, but partial date or date missing.
- B310 (Damascus) date missing, half dirham, Album (14, 1.34, ex-Berman; 13, 1.53). Struck from dirham dies of type no. 301.
- 310a (Damascus) 6xx, half dirham, Album (14, 1.46). As no. 310, but obverse centre as no. 287b, and Paris specimen illustrated under no. 311. See following note.
- Correction: the illustrated Paris specimen is not of this type, date not legible, but of type no. 287b.

Should be renumbered 312a.

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- A313 Ḥamāh 596, dirham, Album (21, 2.94). As no. 313, but date: سنة ست/وتسعين/وخسياة [sic]
- B313 (Ḥamāh) 596, half dirham, Al'um (14, 1.32). Struck with dirham dies, as no. A313, but date written: \_/\_\_/\_/
- 314\* Correction: according to Album specimen (21, 2.79), obverse margin: ابو بكر بسم الله ضرب بحمص سنة ثمانية وتسعين وخس مائة and reverse margin ends: صلى الله عليه Also, in Plate XV, no. 316-ANS 2 is actually an example of no. 314.
- 315 Correction: only reverse segs. as no. 314, obverse margin: بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم ضرب بحمص سنة تسع وتسعين وخمسائة

Obv. centre: Rev. centre: الامام الناصر الملك العادل لدين الله امرا العادل ابو بكر ولى عهده

لمؤمنين احمد الملك الكامل

- 319\* Damascus 598, fals, a second specimen, Album (25, 5.86), confirms reading of the Glidden coin.
- Note: Khediv. 1388=Nicol 2382 (24, 4.10) is correctly placed. Khediv. 1385=Nicol 2379 (23, 3.99) is not this coin, but should be placed under no. 351.
- Damascus 608/609, fals, Album (23, 5.07). Mule of obverse of no. 322 and reverse of no. 323, with legible date of (60)9.
- Damascus 608, fals, Album (23, 5.70; 23.5, 5.10, both ex-Berman). Bouterse. Both sides, a double hexalobe, the outer being lineate and the inner pointillate. Border segments:

ضرب/بد/(مشق)/سنة/ثمان/و . . . . فرب/بدم/[شق/سنة]/ثمان/وستمائة

Centres on both sides in pointillate circle:

326a\* (Damascus?) undated, fals, Album (24, 4.98, ex-Berman\*).

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. الملك العادل سيف الدين ابو بكر بن ايوب العادل سيف الدين ابو بكر بن

Obverse centre is five-pointed star within circle, pellet in each external angle of star, no centre inscription. Reverse has no border inscription visible. Reverse centre in reverse-loop border:

. . . . . اله ا . . . . . مد رسو . . . امام الناصر

This coin is overstruck on a type no. 322 fals. Two other Album specimens are (24, 4.68) overstruck on unknown coin and (25, 4.95\*) not overstruck, respectively.

327 Correction: the illustrated specimen (327-Ash 2) is actually an example of no. 328.

328a\* Ḥamāh 61x, fals, Nicol 2380 (Kh. 1387, 21, 5.02). As no. 328, but obverse centre:

بكر الملك العادل ابو

330a No mint, undated, fals, Paris (ined.).

Obv. centre (Kūfic)

الملك العادل Rev. centre:



Dr Balog believed this to be a Syrian issue. A fals with a similar reverse design, but with a three-line obverse:

الملك العادل سيف الدين ابو بكرى [sic]

has recently been published by Mme Nègre (p. 221, no. 32). It is dated 61x and is attributed by Mme Nègre to the Jazīrah.

334a\* al-Ruhā 615, dirham, Album (20, 2.92). As no. 334, but obverse centre:

الملك العادل سيف ابو بكر بن ايوب الدين

334b\* al-Ruhā 615, half dirham, Album (14.5, 1.47). Six-pointed star.

Border segments: Border segments:

لا اله/الا ا/لله/محمد/-/- ضرب/بالرها/سنة/خمس/-/-

Centres on both sides as no. 284.

A335\* Harrān 598, dirham, Album (21, 2.93). Reverse as no. 332. Obverse border: ضرب/بحران/سنة/ثيان و/تسعين/خسيائة

Obverse centre:

الملك العادل سيف ا لدين بو [sic] بكربن ايوب

B335 Harran 598, dirham, Limbada. As no. A335, but obverse centre:

محمد الملك العادل سيف الدين ابو بكر بن ايوب

Note: Nicol 2384 (Kh. 1386, 17.5, 0.82) is similar to the listed specimen but is copper not silver. The BM has only a cast of the coin, so the metal may not be deduced. However, there is a third coin in the National Museum, Jerusalem (no. XV: 1.22, 17, 0.82), also copper. It may be safe to assume that the coin from which the BM cast was made was also copper and not silver.

. خسياة [sic] Correction: all specimens with date showing have

363a\* Mint missing 594?, fals, Album (23, 5.55, ex-Berman). Obverse in lineate circle, with inscription as no. 313. Reverse margin:

Reverse centre in thick lineate circle: two ducks or geese with necks intertwined, facing away from each other, symbol  $\Diamond$  below. Cast, not struck. Possibly related to no. 330a. The same design appears on an Ilkhānid copper of Abāghā dated 678 of the Sinjār mint. (BM, unpublished).

### al-Kāmil Muḥammad I 615-35 H/1218-37 AD

Delete entirely and add Nicol 2386 (Kh. 1391, 21.5, 5.66) to no. 389. Lane-Poole was mistaken in his reading of the inscription.

397a\* Alexandria 631, dinar, Nicol 2388 (20.5, 6.21). As no. 397, but date: [sic] سنة احد وثلثين وستا

402a\* (Cairo) undated, half dirham, Album (13.5, 1.38). Both sides in double hexalobe, outer pointillate and inner lineate. No margins.

Obv. centre as no. 403 Rev. centre:

(الامام) احمد ابو العباس الناصر لدين الله امير المؤ منين

- A409\* (Cairo) 634, dirham, Album (21, 2.97). As no. 409, but date: سنة اربع و/ثلثين وستهائة
- 429 Correction: reverse segments: رسو/ل الله.
- 429a Damascus 617, half dirham, Album (15, 1.42). As no. 429, but date: مبيعة عشرة.
- 429b Damascus 617, half dirham, Nicol 2414 (14, 1.51). As no. 429, but margins: مسبعة عشر / وستانة .
- 430 Correction: move Khediv. 1417=Nicol 2418 (14, 1.52) to no. 431 (it is a half dirham) and place Nicol 2415 (Kh. 1416, 21.5, 2.93) under no. 430.
- 430a Damascus 618, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.99). As no. 430, but reverse segments: لا اله الا ا/لله وحده/لا شريك له/محمد رسول الله .
- . تسع عشرة/وستهائة :Note: Album (13.5, 1.46) has full clear date .
- 435a\* Damascus 620, dirham, Album (22, 2.97). As no. 435, but obverse segments: ضرب هذا الد/رهم بدمشق/سنة عشرين/وستائة.
- 440a\* Damascus date missing, half dirham, Album (14, 1.40). As no. 440, but obverse segs. begin at right: ضرب/بد/مشق.
- 440b No mint date missing, half dirham, Album (16, 1.47). In style of Damascus issues, both centres as no. 430.
- A441 Damascus 622, dirham, Nicol 2421 (Kh. 1419, 21, 3.00). As no. 432, except obverse segs.: ضرب بدمشق / سنة اثنين / وعشرين / وستهائة and reverse centre as no. 441.
- 444\* Correction: according to Album (22, 2.94), second line of obverse centre has ناصر instead of الناصر.
- 444a Damascus 623, dirham, Nicol 2423 (22, 2.95). As no. 444, but reverse centre as no. 450.
- A46 Note: as Ilisch specimen, Album (13.5, 1.47) date . . . /سنة ا/ربع عشرين.
- 446a Damascus 625, dirham, Nicol 2424 (22.5, 2.58). Border segments: بسم الله/ضرب بدمشق/سنة خمس/وعشرين وستهائة عمد/. . . /ضرب بدمشق/لا اله الا الله الا الله دومبتع as no. 449.
- 446b (Damascus) 625, half dirham, Album (15, 1.45). As no. 446, but date: سنة / خس / وعشر (ين).
- 447a Damascus 626, dirham, Album (22, 2.80). As no. 447, but obverse segments: (بسم الله)/ضرب بدمشق/سنة ست وعشرين/و (ستيائة).

448a\* Damascus 627, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.88\*; 21, 2.95, ex-Berman).

Obv. segs.: Rev. segs. as no. 448
ضرب بدمشق/سنة سبع/وعشرين/وستائة

Obv. centre as no. 448 Rev. centre as no. 449

- 448b (Damascus) 627, half dirham, Album (15, 1.46). Obverse as no. 448a, i.e. struck from dirham die. Reverse as no. 446.
- 448c (Damascus) 627, half dirham, Album (16.5, 1.47). As no. 446, but obverse segs.: سبع و / عشر (ين).
- 449a Damascus 628, half dirham, Album (13.5, 1.48). As no. 446, but obverse segs.: \_/مشق سنة/ثيان /.
- 450a (Damascus) 629, half dirham, Album (16, 1.47). As no. 446, but obverse segs.: ـ/ سنة / تسع /-.
- 456a Damascus 631, half dirham, Album (15, 1.43). As no. 456, but obverse segs.: ضرب بد/مشق سنة/احدى و/ثلاثين.
- 456b Damascus 631, half dirham, Album (16, 1.45). As no. 456, but obverse segs.: \_/مشق سنة ا/حد و (ثلاثین)/\_
- 456c Damascus 631, half dirham, Album (15, 1.41). Obverse as no. 456, reverse as no. 455, i.e. struck from dirham reverse die.
- 457a Damascus 632, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 457, but reverse segs.: مراوحده لا شراراً.
- 458a (Damascus) 632, half dirham, Album (16, 1.46). As no. 458, but reverse segments are: الله/وحده لا/شريك له. . . / ـ.
- 459a Damascus 633, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.96). As no. 459, but date: مثلاث وثلاثين/وستائة.
- 459b Damascus 633, dirham, Album (22, 2.92, ex-Berman). As no. 459, but date written: \_ \_ ق سنة ثلاث و/\_ . . .
- 461a Damascus 634, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.85). As no. 459b, but date: منة / اربع وثلا . . . / . . . .
- 463a\* Damascus 637 (posthumous issue), dirham, Album (22, 2.99). As no. 445, but date: سنة سبع / وثلاثين / وستالة .
- Damascus 63x, half dirham, Album (16, 1.44). Obverse as no. 463, reverse as no. 450, i.e. struck from dirham die.
- 463c (Damascus) 63x, half dirham, Album (12.5x14, 1.50).

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Obv. centre as no. 463

Rev. centre: الامام المنصور

- A464\* Damascus 630, fals, Album (22, 3.94); Bouterse. As no. 464, but obverse segs. begin at left: (ضر) /ب بد/مشق/ reverse segs. begin at right?: مسنة ؟/ثلاثين/و...
- 464a Damascus ND, fals, Album (21, 4.42). As no. 464, but reverse segments: \_/\_/~/\_? (630?)
- A469 Ghazzah 632, dinar, Shamma p. 161, no. 25 (21.5, 4.80). This remarkable, and possibly unique, coin is of the same style as the dirham issues of the Ghazzah mint.
- B469 Ghazzah ND, but 622-3, half dirham, Album (13, 1.45).

Obv. centre:

Rev. centre:

الملك الكامل ابو المعالى محمد ابن ابي بكر بن ايوب

الامام الظاهر بامر الله امير المؤمنين محمد

472a Ghazzah 625, half dirham, Album (14, 1.50).

Obv. segs.:

Rev. segs .:

(ضرب) بغزة/سنة خمس/(وعشرين) (لا اله الا)/الله/محمد رسو/(ل الله)

Obv. centre:

Rev. centre:

الملك الكامل الامام المنصور

- A473 Ghazzah 633, dirham, Album (23, 2.93). As no. 473, but reverse segments: ضرب هذا الدر/هم بغزة سنة /ثلث وثلثين/وستهائة.
- 473a Ghazzah 635, dirham, Shamma p.161, no. 28 (=Damascus Museum 5/14180).

- 473b (Ghazzah?) 635, half dirham, communicated to Mr. N.M. Lowick by Mr. R. Whiting, from a Syrian hoard. May be same type as Shamma, p.161, no. 29 (=Damascus Museum علم /3026, 16.5, —). As no. 472a, but date: خسر وثلثين.
- 477\* Correction: according to Album (20.5, 3.03), obverse centre not as no. 476, but as no. B469 above.
- 479a\* Qal'at Ja'bar 615, dirham, Album (20, 2.71). As no. 490, but obverse segs.: ضرب/بقلعة/جعر/سنة خمس عشر و/ستائة.

482a	(Ḥarrān) 623, fals, Nicol 2432 (2	22, 6.63). Segs. as no. 482.	
	Obv. centre:	Rev. centre:	
	الملك الكامل	الامام المنصر [sic]	
	بو [sic]	ابو	
	محمد بن بكر	' ابو بامر الله جعفر	
483a	Harrān 626, fals, Album (21, 3.08). As no. 481, but obverse segs/روعشرين)/ سنة ستة		
489a	Ḥarrān ND, fals, Bouterse. As no. 489, but obverse centre: الملك الكامل		
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	بكر	ابن اب	
489b*	Ḥinī 624, fals, Album (23, 5.43). As no. 482, but top segment obverse: ضرب بـحـنى. This is the first known Ayyūbid coin of this mint, located near Ḥarrān, which was originally rendered Ḥunay.		
A490*	al-Ruhā 615, dirham, Album (20, 2.95); Bouterse. As no. 490 (with reverse segs. as corrected below), but with date: منته / خس / عشر و / ستمائة		
490	Correction: reverse segs. on all specimens: etc. / الله/ الا ا/لله/ Y.		
491a*	Mint missing 615, half dirham, A Obv. segs.:	Album (15, 1.36).  Rev. segs.:	
	(ضرب) / ـ / سنة / خمس / عشر / ـ	لا اله/الا ا/لله/محمد/رسول/الله	
	Obv. centre:	Rev. centre:	
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	الكامل	الناصر الكالمان المساهدة	
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	Squared, ornamented Kūfic, not	unlike style of al-Ruhā.	
493a	Niṣibīn 633, fals, Album (25, 5.44). As no. 493, but date: سنة ثلث و/ثلاثين و ستمائة .		
A496	Qal'at Ja'bar ND (615-22), fals, Bālis 652 (19, 3.00).		
	Obv.	Rev.	
	الدين	ضرب بقلعة	
	الملك الكامل	الأمام الناصر	
	ناصر		
503	Correction: probably al-Ḥiṣn 63. Obverse segs.: (وثلاثين/وستائة)	3, according to Album (21, 2.93). ضرب بالحصن/سنة ثلنا.	

#### al-'Ādil Abū Bakr II 635-7 H/1237-9 AD

508a\* (Cairo) ND, nuqra dirham, Album (10, 1.14, ex-Berman). Both sides in single lineate circle:

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509a Damascus 635, dirham, Album (23, 3.00; 22.5, 2.92, same dies). As no. 509, but rev. segs.: مله محمد ر/سول الله.

510 Correction: rev. segs. according to Album (17, 1.40 — same dies as Berlin 633) and Bouterse specimens: اله الا/الله محمد/رسول/(الله).

Damascus 635, half dirham, Album (15, 1.40). Centres as no. 510.

Border segments: Border segments:

الا الله/والد الله/وحده/ ضرب/بدمشق/سنة/خس

511 Correction: according to Album (22, 2.76, ex-Berman) and illustrated Balog specimens, date is written ستة وثلاثين.

511a Damascus 636, dirham, Album (22, 2.78). As no. 511, but segs.: لا اله الا الله/وحده لا شر/\_/ \_\_\_\_ والمتاثة

512a Damascus 637, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 512, but reverse segs.: (سول الله)

513a Damascus 637, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.92; 21, 2.93); Bouterse. As no. 513, but obverse segs.:

[sic] بسم الله/ضرب بدمشق/سنة سبع ثلثين/وستما

513b Damascus 637, dirham, Album (22, 3.07). *Obv.* as no. 514, *rev.* as no. 512.

514a\* Damascus 637, half dirham, Album (17.5, 1.48). Centres as no. 510, border segments: لا الله الا/الله و/حده لا/شريك له ضرب بد/مشق سنة/سبع و/ثلاثين

514b Damascus 637, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.45). As no. 514a, except reverse segments as no. 510.

514c (Damascus) 637, half dirham, Album (15, 1.32). Both centres as obverse centre of no. 510. Border segments:

لا اله الا/(الله . . . )/\_/ارسله \_\_/\_/سبع وثلثين/وستهائة

515a\* Ḥiṣn ND, half dirham, Album (15, 1.49). Centres as no. 510. Border segs.:

لا اله/الا . . . / ـ / ـ ضرب / بحصن / سنة / ـ

al-Şāliḥ Ayyūb 636-47 H/1238-49 AD

Page 181 Correction: Lord of Damascus, First Rule [636-7 H = 1238-9 AD]

A534 (Cairo) 640, globular dirham, Bouterse. As no. 534, but . سنة اربع. . . .

A538\* Cairo 640, dirham, Nicol 2440 (20, 2.92).

> Border segs.: Obv. centre as no. 538

Border segs .: ضرب بالقا/هرة سنة/اربعين/وستمائة لله محمد راسول الله/-/-

Rev. centre: الامام المستعصم بالله ابو احمد عبد الله امير المؤمنين

Cairo 652, dirham, Album (21, 2.56\*; 20, 2.88). 540a\*

Border segs.:

الله محمد رسو/ل الله وحده/لا بسم الله/ضرب بالقاهرة/سنة ثنتي الله محمد رسو/ل اله الا اله الا

Obv. centre as no. 538

Rev. centre:

الأمام المستعصم بالله ابو احمد عبد الله امير المؤمنين

Early Mamlūk coinage is known with al-Şālih Ayyūb's name, but this is the first instance of a posthumous issue without the name of the Mamlūk sultan. Cf. MSES nos. 3, 4, 6-13.

- Damascus 636, dirham, Album (21, 2.36). As no. 544, but reverse 544a . لا اله الا الله/وحده لا شر/يك له محمد/ (رسول الله) : segs.
- Damascus 636, dirham, Album (22.5, 2.82; 23, 2.95). As no. 545, 545a but segs .: لا اله الا الله/-/... محمد/وحد لا شه (ضرب بدمشق)/وستمائة/وثلاثين/سنة ست
- Correction: according to Album (16, 1.44), obverse segs. are: 546 ضرب بد/مشق سنة/ستة و/ثلاثين
- Damascus 636, half dirham, Album (15, 1.48). Centres as no. 546. 546a\* لا اله/الا الله/و (حده)/- \_/مشق سنة/ست و/\_ : Border segs.: لا
- 546b (Damascus) 637, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.84). As no. 544, but date: \_/سنة سبع/وثلاثين/\_
- Damascus 638, half dirham, Album (11.5x12, 1.95). Centres as 546c\* no. 546, segs.: لا اله اله [sic] الله وحده / - / - - اضرب بد [sic] / سنة ثمان / -
- (Damascus) 640, dirham, Album (21, 2.87, ex-Berman). Segments: 546d\* \_/وحده لا شر / يك له محمد/\_ \_\_\_ / سنة اربعين / وستمائة

138 NORMAN D. NICOL Obv. centre as no. 544 Rev. centre: 546e (Damascus) 643, dirham, Album (22, 2.78). Obverse segments: \_/\_لاث و/-. Obverse centre as no. 544. Reverse as no. 551. 547 Additional note about the dodekalobe type. A specimen of this type exists in gold in a private collection, as communicated by Dr Balog. No other details given. Damascus 645, dirham, Album (19, 2.51). Border segments: 551a \_/ضرب بدمشق/خمس واربع . . . / . . . محمد رسو(ل) / - / - / . . . يك له Obv. centre as no. 551 Rev. centre as no. 538 Possibly a Crusader imitation. 552/555 Correction: should read 'As no. 549' in both places. 555a Damascus 646, half dirham, Bouterse. As no. 555, but hexalobe, not dodekalobe. 555b Damascus ND, half dirham, Album (14, 1.28, ex-Berman). Base metal imitation/mule of two obverse dies, type no. 546 and 549. 561a\* (Damascus type) ND, fractional dirham, Album (10, 0.63). Centres: الملك 566a (Ḥamāh) 6xx, fals, Album (22, 1.90, ex-Berman). As no. 566, but three annulets in centre of inscriptions both sides. 575a No mint 641 or 2 or 4, fals, Album (19, 1.85). Pointillate square both sides. Border segments: \_/سنة ١ . . . / اربعين / ستمائة \_/\_/محمد رسول/الله وحده Obv. centre: Rev. centre:

(al-Mu'azzam Tūrānshāh IV 647-8 н/1249-50 AD

Correction: on reverse, should read 'Centre:' 577

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al-Zāhir Ghāzī 562-613 H/1186-1216 AD

Correction: the line-drawings and descriptions of the design are re-581 versed, according to the illustrated specimen.

- 583 Correction: no ornament to left of غازي and third line begins بن الملك without *alif*.
- 586 Correction: according to Album (20, 2.95), there is an *alif* in third line of obverse: ابن اللك.
- 591a Aleppo date missing, half dirham, Album (15, 1.42, ex-Berman). As no. 591, but obverse segs.: \_/بحلب/سنة/\_.
- A592 Aleppo 595, dirham, Album (19, 2.41). As no. 586, as corrected above, but date: [sic] مسنة / خمس و/تسعين / وخمسهاة.
- 596a Aleppo 596, dirham, Album (20, 2.85). As no. 592, but date: منة/ست و/تسعين/ـ
- 597a Aleppo 597, dirham, Album (21, 2.98; 20, 3.00). As no. 596, but date: سنة/سبع/وتسعين/وخسيائة.
- 600a\* Aleppo 598, dirham, Album (19.5, 2.98\*); Nicol 2444 (20, 2.87). As no. 600, but obverse centre:

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- 600b Aleppo 598, dirham, Nicol 2445 (Kh. 1443, 20, 2.74). As no. 594 but date: [sic] ثيان و/تسعين/خسياة.
- 601 Note: Album (19.5, 2.94) has obverse segments: ئة ضرب/بحلب/سنة/تسع/و تسعين/و خمس ما
- Aleppo 599, half dirham, Album (16, 1.40). As no. 602, but obverse segments, beginning at lower right:
  ضرب/بحلب/سنة/تسع/وتسعين/وخس مائة
- 604 Correction: first two obverse segments for this and subsequent half dirhams are ضرب/بحلب and not ضرب/بحلب as on no. 602, unless otherwise noted.
- Aleppo 601, dirham, Album (20, 2.98). As no. 605, but margins interchanged with centres.
- 617 Add: 'Struck from dirham dies'.
- 623a Aleppo 612, dirham, Album (19, 2.96). As no. 623, but obverse segments: سنة/اثني/عشر/ستانة.
- 624a Aleppo 612, dirham, Album (19, 3.00). As no. 623, but obverse segments: عشر / وست / مائة [sic] عشر / وست
- 628a Aleppo 613, half dirham, Album (17, 1.42). As no. 628, but obverse segments: سنة / ثلث عشر / ست / مائة.
- 629a Aleppo 614, dirham, Album (19, 2.70). As no. 629, but obverse segments: مسنة ا/ربع عشر/ست/مائة.

- 631 Note: Album (19, 2.86) has obverse segs.:

  مثة ضرب/بحلب/سنة/خس/عشر/ستل.
  631, 633, 636–7, 639, 641–2, 644–6, 648–9, 651–4 should all read 'As no. 629' not '599'.
- 632a Aleppo 615, half dirham, Album (15, 1.49; 15.5, 1.48). Segments as no. 632, centres as no. 599.
- 633a Aleppo 616, half dirham, Album (15, 1.52). As no. 643, but date is: منته / ستمائه and ornaments are small diamonds instead of annulets.
- 635a Aleppo 617, half dirham, Album (15, 1.39). As no. 643, but date is: and upper ornament on both sides as no. 602.
- 635b Aleppo 617, half dirham, Album (15, 1.30). As no. 635a, but ornaments as no. 602 on obverse and as no. 633a on reverse.
- 636a Aleppo 618, dirham, Album (21, 2.77). As no. 636, but date: منة ثماران عشر /ستمائة.
- 636b Aleppo 618, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.46). As no. 599, but date: منة / ثمان / عشر / ستائة .
- 638a Aleppo 619, half dirham, Album (16, 1.36). As no. 636b, but date: منة / تسع / عشر / ستائة.
- 639a Aleppo 620, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.92; 20, 2.78). As no. 639, but date written: سنة /عشرين / ستهائة.
- 639b Aleppo 620, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 639, but date written: منة / عشرين / ست / .
- 640a Aleppo 620, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.40); Bouterse. As no. 640, but date: مسنة / عشرين / ست / مائة.
- 640b Aleppo 620, half dirham, Album (15, 1.44; 15, 1.45). Segments as no. 640a, centres as no. 643.
- 640c Aleppo 620, half dirham, Album (15, 1.45). As no. 640b, but ornament above reverse centre as no. 602.
- 640d Aleppo 620, half dirham, Album (15, 1.51). Centres as no. 599, date: (ستمائة) مشرين / (ستمائة).
- 641a Aleppo 621, dirham, Album (21, 2.79). As no. 641, but date written: مسنة احد/عشرين/ست/مائة.
- 644a Aleppo 623, dirham, Album (20, 2.89, ex-Berman). As no. 644, but: مسنة / ثلاث عشر / ين ست/مائة.
- 645a Aleppo 624, dirham, Album (21, 2.95). As no. 645, but date: ئة ضرب/بحلب/سنة/اربع و/عشرين/وستها.
- Aleppo 624, half dirham, Album (15, 1.37). As no. 643, but date is: اربع / عشرين / ستمائة, and ornaments are diamonds.

- 645c Aleppo 624, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.39). Centres as no. 599 and date: ـ/... سنة ار/بع.
- 647a Aleppo 625, half dirham, Album (16, 1.40; 15, 1.39). As no. 643 but date: خس / عشرين / ستمائة.
- 647b Aleppo 625, half dirham, Album (15, 1.21). Centres as no. 645c but date: \_/خس /.
- A648 Aleppo 626, dirham, Album (20, 2.87; 20, 2.90); Bouterse. As no. 599, but date: عشرين/وستيا.
- B648 Aleppo 626, dirham, Album (21, 2.89; 21, 2.88). As no. 599, but date: ضم ب ابتحلب اسنة است و اعشرين اوستائة.
- C648 Aleppo 626, half dirham, Album (16, 1.39; 15, 1.34). As no. 643 but date: \_. ست/عشرين /\_.
- D648 Aleppo 626, half dirham, Album (14.5, 1.37; 14, 1.39 same obverse die). Segments as no. C648, centres as no. 599.
- 650a Aleppo 627, half dirham, Album (15, 1.43; 15.5, 1.49). As no. 643, but date: سبع / عشرين / ستمائة.
- 650b Aleppo 627, half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.45). Centres as no. 599 but date: سبع/عشرين.
- 651a Aleppo 628, dirham, Album (21, 2.84; 20.5, 2.78). As no. 651, but date written: مسنة ثما/ن عشرين/ست/مائة.
- A658\* Aleppo 588, fals, Album (22, 3.69; 23.5, 3.61\*). As no. 660, but reverse:
- B658\* Aleppo 588, fals, Album (19.5, 2.78). As no. 660, but all legends retrograde on reverse.
- 659a Aleppo 589, fals, Album (20, 3.31). As no. 659, but centres:

- 662 Correction: replace 'Type E' with 'Aleppo 590 H'.
- Correction: according to Album (22.5, 3.40) and the illustrated Lavoix piece, all specimens have the *alif* as noted on the Munich specimen.
- Aleppo 597, fals, Bouterse. As no. 665, but obverse with an *alif* both at end of the first line and at beginning of second.
- Aleppo 599, fals, Album (22.5, 3.38, ex-Berman). Marginal inscription almost circular, broken only by tops of ornaments at top, bottom, and sides, begins at two o'clock:

Obv. centre: Rev. as no. 668.

اللك الطاهر الطاهر الظاهر غازى خازى

669 Correction: according to Album (22.5, 3.26), should read: Segments: Segments: فر ب/بح لمب/س نة/تس ع ضر ب/بح لمب/س نة/تس ع ضر ب/بح لمب/س نة/تس ع

Centre: الملك ا لظاهر غازى

669a Aleppo 599, fals, Bouterse. Centres as no. 665, segments: لا اله/-/(وحد)ه محمد/رسول الله \_\_/سنة تسع/وتسعين و/خمسائة

669b Aleppo 600, fals, Nicol 2461 (Kh. 1446, 22.5, 3.19). As no. 664 but date: سنة / ستانة / ستانة

Aleppo 603, fals, Album (21, 4.07). As no. 670, but obverse segments: ضر/(ب)/هذا/الفلـ/ـس/بحلب/سنة/ثلث.

Note that Lavoix 541 (under no. 670) appears to be this type.

670b Aleppo 603, fals, Bouterse. As no. 670a, but obverse centre:

[sic] الملك [sic]

Note: date on Album specimen (23, 4.10) reads: سنة / سنة / سنة / سنة / مائة

Aleppo 612, fals, Bouterse. As no. 679, but obverse margin in continuous legend not segments, and reverse segs. end: رسو/ل ا/لله.

Aleppo ND, fals, Album (29, 3.59, ex-Berman). Type as nos. 670–679, but date missing and overstruck on broad Rum Seljuq fals, probably of Kaykāwus I (607–16).

684a (Aleppo) ND, fals, *Bālis* 322 (16, 1.21). Six-pointed star. With overlord al-'Azīz 'Uthmān. No marginal inscriptions. Obverse as no. 600a, reverse as no. 587. May be struck from dirham dies.

685a (Manbij?) ND, fals, Bouterse. Outer borders as no. 658. Inscriptions in rather plain Kūfic:

مرهب الملك الظاهر م الملك النصر[sic] مدهم

ضر<sup>كاية</sup> ب الامام الناصر . . . مهمد . . .

Centre as noted in catalogue

### (al-'Azīz Muḥammad 613-34 H/1216-36 AD)

686a Aleppo 614, dirham, Album (19, 2.88). As no. 686, but reverse centre:

الناصر الحمد الملك العادل ابو بكر

- 686b Aleppo 614, half dirham, Album (16, 1.45). As no. 689, but date is: اربع / عشر / ستمائة
- 686c Aleppo 614, half dirham, Nicol 2466 (15.5, 1.42). As no. 686b, but date written: اربع / عشرة / وستمائة.
- 688a Aleppo 615, dirham, Album (19, 2.93). As no. 688, but date: خس اعشر و/ستائة
- 689a Aleppo 6(13–15), half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.39). Struck with dirham dies, as no. 686, but obverse segments:

ئة ضرب/بحلب/-/-/عشر ستما

- 690 Correction: Khediv. 1451=Nicol 2467 (19.5, 2.92), obverse centre is same as that of no. 691.
- Note: date on Album specimen (20, 2.94) is definitely 617.
- Delete entirely. This is an Artuqid coin of Artuq Arslān (597–637) of Dunaysir, with al-Kāmil I as overlord.
- Correction: should read 'As no. 689' instead of '694'. Also, according to Album (15, 1.49), first two obverse segments are divided thus: سنة / خس و
- 699 Correction: should read 'As no. 694'.
- 710a Aleppo 618, fals, Album (23.5, 3.61). As no. 710, but date written: مسنة ثماني عشر و
- A711 Aleppo 619, fals, Album (23, 3.28). As no. 710, but date: سنة تسع عشر.
- 713a Aleppo 622, fals, Album (22.5, 2.81). As no. 713, but date: سنة اثنى عشرين.
- 718a Aleppo 624, fals, Album (22, 3.29). As no. 718, but date: (... سنة اربعة (عشرين).

#### (al-Nāṣir Yūsuf II 634-58 H/1236-59 AD)

- 724a Aleppo 634, dirham, Nicol 2471 (22, 2.79). As no. 725, but date: [sic] سنة / اربع / ثلثين / وستيا
- 725a Aleppo 636, half dirham, Album (16, 1.32; 14, 1.48). As no. 730 but date: شين / ستائة / ست / ثلثين / ستائة.
- A729\* Aleppo 639, dirham, Album (22, 3.02). As no. 726, but date: \_\_/منة / تسع / ثلثين /
- 732 Correction: should read 'As no. 729' not '719'.
- 732a Aleppo 640, dirham, Album (21.5, 2.94). Obverse as no. 732, reverse as no. 727, but with 1, at bottom centre.
- 732b Aleppo date missing, half dirham, Album (15, 1.40). Obverse as no. 730, but date not visible. Reverse struck with dirham die as no. 727.
- 734a (Aleppo) 642, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 729, but date: \_/ اثنین / \_\_.
- 756a\* Aleppo, 65(6?), half dirham, Album (15.5, 1.49). Border segs.: -/ المالله/محمد/-/- (ضرب)/بحلب/سنة السنة المالله/محمد/-/-

Obv. centre: Rev. centre:

اللك المام الملك الملك الملك الملك المستعصم الناصر

Correction: Aleppo 653, fals, Album (20, 1.27). Type of no. 760, with centres same. Border segments:

Overstruck on earlier coin, probably of type no. 722.

- Correction: illustration of 762–Balog 2 in Plate XXXVIII shows this coin to be a third type of Damascus 648 H. It should be renumbered 763a and described as having segments as no. 762 and centres as no. 763.
- 766a Damascus 649, half dirham, Album (15, 1.51). Centres as no. 764. Segments:

-/-/محمد/- (سنة) تسع/واربعين/-

- 767a\* Damascus 651, half dirham, Album (15, 1.19). Centres as no. 764. Border segments juxtaposed:

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- 769 Correction: Album (15.5, 1.57), reverse is not as shown, but as no. 773.
- 770a Damascus 654, half dirham, Album (14, 1.54). As no. 773, but obverse segments: \_/\_/سنة اربع /\_.

- A771\* Damascus 655, dirham, Album (21, 2.71). As no. 771, except obverse segs.: من الم خسن الم الم and centre with بن at beginning of third line.
- B771 Damascus 655, dirham, Westphal 9151 (22, 2.78). Obverse segs. as no. A771, centres as no. 776; reverse segs.: مرار وحده / محمد رسول الله
- 771a Damascus 656, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.39, ex-Berman). As no. 771 but:

\_/الله/\_/\_ \_ \_/سنة ست/وحم. . . / \_

- 771b Damascus 656, dirham, Album (20, 2.83). As no. 771a, but obv. centre: الملك الناصر and rev. segs.: مارسول الله
- 771c Damascus 657, dirham, Balog. As no. 771, but date: سبع وخمسين.
- 771d\* Damascus 658, dirham, Album (19.5, 2.69; 21.5, 2.58\*, same dies). Another, Album (13.5x22, 2.82, same dies but struck on irregular flan, unlike first two, which are struck on round flans). Border segments:

- اعليه و ا . . . على . . . ا بسم الله / ـ / ضرب بدمشق سنة / ثيان خسين ستائة Obv. centre: Rev. centre: لا اله الا الله الا الله الا الله الا الله الا الله وحده لا شريك له صلاح الدين بن عمد رسول الله المالك العزيز محمد اللك العزيز محمد

- 771e\* Damascus 658, two-thirds dirham?, Album (12x13.5, 2.21). Same dies as used to strike no. 771d.
- 771f\* Damascus 658, one-quarter dirham?, Album (12, 0.70\*; 8x12, 0.62). Same dies as no. 771d.
- 771g Damascus 65x, dirham, Album (20, 2.97); Bouterse. Segments: لا اله/\_/\_/... الله ضرب بدمشقي /\_/\_/سين وستمائة

 Obv. centre:
 Rev. centre:

 لا اله الا
 الملك الناصر

 الله وحده
 صلاح الدين يوسف

 لا شه يك له (محمد رسول الله)
 [sic]

- 771h Damascus date missing, half dirham, Album (13, 1.24). Struck with same dies as no. 771g.
- 772a Damascus date missing, half dirham, Album (14, 1.54). As no. 772, but obverse segments: \_/ضرب/بدمشق/\_.

772b (Damascus) ND, one-quarter dirham?, Album (13, 0.57). As no. 772, but smaller fraction.

774a (Damascus) ND, half dirham, Album (13, 1.23). Obverse as no. 772, reverse as no. 774.

775a (Damascus) ND, one-quarter dirham, Album (12, 0.70; 13, 0.65). Both sides as no. 774.

775b (Damascus) ND, one-sixth dirham, Album (10, 0.47). As no. 774.

778a\* Ḥamāh 656, dirham, Album (20.5, 3.08). Border segments: -/الله محمد/رسول/- (ضرب بحياه)/سنة ست/وخسين/- Obv. centre as no. 753 Rev. centre as no. 776
Note: both centres in double lineate square, not one of dots.

Correction: obverse centre as no. 753, not as no. 778.

779a\* (Ḥamāh?) ND, dirham, Album (21, 2.87). Centres as no. 776, but with star ornaments. Obverse appears not to have any inscription in segments.

779b (Ḥamāh?) ND, half dirham, Album (15, 1.38). As no. 779a, without any obverse segments.

Note: the above two coins may be Crusader imitations.

782a No mint — undated, fals, Album (18, 151, ex-Berman). Border a plain lineate circle. The centres:

بن الملك الملك الملك العزيز العزيز العزيز وسف

782b\* No mint — undated, fals, Album (18, 2.31; 18, 1.85; 19.5, 2.35\*). Border: a plain lineate circle. The centres:

بن الملك الملك الناصر الناصر العزيز محمد الناصر يوسف

Correction: illustrated specimens do not show annulets above and below both centres.

785a\* No mint — undated, fals, Album (16.5, 1.67, ex-Berman\*; 21, 2.58—overstruck on Rum Seljuq horseman-type fals).

Obv.: pointillate square Rev.: lineate square within lineate circle, annulets?

اللامام in segments: الأمام الستعضم

No mint — undated, fals, Album (20, 155). Both sides in double square, outer pointillate, inner lineate. Obverse margin obliterated. Trace of margin on reverse: \_/\_/الله وحده/\_/\_.

Centre inscriptions as no. 785a.

785c Mint and date missing, fals, Bouterse (overstruck on indeterminate coin). Square-in-circle type.

 Obv. segs. illegible
 Rev. seg.:

 Obv. centre:
 Rev. centre:

 \* بالله \*
 \* يوسف \*

 الامام المستعصم
 الملك الناصر

 امير المؤمنين
 الملك العزيز

 \* غازى \*

785d Mint and date missing, fals, Bouterse. As no. 785c, but stars replaced by annulets.

787a (Aleppo) ND, fals, Album (19, 1.72, ex-Berman). Border — lineate circle within circle of dots. Centres:

Rev. as no. 787

الملك الناصر صلاح الدين م

Description of reverse: circle within hexalobe within circle, in centre is a standing bird to the right. Album (17, 1.47); Bouterse.

789a (Damascus) ND, fals, Album (21, 2.96). As no. 771, but mint and date not visible. Struck with dirham dies.

al-Afḍal 'Alī 582-92 н/1186-96 AD

792a Damascus 589, half dirham, Album (16.5, 1.41). As no. 792, but century of date written: خس مائة.

al-Şāliḥ Ismā'īl 635, 637-43 H/1237, 1239-45 AD

800 Correction to sentence after this number: Since al-Ṣāliḥ Ayyūb was also in Damascus this year, these half dirhams could also have been his issues.

800a Damascus 637, half dirham, Album (16, 1.19). As no. 800, but obverse segments: وستمائة / ضرب بدمشق / سنة سبـ (ع \_)\_ين.

802a Damascus 638, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 802, but date written: ثيانة / وثلاثين

804a\* Damascus 638, half dirham, Album (14.5, 1.45). Centres as no. 800. Border segments:

لا اله/الا الله/محمد رسو/ل الله ضرب بد/مشق/سنة/ثمان وشرالله

804b\* Damascus 638, half dirham, Album (15, 1.51; 14.5, 1.46). As no. 804a, but date written: ثيان وثلاثين.

805 Correction: should read 'As no. 798'.

Damascus 639, dirham, Album (20, 2.82). Obverse as no. 805, reverse as no. 808, but no pellets in legend.

805b\* Damascus 639, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.99). As no. 805a, but no inner lineate square on obverse.

805c\* Damascus 639/641, dirham, Album (21, 2.83; 21, 2.93). Mule of obverse as no. 805 and reverse:

المستعصم ابو احمد عبد الله امير المؤمـ

807 Correction: should read 'As no. 798'.

807a Damascus 640, dirham, Album (20, 2.94). Border segments: Obv.: مرب بدمشق . / . تساغه الله . / . فرب بدمشق . / . تساغه الله الرحمن الرحيم / لا اله الا الله / (محمد ر) سول الله الرحمن الرحيم / لا اله الا الله / (محمد ر) سول الله . اد / سله بالهدى دين الحق

Obv. centre as no. 799 Rev. centre as no. 807

Probably a Crusader imitation.

807b\* Damascus 640 (dated both sides), dirham, Album (20.5, 2.93).

Same obv. die as no. 807a. Rev.:

المستعصم بالله ابو احمد عبد الله

807c Damascus 640 (dated both sides), dirham, Album (19, 2.96). Obverse as no. 810, reverse same die as no. 807b.

810a Damascus 640, half dirham, Album (14.5, 1.46). Border segments: لا اله الا/الله محمد/رسول/الله ضرب/(بدمشق)/(سنة)/ Centres as no. 819.

810b Damascus 640, half dirham, Album (9.5x17.5, 1.43, ex-Berman). As no. 810a, but reverse segs.: لا اله الا/الله و/(حده لا)/شريك له.

B11a Damascus 641, dirham, Album (21, 2.74). Obverse as no. 808, but segs.: . أ. اربعين ستائة . Reverse margin similar to no. 808, but garbled and ending: . الله محمد . / . رسول الله . Reverse centre as no. 810.

812a Damascus 641, dirham, Album (21, 2.93). Obverse as no. 812, reverse as no. 810, but segs.: الله عمد/رسول (الله).

813a Damascus 641, dirham, Album (20.5, 2.68). As no. 813, but reverse centre as no. 763.

815a Damascus 641, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 815, but rev. centre:

الامام المستعصم بالله الملك الصالح اسمعيل

Note: Plate XXXIX, no. 815-Bal 4 illustrates this variety.

815b Damascus 641, dirham, Album (20, 2.96). Border segments as no. 815, but date: \_...

Obv. centre as no. 814 Rev. centre as no. 815a

815c Damascus 641, dirham, Album (21, 2.88; 20.5, 2.99; 19.5, 2.96). Obv. as no. 815. Rev.: مسم الله/لا اله الا ا/لله محمد/...

الامام المستعصم بالله الملك الصالح اسمعيل

- 816 Correction: according to Album (22, 2.91), reverse segments: بسم / الله / الرحمن / (الرحيم)
- Damascus 641, dirham, Nicol 2486 (Kh. 1460, 21, 2.33). As no. 816, except reverse centre as no. 509, a type used in Damascus during reign of al-'Ādil III. May be Crusader imitation.
- 816b Damascus 641, half dirham, Album (15, 1.46). As no. 810b, but date: سنة احد/اربعين and rev. seg.: مالله/محمد رسو/ل الله.
- 817 Correction: Album (20, 2.84) has reverse segments: [sic] لله الأ/الله حده [sic] محمد رسو/ل لله.
- 817a Damascus 642, dirham, Album (20, 2.97). As no. 817, but obverse segments: . . . ضرب بدمشق/سنة اثنين/ . . .
- 817b Damascus 642, dirham, Bouterse. As no. 817a, but reverse segments as no. 807.
- Damascus 643, dirham, Album (20, 2.87). Border segments:

Obv.: مرب بدمشق / سنة ثلث / واربعين / - Rev.: لا الله الا / الله وحده / ـ / له محمد رسول الله

Rev. centre as no. 813a

Obv. centre: الملك الصالح عهاد الدين اسمعيل بن ابي بكر

- 821b Damascus 643, dirham, Album (19.5, 1.91). Obverse as no. 821, with [sic] سنة ا ثلث; reverse segments as no. 808, reverse centre as no. 821.
- Correction: should read 'As no. 819, but . . .' Historical paragraph under description, second line should be corrected to '... (643-7 H).', and '... conquest of Damascus in 643 H, . . .'
- Mint/date missing, half dirham, Album (9x11, 1.25). Segments missing both sides. Obverse centre as no. 800, but with distinctive calligraphy; reverse centre as no. 798.
- 823b Mint/date missing, half dirham, Album (10x10, 1.15). Obverse segs. missing, reverse segs.: \_/\_/الله/\_..

Obverse centre as no. 798; reverse centre as no. 800.

The above two coins are mulings of one dirham and one half dirham die.

823c Mint/date missing, half dirham, Album (12, 1.16). Centres as no. 798. Struck with dirham dies.

823d Mint/date missing, one-sixth dirham?, Album (12, 0.59). As no. 800, but smaller module.

al-Manşūr Muḥammad I 587-617 н/1191-1220 AD

829a Manbij – undated, fals, Album (21, 3.98; 22, 4.27).

Rev. as no. 829.

ضرب: ضرب الملك العزيز عثمان الملك المنصور محمد بمنبج\*

830a Manbij — undated, fals, Album (19, 2.64). Obverse within plain circle: ..... Rev. border as no. 830:

الملك الظاهر الملك المنصور

ضرب الامام الناص لدين الله

منبج

831a No mint — undated, fals, *Bālis* 320 (19, 1.56); 321 (19, 3.21).

Rev .:

الملك العزيز عثمان :.Obv الملك المنصور محمد

المؤ الامام

الناصر منين

831b No mint — undated, fals, Album (21, 3.80). Obverse as no. 830; reverse:

### (I-Muzaffar Maḥmūd II 626-42 H/1229-43 AD

834a\* No mint — undated, fals, Album (18, 1.78\*; 20, 1.43\*); *Bālis*, 697-9 (18.5, 1.52; 18, 1.62; 18, 1.30); Brit. Mus. 1981, 8.5.25 (20, 2.12); Westphal 10730 (18, 2.01); Whiting (19.1, 1.85). Another specimen, Nicol 2501 (20, 2.22), was erroneously attributed to the Mamlūk al-Muzaffar Qutuz.

Overlord: al-Nāṣir Yūsuf II. Six-pointed star with pellets in each corner. No margins.

الملك :.Rev الملك :.Obv

These are the first coins attributed to this ruler. In his article, Whiting argues convincingly for this attribution.

# al-Manşūr Muḥammad II 642-83 H/1243-84 AD

A835\* (Ḥamāh) 658, dirham, Limbada (21, 2.20). Square-in-circle type. Overlord: the Mamlūk sultan al-Muzaffar Qutuz (657–8 H).

 Obv. segments:
 Rev. segments:

 لا اله الا ا/لله وحده/\_/\_
 \_/سنة ثيان/وخسين/وستيائة

 Obv. centre:
 Rev. centre:

 الملك المنطفر
 الملك المظفر

 ناصر الدنيا
 سيف الدنيا

 والدين محمد
 والدين محمد

Mr Nicholas Lowick kindly brought this remarkable coin to my attention. He relates that al-Manṣūr was here given the title Nāṣir al-Dīn, rather than the usual Sayf al-Dīn, presumably to distinguish him from Quṭuz, who bore the same *laqab*. This coin was probably struck shortly after the battle of 'Ayn Jālūt, in which al-Manṣūr supported Quṭuz against the Mongols. Cf. the dirhams of Baybars, discussed by Berman, op.cit., and the following coin.

B835\* (Ḥamāh) 6xx, dirham, Album (20, 2.90, ex-Berman, loc. cit, p. 315, no. 2). Overlord: the Mamlūk sultan al-Zāhir Baybars (658-76).

Border segments:

لا اله ا/لا الله/محمد . . . / . ضرب/-/-/ستمائة Obv. centre: Rev. centre as no. A835 الملك الظاهر ركن الدنيا والدين (بيبرس)

Cf. MSES, no. 48, which is the earliest recorded purely Mamlūk coin of Ḥamāh, dated 660 H.

837a No mint — undated, fals, Brit. Mus. — 1981, 8.5.19 (21, 1.41), Centres as no. 835, obverse in pointillate square, reverse in lineate square.

### al-Awḥad Ayyūb 596-607 H/1199-1210 AD

Correction: legends incorrect according to Album (26.5, 7.61) illustrated pieces. They actually read:

ضرب بما فرقين سنة تسع وتسعين وخمسائة هاجرية :. Rev .: الملك العادل/سيف الدين/ابو بكر بن ايوب

846a\* (Khilāṭ) 608 [sic], dirham, Album (19.5, 2.87). Centres and obverse segments as no. 846; reverse segs.: [sic] ضرب (خلاط)/-/ثيان/ستهاة

# al-Ashraf Mūsā 607-17 H/1210-20 AD

- 847\* Correction: mint is Akhlāṭ, not Mayāfāriqīn. Album (19, 2.92). Obverse seg.: ضرب/اخلاط/سنة/خمس/عشرو/. Should be no. A861.
- 861a (Akhlāṭ?) 617, half dirham, Album (14, 1.46). As no. 861.
- Mayāfāriqīn 6xx, Æ dirham, Bouterse. Centres as no. 862, segments interchanged, with obverse segs. beginning at top:
  -/\_/ and all inscriptions in Kūfic.
- 871 Correction: last line of obverse centre reads: مل محمد بن غازى. Whiting, p. 249, n. 9.
- After 876 Correction: at top of page 265, should read:
  Мауа́fariqīn 644 н and After [Kaykāwus ruled 644-7, 655-8]
  Whiting, loc. cit.

### al-Muwaḥḥid 'Abd Allāh 647-59 H/1249-60 AD

890b Mint date missing, fals, Album (24, 3.28). Obverse margin obscure; reverse margin begins: . . . . . فرب هذا

Obv. centre: قا ا ن الاعظم هو لا(كو ايلخان) المعظم Rev. centre: الموحد . لا اله الا الله . وحده لا شريك له محمد رسول الله . عبد الله ؟ .

891 Correction: Album (25.5, 4.58) has as bottom line on reverse centre: ٩ . . . ابي بكر الـ

### (al-'Ādil Aḥmad ?-836 H/?-1432 AD)

903a\* Hiṣn — undated, two dirhams or tanka, Album (27, 4.30). Obverse border of pellets, within which a lineate multilobe. Reverse, a lineate square within lineate circle; segs.: على / ابو بكر / عمر / عثمان

 Obv. centre:
 Rev. centre:

 ن
 السلطا العـ(ادل)

 لا اله الا الله
 اف
 بن

 اف
 بن

 عمد رسول الله
 اشر
 احمد سلیمـ(ان)

 صلی الله علیه
 خلد الله ملکـ(ه)

 حصن
 حصن

All inscriptions in angular Kūfic, except (اشرف احمد سليم which is in Naskh.

# al-Kāmil Khalīl I 836-56 H/1432-52 AD

Before 908 Correction: AD dates should read as above, not 1249-59.

912a\* Hiṣn — date missing, dirham, Album (18, 2.75). Segments on both sides illegible. Obverse, curved hexagram with small cartouches along each side. Reverse, two circles separated by six centrepointed annulets. Derived from Hiṣn 745 H type of the Ilkhānid ruler Sulaymān (739-46 H). Centres:

الله الله الا خليل احمد (بن) الله الا الله الله عمد سليهان خلد (الله ملكه) (رسول الله)

al-'Ādil Khalaf ?-866 н/?-1461 AD

922a\* Ḥiṣn — undated, fals, Album (20, 1.81). Obv.:

السلطا العادل العادل العادل خلف

Rev.: hexagram with hexagon centre, within which:

حصن ضرب

### (al-Mu'azzam Tūrānshāh I 569-75 н/1173-9 AD

A927 'Adan 571, dinar, Muscat? Similar to no. 571, but with date:

و مند احدى و Communicated to Mr Lowick by the Department of Antiquities, Muscat. Said to have been found in the Salalah region of Dhofar.

# al-Nāṣir Ayyūb 598-611 H/1201-14 AD

A949 Ta'izz 608, dirham, Album (22, 1.93; 21, 1.83). As no. 949, but obverse margin as no. 948.

Orrection: Album (22, 1.95) and *BMC* specimen show obverse margin as no. 948.

960a Zabīd 608, dirham, Album (23, 1.95). As no. 962, but date: [sic] سنة ثمن و ستاة

968a 'Adan 609, dirham, Album (22, 2.12; 22, 2.03). As no. 968, but date: [sic] سنة تسع و ستياة.

# (al-Mas'ūd Yūsuf 612-26 H/1215-28 AD)

1008a\* Şa'dah(?) 615, dirham, Webdale (23, 2.09). As no. 989, but: يصعدة ؟ سنة خس عشرة ستائة

Commemorates al-Mas'ūd's expedition to the highlands of Yemen in this year, according to Mr Lowick (NC 1983, 127). The mint is questionable; it may in reality be Ṣan'ā, as was believed by Balog.

1009 Correction: according to Album (20, 2.24), centres read:

بمـ ؟ المنصور ابـ(ـو) جـ(ـعفر) رو المـلك المستنصر . . . امير المؤ . . .

Page 307 Correction: delete the name 'Saladin' after no. 612.

Page 323 Correction: under year 580, Ramlah (Cat. no. 164) is AR not Cu.



NICOL BALOG'S AYYUBIDS (1)



NICOL, BALOG'S AYYUBIDS (2)



NICOL, BALOG'S AYYUBIDS (3)



NICOL, BALOG'S AYYUBIDS (4)