

SCALE MODEL OF FAMOUS OLD WARSHIP

THE REVENGE

The Revenge, a typical Elizabethan Galleon, was launched in 1577. She was 92 feet long in the keel, 32 feet in breadth and carried 34 carriage and 12 swivel guns. Her design shows much improvement over earlier vessels with particularly fine underwater lines and much lower stern works than the early Tudor vessels, although the four masted rig, normal for that period, was not particularly efficient. The Elizabethan men-of-war were the outstanding ships of the time and were designed to fight with long gunfire rather than by boarding tactics. They were extremely manoeuvrable by virtue of their short keel and long overhand; a virtue of their short kee



















