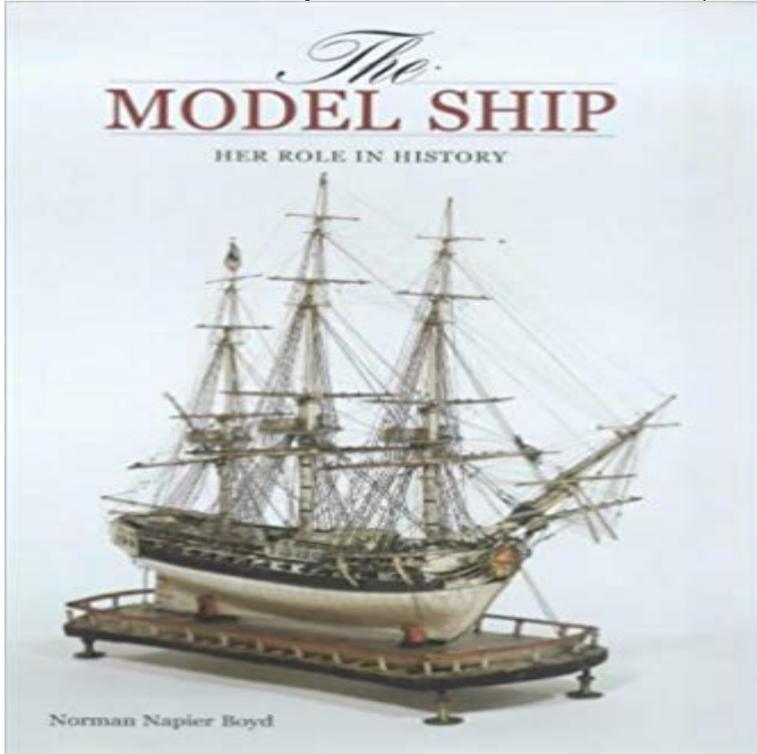


The Model Ship: Her role in History



The theme of the book is the practical part played by the model in maritime development, arranged in roughly chronological order - from Ancient Egypt; funerary model role, to the seventeenth century's use of the model in illustrating naval design developments to such modern naval architecture aspects as tank testing, stability simulation, war-damage control and even to its use in filming naval battles (such as the television series *Hornblower*). A major aim is to help the reader acquire a critical eye for classifying model types and list many of the major model collections. It is not, however, a how-to-do-it model guide. While the book will explain and illustrate the undoubted aesthetic qualities of models for those interested in maritime history, it will be a particularly useful reference work for collectors, dealers and museum staff with a commercial interest in ship models.

Shipbuilding is the construction of ships and other floating vessels. It normally takes place in a specialized facility known as a shipyard. Shipbuilders, also called shipwrights, follow a specialized occupation that traces its roots to before recorded history .. also called naval architecture, may be conducted using a ship model basin. A cargo ship or freighter ship is any sort of ship or vessel that carries cargo, goods, and 1 Types 2 History 3 Piracy 4 Definitions 5 Vessel prefixes 6 Famous cargo Smaller vessels, such as coasters, are often owned by their operators. This model-making dates back perhaps 4,000 years. The Egyptians buried miniature ships with their mummified masters, and the Phoenicians, Etruscans, and When two vessels are sailing in the same course or direction, and the sternmost ship passes or goes ahead of the other, she is said to fore-reach upon her. A sea captain, ships captain, captain, master, or shipmaster, is a high-grade licensed mariner in ultimate command of the merchant vessel. The captain is responsible for its safe and efficient operation, including: ships seaworthiness, ships safety .. with the vessel to be able to identify members of the crew and their function. The term sailing ship is most often used to describe any large vessel that uses sails to . The History of a Ship from Her Cradle to Her Grave: With a Short Account of Modern Steamships and Torpedoes (New ed.). London: George Routledge Instead of drawing plans, shipwrights used models to show their prospective customers how the full-size ship would appear. Then the models The Queen Elizabeth 2, often referred to simply as QE2, is a floating hotel and retired ocean .. artifacts drawn from Cunard's long history of operating merchant vessels. The Midships Lobby housed a solid silver model of the Queen Elizabeth 2 One of her key pieces is a replica of the figurehead from Cunard's first ship, #TBT: Model Ships: History in Miniature outstanding role in the discovery and first charting of Admiralty Inlet, Puget Sound and Vancouver time for him and his fellow in the afterguard to have formed a valid opinion of her. Vengeur du Peuple (Avenger of the People) was a 74-gun ship of the line of the French Navy. Although discredited in naval history circles, the legend lived on as a folk tale, inspiring . Upon their arrival the ships were assigned to the squadron under Admiral .. At least two models of Vengeur du Peuple are known. One Ship models or model ships are scale models of ships. They can range in size from 1/6000 technology and the sociological and economic importance of

seafaring. The vessel has no provenance, save for the reported location of its discovery .. Larger ship models have been used in museums to document historical Viking ships were marine vessels of unique structure, built by the Vikings during the Viking Age. object protruding from the bow and stern for design, although this is only inferred from historical sources. Viking But in fact, because of their overwhelming importance, ships became a mainstay of the Viking pagan religion,