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Chapter 18 New Review

1. Why do nations build empires?
2. What was one of the first imperialistic acquisitions of the United States?
3. What did Spain do to Cuba?
4. What was the goal of Cuban revolutionaries in regards to the United States?
5. What were newspaper reports like right before the Spanish-American War?
6. What was a major reason why the United States wanted to help Cuba (think business)?
7. What was the incident that heightened tensions between the US and Spain and was published in the newspaper?
8. What does evidence show happened to the *USS Maine?*
9. What part of the US military was the strongest in the Spanish-American War?
10. What was the Spanish-American war like for the US?
11. What did most Americans die from in the Spanish-American War?
12. How many died from combat during the Battle of Manila Bay?
13. Who controlled the Panama Canal after its completion?
14. Who was the hero of San Juan Hill?
15. Who was the hero of Manila Bay?
16. Who was the owner of the *New York World?*
17. Who was the owner of the *New York Journal?*
18. Who was the Spanish minister to the United States?
19. Who was the secretary of state who was active in devising American foreign policy at the turn of the century?
20. Who was the army doctor who identified the source of yellow fever?
21. Who was the army engineer who battled mosquitoes in Cuba’s swamps?
22. Who charged up San Juan Hill with his men?
23. Who fought for the independence of the Philippines?
24. What word denotes America’s policy of staying out of world politics during most of the nineteenth century?
25. What word refers to the acquisition of foreign lands to be used for the benefit of the acquiring country?
26. What is the practice of twisting news stories to make them more exciting?
27. The Spanish minister to the United States criticized which American president in a private letter that came to national attention?
28. What American warship exploded in Havana’s harbor?
29. What man served as assistant secretary of the navy, organized an all-volunteer cavalry to fight in the war, and later became president?
30. What was the name given to Theodore Roosevelt’s foreign policy, which involved using military strength to keep foreign nations in line?
31. During what turn-of-the-century uprising did a group of Chinese try to force all foreigners to leave China?
32. What were three reasons countries practiced imperialism?
33. A great emphasis was placed on foreign missions by what evangelist?
34. America’s first ventures in imperialism involved what two places?
35. The United States declared that it had no intention of annexing Cuba to its empire in what document?
36. Where did a decisive naval battle of the Spanish-American War occur?
37. Which one of the following places became a commonwealth of the United States in 1952?
38. For more than two years after the Spanish-American War, the United States faced the difficulty of quelling a rebellion in what country?
39. The United States helped Panama gain its independence from what country?
40. Who was the president most responsible for the building of the Panama Canal?
41. What did the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty do?
42. What policy was instituted during the Taft administration?
43. In the late 1800s, various countries claimed “spheres of influence” in what country?
44. During the late 1800s and early 1900s, America began to fear the rising power of what Asian country?

Essays:

1. Define imperialism and state some of its goals. Give at least three goals.
2. What is yellow journalism, and how was it used to help bring about the Spanish-American War?
3. Explain why the United States military wanted to build the Panama Canal.