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He also ordered the archers and slingers to run forward and discharge arrows and stones at the barbarians, hoping to provoke them by this to come out of the woody glen into the ground unencumbered with trees. The design of this sacrifice was, that his disembarking in Asia might be more fortunate than that of Protesilaus had been.

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It can also give you an idea of a starting point to look at in the full editions.

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They had extended their horse along the bank of the river in a long phalanx, and had posted the infantry behind the cavalry, for the ground above the bank was steep and commanding. The Indikê is now lost, but its contents are well-known from several sources, especially the Indikê by Arrian. Here fell Ptolemy, son of Seleucus, after proving himself a valiant man, besides about one hundred and twenty other Macedonians of no mean repute.

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At one place, Ptolemy corrects Cleitarchus' account of Alexander's campaigns, and this proves that Ptolemy's history was published after the History of Alexander, which can be dated between 310 and 301.

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For, while Alexander the king was still besieging Halicarnassus, it is said that he was once taking rest at midday, when a swallow flew about over his head loudly twittering, and perched now on this side of his couch and now on that, chirping more noisily than usual. He has thus preserved the flow of Arrian's narrative, while also providing a commentary that alerts the reader to some of the pitfalls that mark any attempt to understand the

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Certainly, the siege of Tyre appeared to be a great enterprise; for the city was an island and fortified all round with lofty walls. The work is based on made by Xenophon, whom Arrian thought to be the authority on the subject of hunting.

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Gandhara was the first kingdom of ancient India and is in the north of modern day Pakistan. So Pharnabazus handed over to him the Grecian auxiliaries and then sailed to join Autophradates and the fleet.

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However, we can perhaps be a little bit more precise.

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