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<ab>string &amp; will reflect a <bp>nipple</bp> as large as a plate, and women can see the secret places that they do not want to show to <pro>surgeons</pro>. It casts the representation out of itself, and if you touch the eye of the representation with your <bp>finger</bp>, another <bp>finger</bp> will come against yours.</ab>

<ab>You will make a light at night for someone quite far away, if you place the concave mirror behind a candle placed on the window. You can read and write quite far from the candle if you place it behind the candle &amp; place &amp; turn the concavity towards you. If you put the mirror at the end of a table &amp; a candle on it, it will represent two lights on the table for you. To see what is happening on a street, shutter the window, and the more you can shut there the better. Make a hole at the lower <sup>pane</sup>, the size of your <ms><bp>little finger</bp></ms>, perfectly round, from one side to the other. Then place a sheet of paper on the window &amp; let the middle of the sheet be over the hole. Pierce the sheet in the same place as the hole &amp; the same size. After, aim the concave face of the mirror towards the hole, &amp; it will represent for you anyone passing by in the street on the sheet of paper. Similarly with the pierced door of a closed room. You can make wavy ones &amp; triangular ones, of the sort described by Ptolemy &amp; Archimedes. The concave one also sets fire to straw, lights a candle from afar, using the sun. By reverberating fire too, it heats.</ab>

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<head>For bronzing in yellow and white</head>

<ab>Take <m>looking-glass tin</m> and melt it. On half a lb of this, put half an ounce of <m>quicksilver</m>, and remove it all at once from the fire &amp; grind it, and it will be like ash. Wash it quite well in <m>clean water</m>. After, grind it on <tl><m>marble</m></tl> &amp; soak it with water of <m><fr>colle de retailles</fr></m>. After, apply to your wooden candlesticks &amp; any other work you like, &amp; burnish with the <m>tooth</m>. You can grind <m>pin filings</m> and apply them with the said <m>glue</m>. </ab>

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