



1. What was the size of the crew of John Cabot's Matthew?

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2. What type of ship was the original Matthew?

...Portuguese caravel

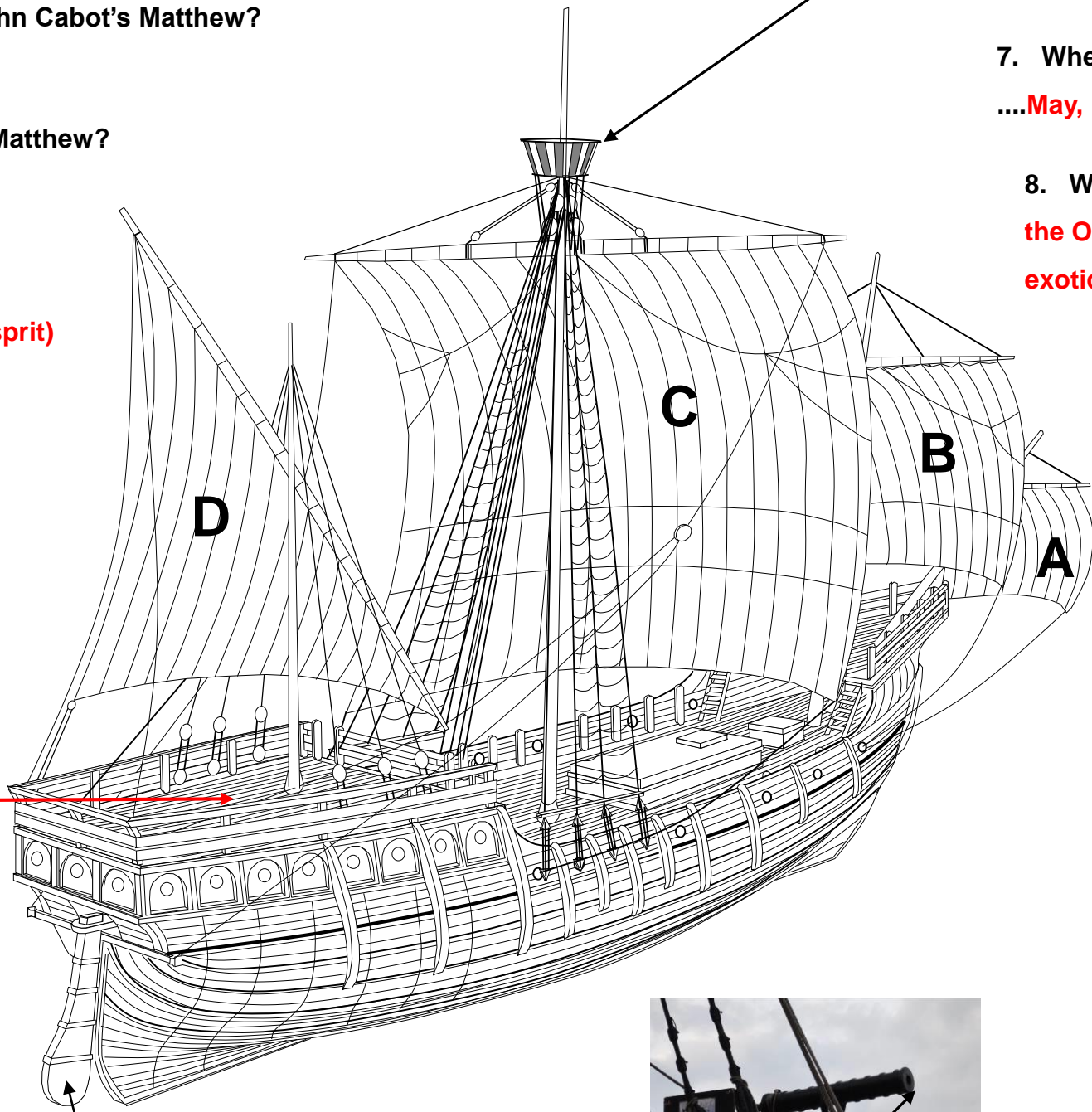
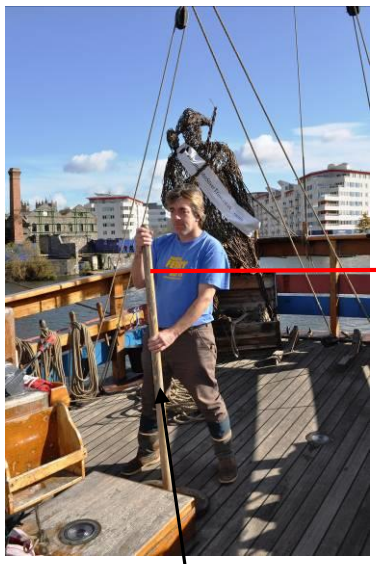
3. Name the sails?

A... Spritsail (because it is on the bowsprit)

B...Foresail

C...Main course or Mainsail

D...Lanteen or Lateen



6. What is this?...Crow's nest – used to keep a lookout

7. When did John Cabot sail from Bristol?

....May, 1497

8. What was Cabot hoping to find? A route to the Orient (China, India) and to bring back exotic spices, etc

9. What is the name of the place discovered by Cabot?

...Newfoundland and then mainland America

10. How long was the voyage?

...55 days from Bristol to Newfoundland

11. What did the crew eat? Oats, salted beef and port, eggs and milk (from chickens and goats on board), vegetables (until they ran out), fish

4a. What is the name of the pole in the above photo?...Whipstaff

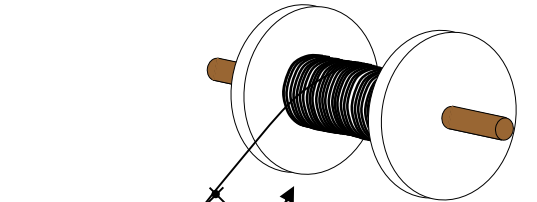
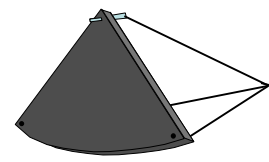
4b. and what does it do? Pushing the staff to left or right turns the ship - steering

4c. Draw an arrow from the photo to the position of the pole on the ship.

5. What is this?...Rudder



13. What is this?...Cannon



12. What is this? An instrument to measure the distance travelled by the ship – used with a large egg-timer