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<head>For the workshop</head>

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It can be gathered from the words of Herodotus that the navigation of the Portuguese was not newly invented by them as they brag. At the beginning of the first book entitled Clio, he says that the Phoenicians would come from the Red Sea by continuous navigation to the coast of Greece, mainly to Argos, to which they would carry merchandise from Egypt &amp; from Assyria, which they usually sold out of within 6 days.</ab>

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Navigation, trade</ab>

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Herodotus, on the first page of Clio, says that the Greeks were on a long ship on the coast of Colchis &amp; to the River Phasis, whence they carried off Medea.</ab>

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<man>Galleys</man>.</ab>

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Herodotus, on page 3, says that Gyges presented to the temple of Delphi pateras aureas sex pondo 30 talentorum.</ab>

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<man>Gold vases</man></ab>

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Halyattes, the father of Croesus, pateram ex ferro compactilem apud Delphos dedicavit spectatu dignam inter omnia quae sunt Delphis donaria, opus Glauci Chii qui solus omnium compactionem ferri excogitavit. Compactile ferrum, which is made by assembly &amp; things joined.</ab>

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<man>Iron vase joined and soldered</man></ab>

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</m>As small peddlers lay open small wares in order to buy richer ones &amp; to profit more and more, so I, from a desire to learn, am exposing what little is in my workshop to <del>have through</del> receive, through a common commerce of letters, much rarer secrets from my benevolent readers.</ab>

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Aes ustum</head>

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When it is finely ground it moulds very cleanly. It has a certain fatness that makes it bind better than filings, &amp; I believe that it may not be ill suited for casting.</ab>

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Rotten wood</head>

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Wood that is white, being light as a sponge, if burnt in a close fire, may be used for casting lead in a box and molds very cleanly, but these things <x>such material</x> do not withstand <x>open?</x> fire. </ab>

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