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PINYIN / TERM	CHINESE	ENGLISH / MEANING
Anyang	安阳	City in northern Henan where the Shang period Yin Ruins are located
Baoji	宝鸡	Another city in Shaanxi
Chongqing	重庆	Former wartime capital of China also known as Chungking
Dadu River	大渡河	Another tributary of the Yangzi
Dujiangyan	都江堰	One of the greatest civil irrigation projects in human history that provided benefits to hundreds of millions of people since it was built in 256 BCE
Dunhuang	敦煌	Great trading city and center for Buddhist learning
Hanzhong	汉中	City in Shaanxi
Huang Xingzong	黄兴宗	H.T. Huang, collaborated with Needham on Science and Civilization
Héxī Corridor	河西走廊	The geographic region running east and west inside Gansu Province. It was an ancient road from thousands of years ago
Jianqiao Daxue yu Zhongguo Daxue hezuo weiyuanhui	剑桥大学与中国大学合作委员会	Sino-British Scientific Cooperation Office
Jiayuguan	嘉峪关	End of the line as far as the Great Wall went
Li Bing	李冰	The official credited with overseeing the entire Dujiangyan project
Liao Hongying	廖鸿英	Chemist, Worked for British Council in Chengdu
Lizhuang	李庄	City in Anhui located on the banks of the Yangzi
Lu Guizhen	鲁桂珍	(1904-1991) Biochemist and long-time assistant and muse to Needham. Also his 2nd wife.
Lu Shiguo	鲁仕国	Father of Lu Guizhen

Luo Zhongshu	罗忠恕	(1903-1985) Scholar who got the word out in the west about China's suffering under Japan
luohou	落后	backwards
Lushan	芦山	City in Sichuan near Ya'an, (written in the book as Loushan)
Min River	岷江	Great river of China where Dujiangyan is located
Mogao Caves	莫高窟	The caves at Dunhuang where so much Buddhist treasure was found
Nanbei Chao	南北朝	(420-589) The Northern and Southern Dynasties Period
Northern Zhou	北周	(557-581) A northern Dynasty during the Northern & Southern Dynasties Period
Qin Shihuang	秦始皇	The Qin emperor
Shaanxi	陕西	One of the great ancient provinces of China
Shu Kingdom	蜀国	The Kingdom located in and around where present-day Chengdu is located
Shuangshipu	双石铺	A town near Baoji in Shaanxi
Wang Yuanlu	王圆篆	The guy who got duped into selling 24 wagon loads of treasure, including the Diamond Sutra to Aurel Stein for about 220 quid
Yang Jian	杨坚	Former Northern Zhou official who went on to found the Sui Dynasty
Zhongguo Kexue jishu shi	中国科学技术史	Science and Civilization in China