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PREFACE BY THE KEEPER OF COINS.

THE present volume of the Catalogue of the Greek Coins in the British Museum (the twenty-third of the series begun in 1873) describes the coinage of Parthia.

The size of the coins is given in inches and tenths, and the weight in English grains. Tables for converting grains into grammes and inches into millimètres, as well as into the measures of Mionnet's scale, are placed at the end of the volume. A map has been prefixed showing the Empire of Parthia at its greatest extent.

Besides the usual indexes of types, symbols, &c., this volume contains the following Tables:—A. List of Parthian kings, with dates. B. List of the regal titles found on Parthian coins. C. The Parthian months. D. Years of the Seleucid Era with the corresponding years of the Christian Era.

The whole work has been written by Mr. Warwick Wroth, the Senior Assistant in the Department of Coins and Medals. I have carefully read the proof sheets, and have (with the assistance of Mr. G. F. Hill) compared the coins with the descriptions in the text.

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