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It had both square and lateen sails. He proceeded around Ireland and then to the north and west, making landfall on the morning of June 24.

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On the way back he reached Trinidad, sighted the mouth of the Orinoco River, and then made for Haiti.

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Columbus next tried to obtain sponsorship from France and England. Portugal's Prince 1394—1460 established a school of navigation at Cape St.

### Exploration and Colonization of the North America

Soon Portuguese, Spanish, French, and English fishing crews braved the Atlantic crossing to fish in the waters of the Grand Banks, southeast of Newfoundland. An 1891 print shows a parade in honor of Portuguese explorer Ferdinand Magellan, whose ships circumnavigated the world between 1519 and 1522, Spain, 1522.

### Explorers of America \*\*\*

In 1831, he accompanied Ewing Young from Taos, to , and the next two years he was trapping on the Snake River. As a result, Grijalva was passed over and the job of colonization was given to Cortés. Time with Pedro Arias Dávila In April 1514, Pedro Arias Dávila departed from Spain to command an expedition of Panama.

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It is known that the Chinese had failed sailings and shipwrecks along the Oregon and Washington coastline, with shoreline beeswax and stories of buried gold Oregon in the sand dunes. Spending considerable time at Taos, , he got into a gunfight with a man named Henry Beer over a Mexican woman.

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The Crusaders had brought wonderful products home from Asia. Settlement by the Spanish concentrated on the islands of , , , and above all. Although he never found the fabled fountain, he was the first European to encounter the ocean current known as the Gulf Stream.

### **Leif Erikson**

Though they found only the gravest hardship and poverty during their wanderings, the men made their way back to Mexico in 1536, some eight years after they had set out. Seeking to outflank her rivals in Europe, Spain supported explorers and adventurers who could find areas of expansion in the Americas, where empires such as the Aztecs and Incas also expanded and conquered neighboring peoples. A few days later, the expedition reached the shores of the Pacific, which Balboa called the South Sea.

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