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<head>Molding<al>turtles</al></head>

<ab>This is the continuation of the second preceding leaf. When you have well uncovered the part of the belly of the <al>turtle</al>, the underneath of the throat &amp; legs, &amp; having cleaned it all well, do not forget to neatly uncover this cavity that these animals have in their shell, between the neck &amp; the shoulders. Those of the water do not have ones as deep as those of the <fr>garrigue</fr>, which are leaner. And among these, there are some that have ones more ensconced than others. Do not forget, therefore, to uncover well all of this to best represent its nature. But if there is some cavity which twists too much inside, and cannot be seen, does not release, put in some small pieces of wax &amp; with points of thick hot iron wire, stretch &amp; adapt the said wax. Then, <del>bouch</del> stuff with soft clay the entrace of all its cavities. Put the clay circle around your mold, made already of two pieces, which contains the back of the turtle. And to mold its belly, one needs to divide in three, as you see. That is to say, you will put a <fr>entre deulx</fr> of clay on top of the throat &amp; another on the edge of the shell of the tail, <figure>#</figure>. And having oiled <del>and</del> the shell of the belly &amp; having rubbed it with eau-de-vie, cast your sand a little thick &amp; wet with hot water as before. Having set, remove these <fr>entredeulx</fr> of clay, then uncover well the front &amp; back legs, that is to say the part underneath &amp; the tail &amp; the throat &amp; remove the cay from the cavities <del>qu</del>, all in one piece if you can, for this will show you if this cavity will release well. And if the pulled out clay, brings with it the wax that you put there, reput it in the places that can not release, as is said. And if some part is taken away or let go, attach &amp; rejoin it to the mold with some wax &amp; the point of hot iron. Do not forget to put some <del>po</del> melted wax at the end of the nails of the turtles, to make the gate. Your molded and uncovered belly shell, your mold can be seen thusly.<figure>#</figure></ab>

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in such a way that only the entire belly shell be uncovered, to mold it alone. </ab>

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