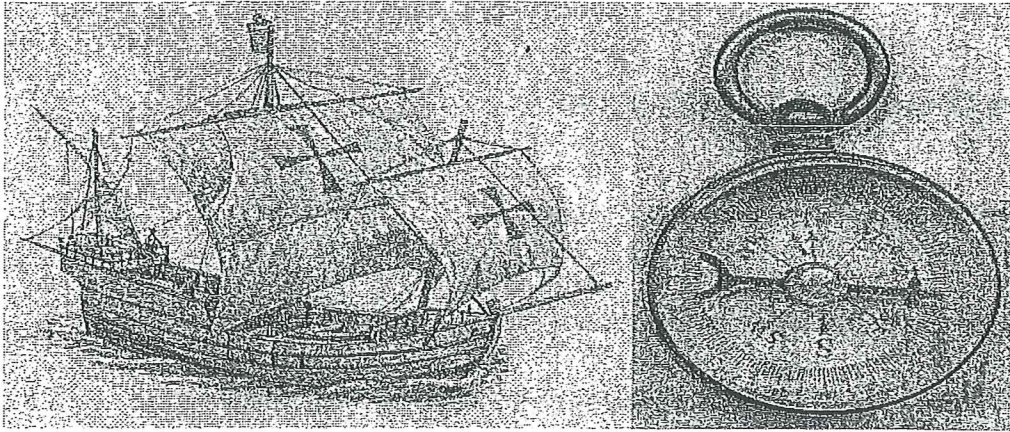


## Chapter 2: European Explorers

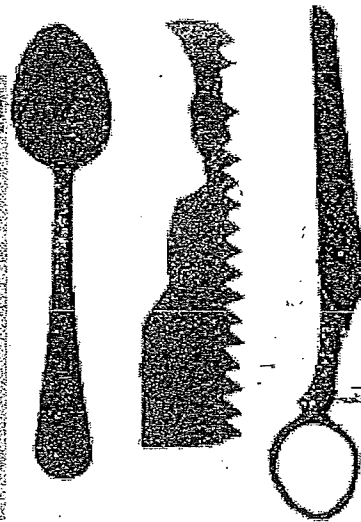
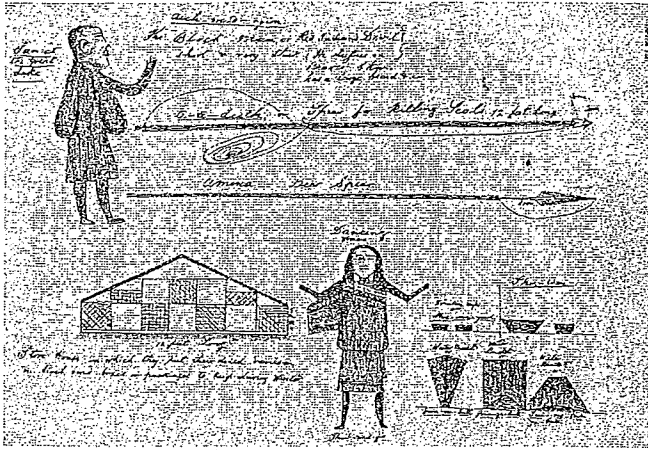
Read pages 37 – 55 and answer the following questions completely and carefully.



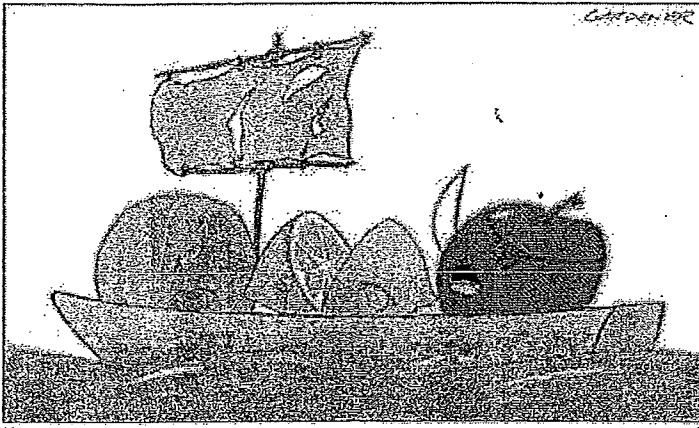
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1. What Europeans first explored North America? (4 marks)
2. The Vikings were the first Europeans to come to North America? When? (1 mark)
3. Why does it make sense that the Europeans first explored eastern, rather than western, Canada? (1 mark)
4. In the 1300's, overland trade routes between Europe and \_\_\_\_\_ became disrupted. (1 mark)
5. Look at the map on page 41. Which empire had protected the overland trade routes between Europe and Asia? (1 mark)
6. When the Ottoman Empire and Ming Dynasty began to rise in power, why do you think overland trade became dangerous? (1 mark)
7. Read page 40. If you didn't travel by land, your only other option was to travel by \_\_\_\_\_. (1 mark)
8. List five reasons why people didn't want to travel by sea. (5 marks)
9. What two improvements were made in ships in the 1400's? (2 marks)

10. What navigational instruments were developed in the 1400's? How were these instruments important? (4 marks)
11. Who was Christopher Columbus? (3 marks)
12. Why did Columbus need sponsors? (1 mark)
13. Where was Columbus trying to go? (1 mark)
14. After Columbus landed in the Carribean, where did he go and what two things did he find? (4 marks)
15. Who was the first European to land in the region of North America since the Vikings? (1 mark)
16. In 1497, an English expedition led by Italian sailor and merchant Giovanni Caboto landed in Newfoundland and claimed it for \_\_\_\_\_. (1 mark)
17. What were these Europeans doing off the coast of Canada? (1 mark)
18. Who did the Europeans meet on the coast? (2 marks)
19. Write the definition of imperialism on page 45. (1 mark)
20. What was the commission that Caboto and his sons were given? (2 marks)
21. Why did the European explorers put up flags or crosses? (1 mark)
22. Europeans were fishing off the eastern coast of Canada for cod. What else would possibly be profitable for the Europeans to get? (1 mark)
23. How did the Mi'kmaq view trading? (2 marks)
24. Consider the trading relationship that developed between the Mi'kmaq and the European fishers? To what extent was it mutually beneficial or unequal, in your view? Why? (2 marks)



25. Did the Europeans and Beothuks get along? (1 mark)
26. What problem did the camps and settlements that the Europeans set up cause for the Beothuk? (1 mark)
27. What did the Beothuk do to the French and British fishing camps? (1 mark)
28. List three things that led to the extinction of the Beothuk. (3 marks)
29. Why did the British capture Beothuk people? (2 marks)
30. Who was the last Beothuk? (1 mark)
31. List three things that her drawing tells us about the Beothuk society. (3 marks)
32. In 1534, the King of France sponsored an expedition to North America led by \_\_\_\_\_ (1 mark)
33. What was he supposed to do? (3 marks)
34. Read Cartier's June 24 and July 6, 1534 journal entries. What evidence is there that these First Nations people had already been trading with Europeans? (1 mark)



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*"Aye, 'tis most sad. Your best friend, you say,  
and he left you nothing in his will?"*

35. What is the origin of the name "Canada"? (2 marks)

36. What is scurvy? (1 mark)

37. How did the First Nations people help Cartier's crew cure their scurvy? (1 mark)



38. Why did the five First Nations people that Cartier took to France die? (1 mark)