

Crucible of the Empire

1. What happened during the World's Columbian Exchange that Drastically changed America?
2. What was the Spanish presence like when they first came into the new world? What was it like in the 1980's? What happened?
3. Why did the Cuban sugar farmers start a revolt? Who was their leader?
4. Why did Cubans start to play baseball? What was symbolic about it?
5. What happened to the normal everyday people not involved in the revolt? Who ordered these actions?
6. What did Hearst believe would bring the country together?
7. Why didn't Mckinley want to go to war with Cuba?
8. What did Mahan believe in? How did Theodore Roosevelt feel about this?
9. Why did the Spanish want peace the Filipino rebellion? What did Emilio Aguinaldo ask for?
10. Mckinley calls Roosevelt a "hawk." What does this mean? Is Mckinley a "hawk"?
11. What problem did Mckinley have and who solved it for him?
12. Where did Turner believe the solution to the Crisis of 1893 lay?
13. What were the remaining colonies Spain had?
14. Who was Gomez and what was the 10 years war? How effective was it?
15. What game was associated with America and Freedom?
16. Why was Dewey's victory so great and monumental?
17. What was Aguinaldo's view of the American's in his plan to break away from the Spanish?
18. Why did Mckinley want former Confederate officers to help in the war effort?

19. What did Teddy's Rough Rider group all have in common?
20. What did Mckinley set up in the second floor of the White House? What was significant about it?
21. What were the men called who were the response to the deaths caused by yellow fever?
22. Why were some Rough Riders left in Tampa?
23. How did horses get to shore from the boat? What happened to Teddy's horses?
24. What was the American plan to attack the Spanish?
25. Why did the newspapers love this war?
26. What caused the most American deaths in this war?
27. How did Aguinaldo do against the Spanish while the American's were in Cuba?
28. When did the US gain Manila?
29. What happened in both Manila and Cuba right after the US took over? Who wasn't invited?
30. What did Mckinley do when he went campaigning?
31. Who was brought to anti-imperialism because of mistreatment of the Filipinos?
32. What were Generals ordered to do by Mckinley?
33. Who were the two candidates for the 1900 election?
34. Why was Mckinley so successful in his 2nd run for the Presidency?
35. How did US troops get into infiltrate enemy headquarters?
36. Who was the first President to tell Americans about their global responsibility?
37. What horrible act was committed 10 days after Mckinley's death?
38. When did Filipinos surrender to Americans?
39. When did the US leave Havana?
40. When did Cuba gain its independence?