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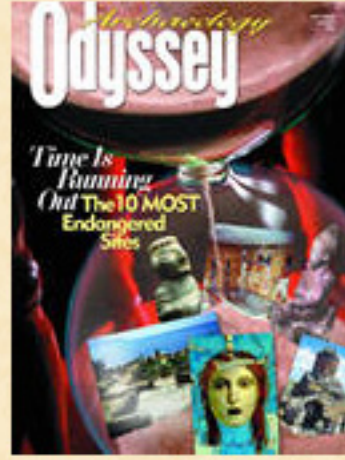
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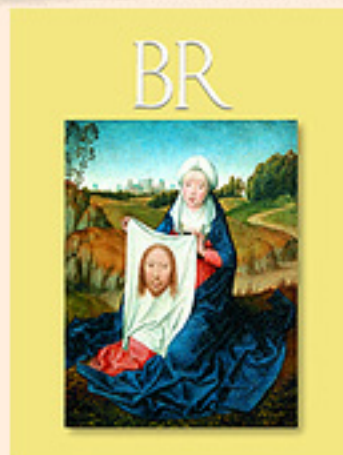


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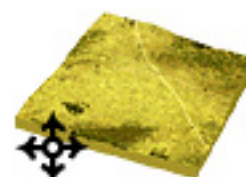
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Navy pilot Petty Officer 3rd Class Sadamu Komachi serving aboard the Japanese naval carrier Shokaku in 1941-42.



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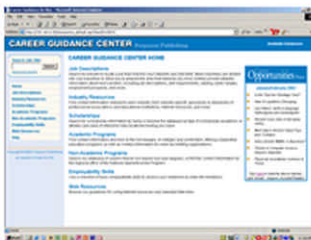
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