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## British, Dutch and French

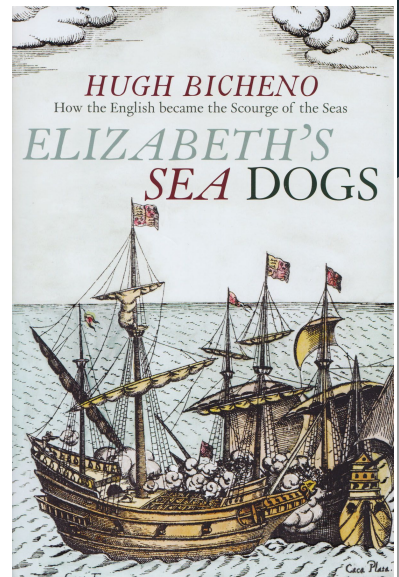
This is the last one before winter break, I swear!

## England - John Cabot

- 1497: Henry VII tells John Cabot to sail west and north of England to find new territory and take it by whatever means necessary. "Seek out out discover, and find whatever isles, countries, regions, or provinces of the **heathen** and **infidels** whatsoever they may be ... John may subdue, occupy, and possess all such towns, cities, castles and isles of them found"
- John Cabot ends up sailing to Eastern Canada and establishing settlements there on First Nations Peoples land
- Later, England sends William Baffin, John Davis and Martin Frobisher to the northern waters of Canada to find the Northwest Passage (Get to Asia from the Arctic Ocean)

## Drake and the Sea Dogs

- England begins to make ships that can travel long distances very quickly and outfight any opponent
  - Were pretty much platforms with a bunch of guns on them
- Would attack Spanish ships that had loads of treasure!
  - Secretly, Queen Elizabeth I supported this
- These English pirates are known as The Sea Dogs - Francis Drake is the most famous
- Drake and the Sea Dogs took part in slavery, capturing Spanish ships, raided towns in North America, and eventually went all the way across the Pacific stealing treasures.



## French and Dutch

- Jacques Cartier: Very famous french explorer who makes it Canada and establishes French settlements here. He is the reason why we are a bilingual country!!



- The Dutch ended up sailing to South East Asia and establishing colonies there - they were also evil people who treated the First Nations people very poorly. Indonesia is still affected today because of the Dutch.

To be continued ...