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1. He was a Norwegian explorer of the polar regions. On 14th December, 1911, he led the first successful Antarctic expedition to the South Pole.
2. He was a navigator and maritime explorer from Spain. He is known to have discovered the America on 11th October, 1492.
3. He was a British explorer and astronomer. He commanded three voyages and sailed around the world twice.
4. He was an American explorer. He claimed to be the first person to reach the North Pole on 6th April, 1909.
5. He was a Venetian explorer and trader. He was one of the first merchants to travel the Silk Route to China and visit Mongol Emperor Kublai khan in 1271.
6. He was a Portuguese explorer. He became the first person to sail from Europe to India directly on 20th May, 1498.
7. He was a Portuguese explorer who led the first expedition that sailed around the Earth. He, however, was killed on the way and could not complete his voyage.
8. He was an Italian explorer and cartographer. In 1507, the new continent 'America' was named after him.

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