

1. Copper axes, which were used in Mexico in the 16th century.
2. Kina pearl shells, which were used in Papua New Guinea well into the 20th century.
3. Tea, which was used in Russia, Tibet and China until the 1970s.
4. Salt, which was very valuable in ancient times because it could be used to preserve food.
5. Dog's teeth and whale's teeth, which were used as money in islands round the Pacific.
6. Wampum, which were beads made from clam shells and were used by the Native Americans until 1636.

