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Chapter 3 Lesson 1

1. In about A.D. 1000, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_led by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sailed west from northern Europe to Canada.

2. The Vikings called their settlement \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. The time period between 500 and 1500 is called the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Why were marshes drained and forest cut down?

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5. Many farmers used a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , which increased crop production.

6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were built so women didn’t have to grind flour by hand.

7. Because work became easier, people had more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ began to appear in Europe in the middle ages.

9. Innkeepers opened \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for travelers and other people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nearby.

10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ were among the leading commercial cities.

11. People who buy and sell to earn a living are called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

12. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was an important trade route between Europe and Asia.

13. A young man named \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was one of the merchants who traveled to distant lands.

14. In 1271, he traveled from Europe through \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and on into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

15. Polo and his family reached the court of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who was the ruler of China.

16. The court of Kublai Khan is now the city of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

17. Marco Polo became known as “*il milione*”or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

18. Polo was captured by the Genoese in a war between \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

19. How did Polo pass time while he was in prison? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

20. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ became interested in Polo’s stories and made them into a book.

21. The book was titled \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

22. News of Polo’s travels increased interest in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

23. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was a network of trade routes

24. Polo called coal “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

25. What were explorers from Spain and Portugal in search of? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_