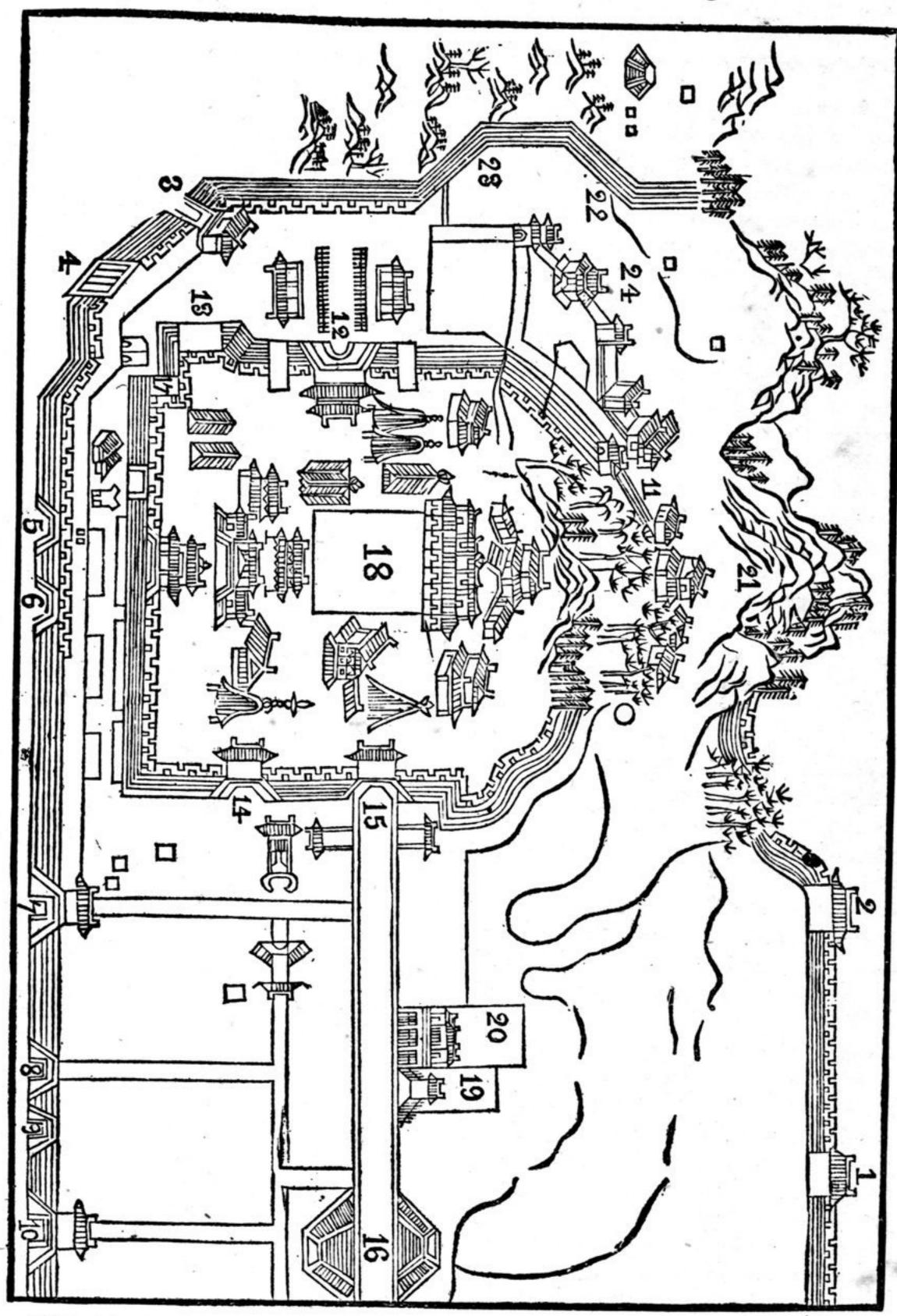
they make up in size what they lack in number, for they cross canals as big as the Tigris! Marsden aptly quotes in reference to this point excessively loose and discrepant statements from modern authors as to the number of bridges in Venice. The



Plan of the Imperial City of Hangchow in the 13th Century. (From the Notes of the Right Rev. G. E. Moule.)

1-17, Gates; 18, Ta-nuy; 19, Woo-Foo; 20, T'aï Miao; 21, Fung-hwang shan; 22, Shìh fùh she; 23, Fan t'ien she; 24, Koo-shing Kwo she.

great height of the arches of the canal bridges in this part of China is especially noticed by travellers. Barrow, quoted by Marsden, says: "Some have the piers of such an VOL. II.