



Lesson 6.1: New cargo – language

Answers

Question 1

Answer:

Middelburg (place)

Rio Demerary (name of the river)

Rammekens (name of the Fort and roadstead)

Holland, Zeeland, West-Vriesland (names of former provinces/regions in the Netherlands)

Question 2

Answer:

- taken on water

- lost anchors

- lost small boat

- lost rowing boat

- lost rudder

Question 3

Answer: In warehouses.

Question 4

Answer: at an auction

Question 5

Answer: d. on the weighing scales

Who handled the sale of the goods?

Answer: the auctioneer

Question 6

Answer:

Seventeen sixty-two, cross-reference, under estimated, self-evident, first-class, send out, non-English, anti-colonial, co worker, Dutch West Indies, re-create

Question 7

Answer:

'ca. 200 vaten witte Commune en Tete suiker' (roughly 200 barrels white Commune and Tete sugar)

'ca. 24 duysend ponden Martenique Coffyboonen' (ca. 24 thousand pounds of Martinique coffee beans)

'ca. 10 duysend ponden Indigo'. (10 thousand pounds Indigo)

So: sugar, coffee beans and indigo (blue dye)

Question 8

Answer:

sanction - punishment

frisk - search

explosion - detonation

sentencing - verdict

liar - pretender

prediction - expectation

jailer - warden

blackmail - extortion

angry - furious

prison - jail

contract - agreement

doctor - physician