

The Ghost Ship Mary Celeste

A. Look at the statements below. Decide if each statement is true or false

- 1 The *Mary Celeste* sailed for 370 nautical miles without a navigator.
- 2 The *Mary Celeste* was always an unlucky ship.
- 3 It was difficult to find sailors for the *Mary Celeste*.
- 4 Ships going towards the Strait of Gibraltar normally sailed north of the Azores.
- 5 The sailors of the *Dei Gratia* were surprised because there was nobody on the *Mary Celeste*.
- 6 The British authorities thought that pirates had taken over the ship.
- 7 Some of the barrels of alcohol were empty.
- 8 Not many books were written about the *Mary Celeste*.
- 9 The Acoustics Division of the US Naval Research Laboratory believes that a seaquake hit the *Mary Celeste*.

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2. WORDSEARCH- Navigation and Geography

Navigation

1. _ h _ p: a large boat.
2. _ a p _ _ _ _ : the person who directs a ship.
3. _ r _ w: the people who work on a ship.
4. _ o u _ _ : the course of a ship.
5. _ a i l _ _ s: the people who work on a ship.
6. _ _ _ g o: what a ship carries.
7. _ o _ book: the official diary of a ship.

8. _ _ f _ _ _ a _ : the boat used in an emergency.
9. _ _ m p _ _ _ : an instrument for discovering geographical directions.
10. _ u t _ _ _ : a rebellion on board a ship.

Geography

1. n _ _ _ h: a direction.
2. _ _ a: a large body of salt water.
3. _ o a _ _ : the part of land touching the sea.
4. h _ _ _ _ _ : a place where ships can stop.
5. _ _ _ a _ t: a channel joining two seas.
6. _ s l _ _ _ : a body of land surrounded by water.

