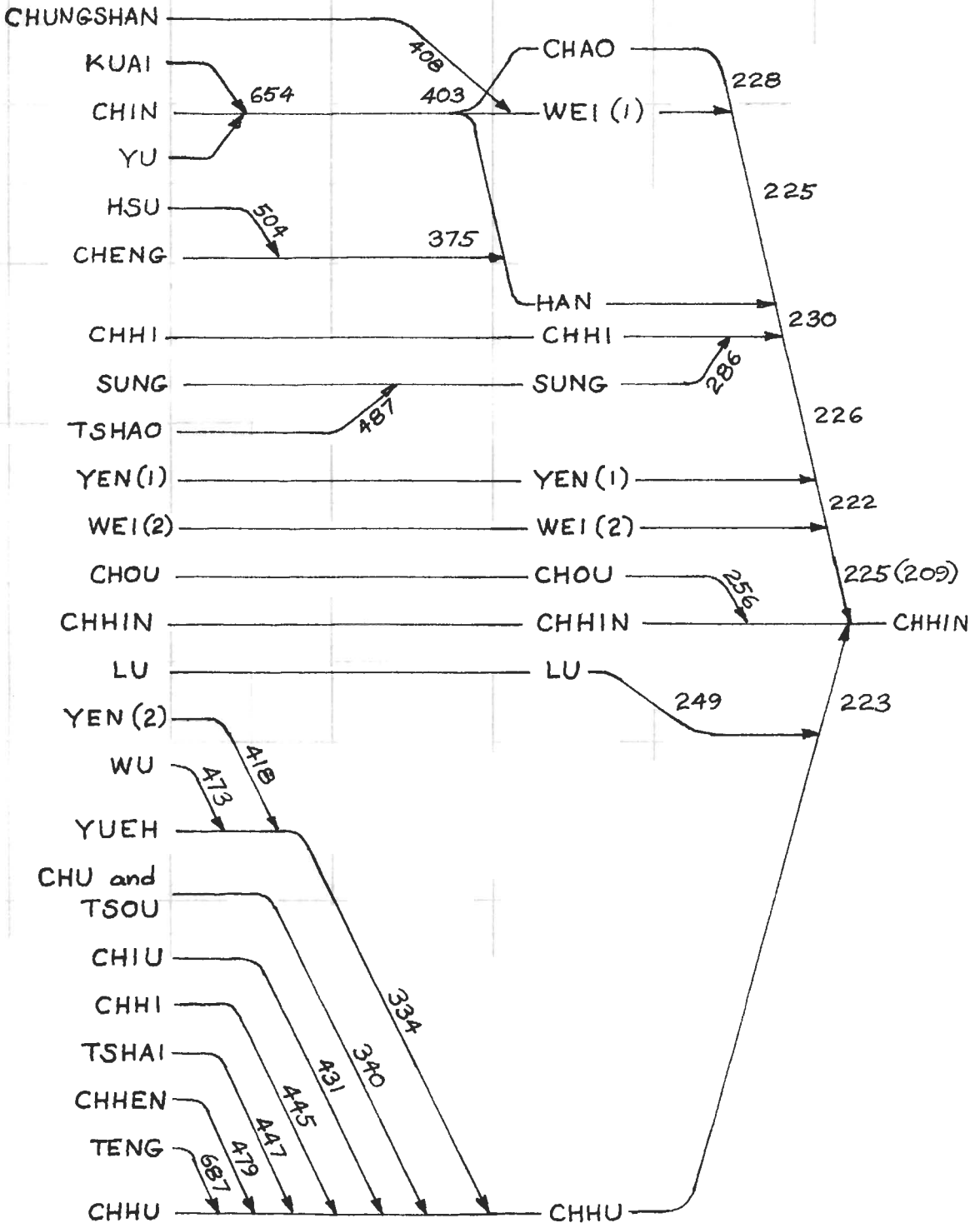


# FEUDAL STATES of the CHOU PERIOD

MIDDLE PERIOD  
(c 600 BCE)

LATE PERIOD  
(c 330 BCE)

END  
(c 225 BCE)



1122 ————— 771 ————— 256

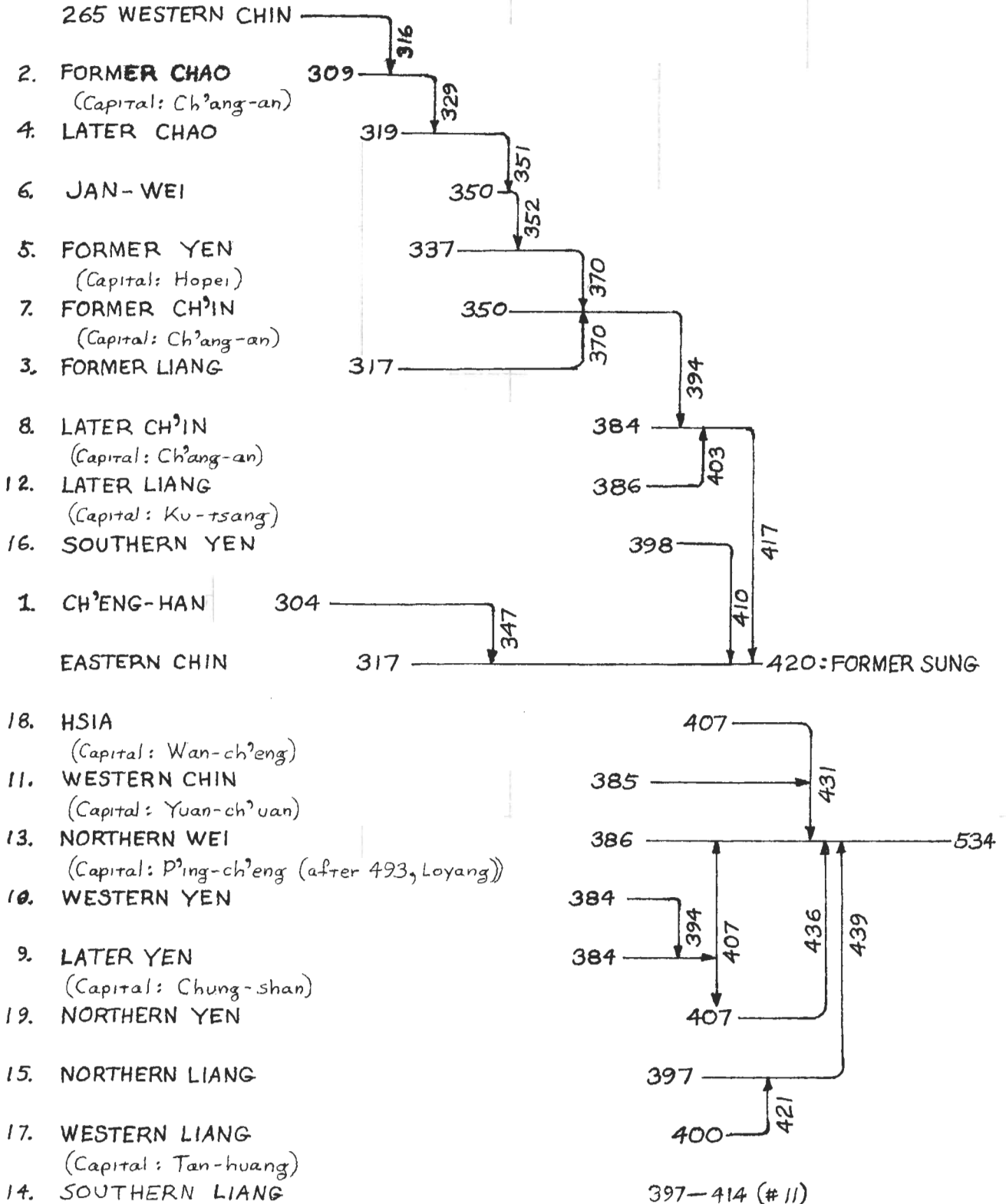
Western Chou                      Eastern Chou

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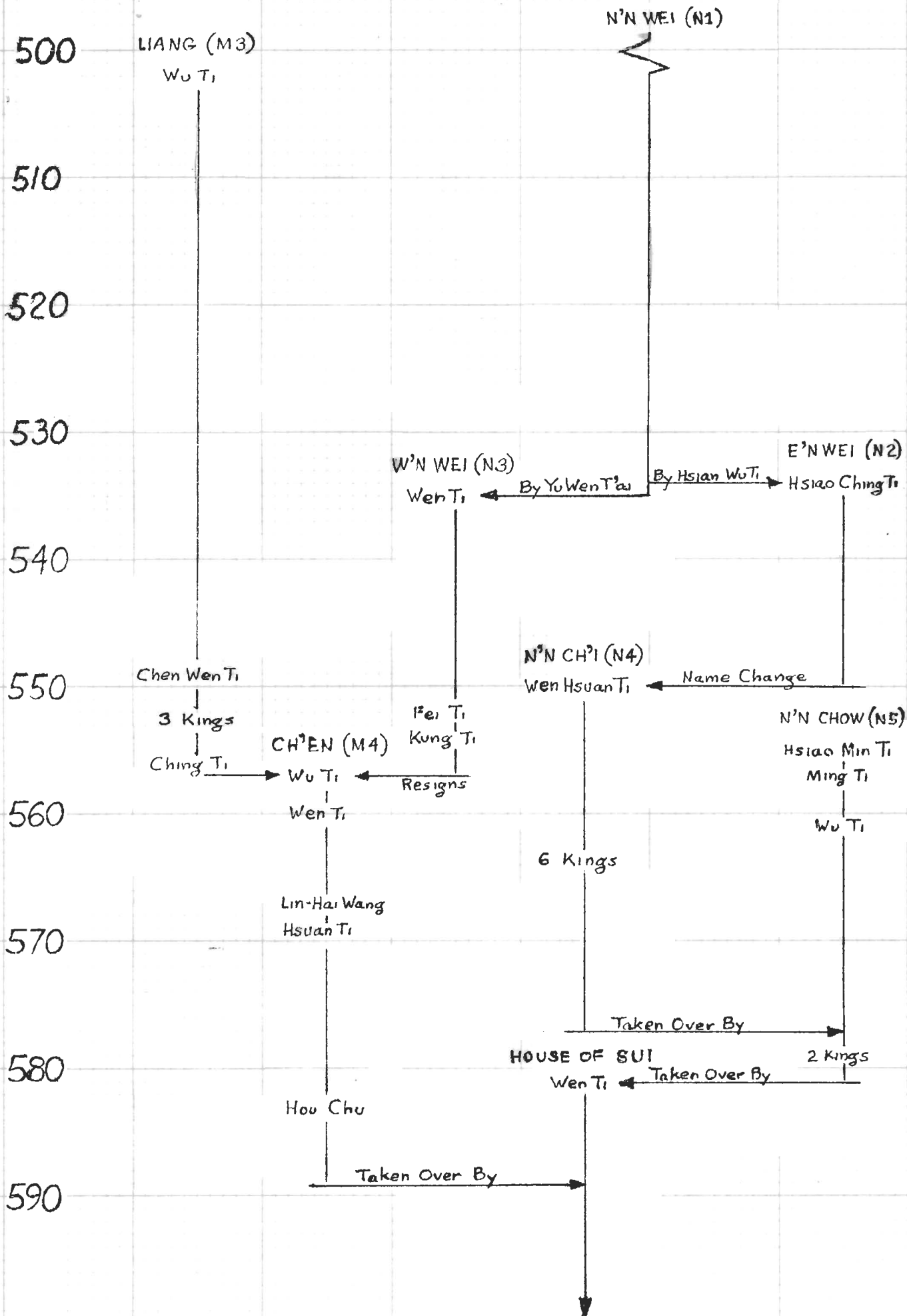
Period of Warring States

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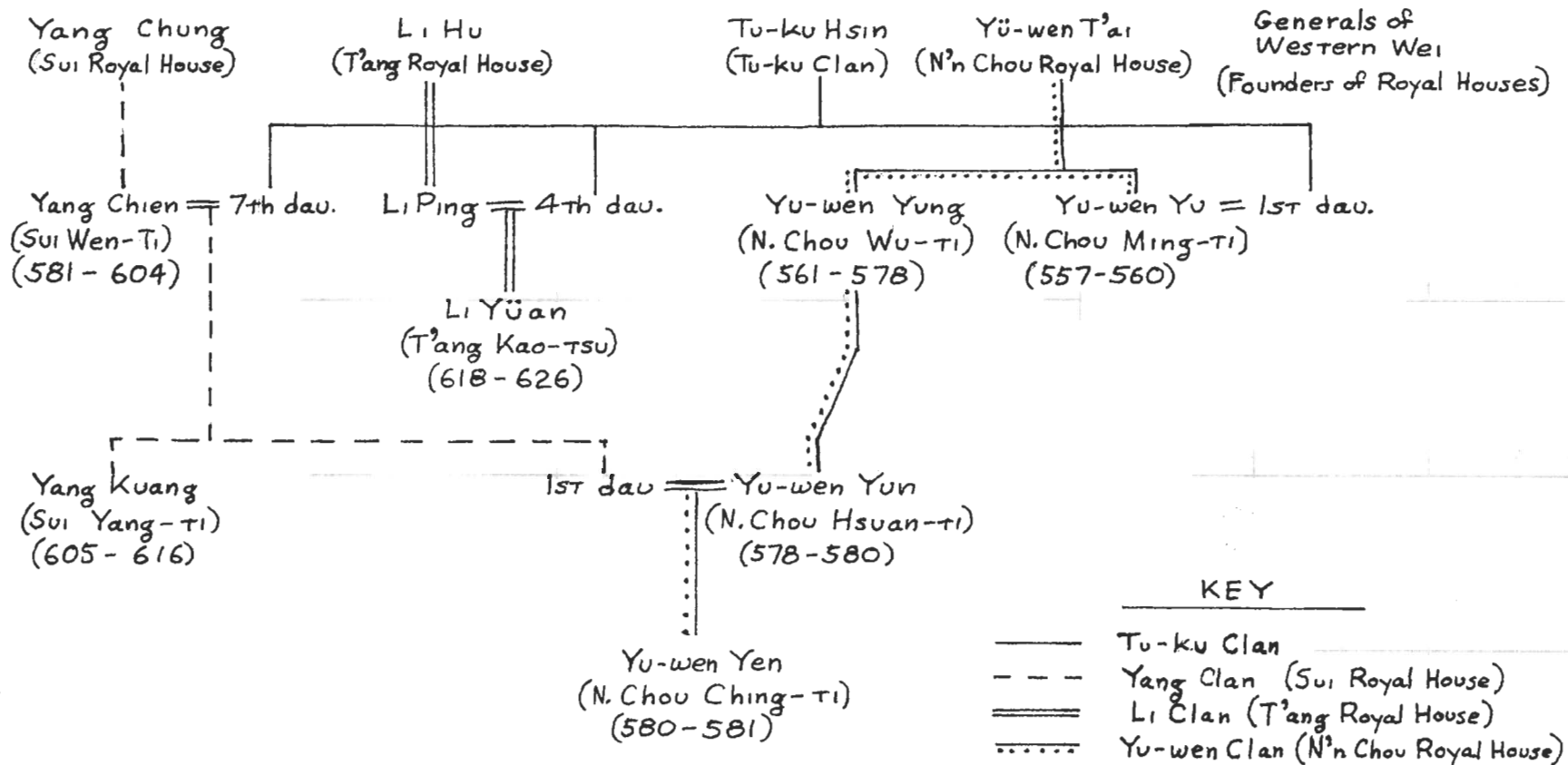
DURING AND AFTER THE EASTERN CHIN DYNASTY  
(304 TO 439 CE)



# The NORTHERN DYNASTIES

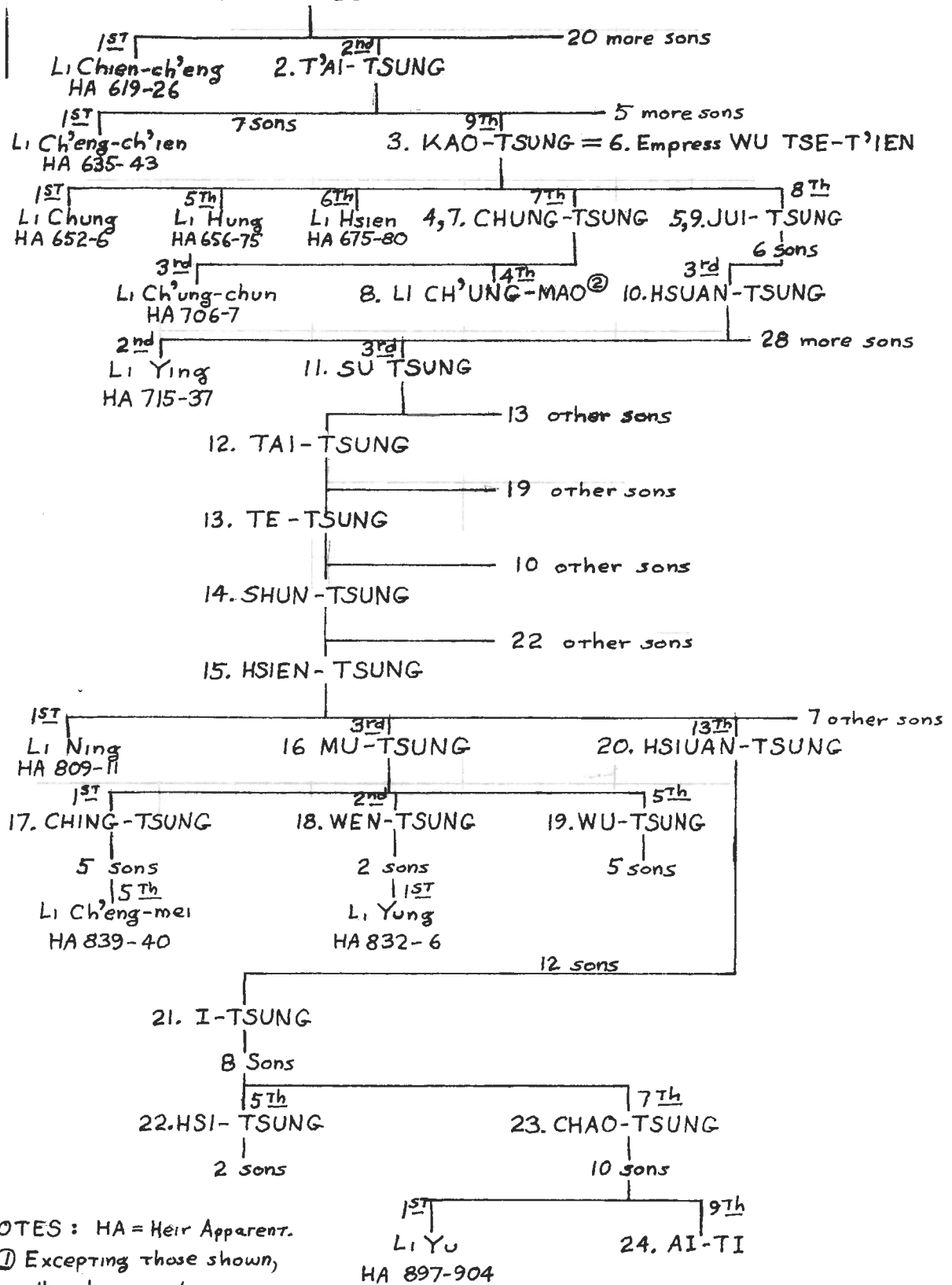


# MARRIAGE CONNECTIONS of the T'ANG ROYAL HOUSE



# GENEALOGY of the T'ANG DYNASTY

## 1. KAO-TSU



NOTES: HA = Heir Apparent.

① Excepting those shown, all other royal princes were given the title HA as a posthumous honor but did not actually serve as HA.

② Placed by Empress Wei but is deposed.