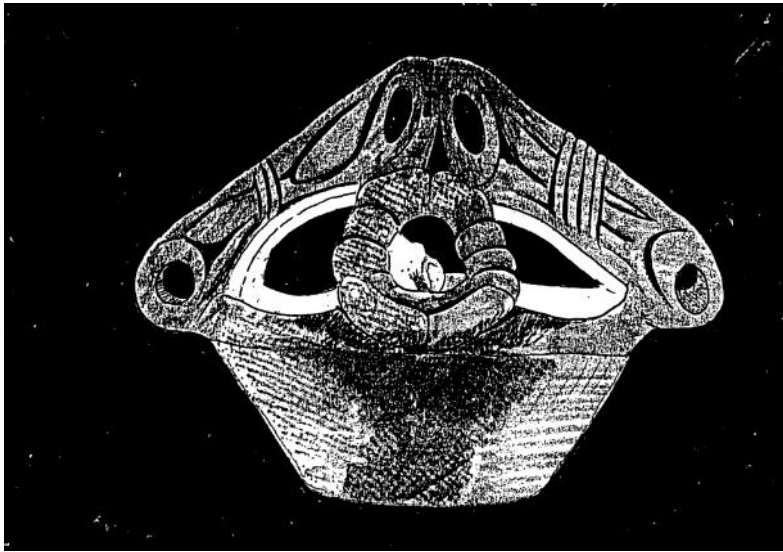


# Special pottery for ceremony



Vessel with the handle for suspension

This pottery would work as a lamp in ceremony.



Drum



Pot for ferment

Estimation of the functions of the pottery with brim and holes around its rim

The features commonly observed on those categories of pottery are (1) very few in number, (2) painted in red and/or black and (3) different from other pottery such as deep pots, for its patterns on the surface. It had possibly been used when the Jomon people prayed.