



## MUDE JAR/MUDE JARES

They were formed by monks who were also knights. Their work was to conquer and defend territories against the Muslims.



## MILITARY ORDERS

Society composed of all the sheep raisers of Castille, in Spain, formally recognized by Alfonso X. During the 13th and 14th centuries the Mesta evolved into the central institution that controlled and promoted sheep raising. Its head had both administrative and legal powers.



## COUNCIL OF THE MESTA

They were Muslims who remained in Christian territory under the promised made by the kings to respect their customs.