

History

*Accurate*  
~~True~~

*Inaccurate*  
~~False~~

- 1. Pylos, a town and bay on the west coast of Messenia, noted chiefly for the part it played in the Peloponnesian War . . . Most scholars have identified this with the Homeric Pylos, the home of Neleus and Nestor . . .But

this view presents considerable difficulties, and Strabo . . . argued that the Pylos of Nestor must be the place of that name in Triphylia, now known to have been an important prehistoric site.

Though differing on many points (various scholars) agree in thinking (1) that the island of Sphagia is the ancient Sphacteria, Palaeokastro the ancient Coryphasium or Pylos. (All the above - Encyclopedia Britannica, 1966 ed)

- 2. Siege of Troy a real event  
Bowra, "Meaning of a Heroic Age" in Kirk, 23

- 3. Catalogue of Ships  
"historically authentic"  
J.A. Notopoulos, 24

Catalogue of Ships  
discrepancies exist between it and the story of the battles  
Thos. Day Seymour, Life in the Homeric Age(1907), p. 65

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