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Imperialism

Spanish American War

Cause

War

Effects

① Cuba declared independence from Spain

Lasted only 113 days

Treaty of Paris
1898

② Spain started Cubans

"Splendid little war"

Platt Amendment

③ US reported on the events

Liberated Cuba

① US gets partial control of Cuba

Yellow Journalism

④ USS Maine exploded, US declared war

Spain gave US Phillipeans, Puerto Rico as territories

② 2 Navy bases on Cuba

Filipino - American War: Phillipeans

wanted independence from the US. 3 years long.

Emilio Aguinaldo: leader for the Phillipeans

Roosevelt Corollary: Added to the Monroe Doctrine: gave the US policing power in Latin America.



Panama Canal: Used big stick diplomacy, convinced Panama to rebel.

In exchange for warships, we got Panama Canal zone.