

EXERCISE 40/41/42-3 Italics (underlining) Before working this exercise, read section 42 in *Rules for Writers*, Fifth Edition.

Edit the following sentences to correct the use of italics (underlining). Example:

Marco Polo's book was named Description of the World.

1. On the "Niña," the "Pinta," and the "Santa María" Columbus had one hundred men, all kinds of supplies, and enough cats to control the rat population.
2. Columbus always spoke the same word to his men—Adelante! (That means "Forward!" or "Sail on!")
3. Marco Polo's book *Description of the World* had not prepared the men for seeing the same horizon week after week.
4. To every fear or complaint, Columbus simply replied "Forward!" and that word forward began to get on the sailors' nerves.
5. Columbus offered a special reward—a silk jacket—to the first man who spotted *land*.