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In this issue of *Bulletin of Tibetology*, we are reproducing two articles of Dr. Erberto Lo Bue. The first article deals with the history, tradition and modern use of metallurgy in Tibet and the Himalayas. The second article deals with the history, tradition and modern technique in casting of devotional images in the Himalayas.

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