**Chapter 10-America Claims an Empire-Guided Note**

**Section 2-The Spanish-American War**

**Cubans Rebel Against Spain (pg. 346-347)**

* By the end of the 19th century, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ once the most powerful colonial nation on earth-had \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ most of its colonies.
	+ Following this period of loss Spain’s colonial holdings were down to:
* **American Interest in Cuba:**
	+ Identify how the Spanish government responded when American diplomats in 1854 suggested to President Franklin Pierce that we purchase Cuba from Spain.
* Why do you feel the Spanish government responded this way?
* Following an unsuccessful revolt in 1886 what progressive choice did Cuban residents force Spain to make?
* **The Second War for Independence:**
	+ Describe who José Martí was and the role he played in the second war for Cuban independence:
		- What does the term *Cuba Libre*! Mean?
	+ How did many American’s feel about the fight for Cuban independence?
		- The term *Cuba Libre*! reminded many Americans of this Patrick Henry quote “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

**War Fever Escalates (pg. 347-348)**

* **Headline Wars:**
	+ Identify the term Yellow Journalism?
		- List two publications and writers who actively used yellow journalism and give an example of the type of stories you might see.

**War Fever Escalates (pg. 347-348) continued… (Chapter 10 Sec 2)**

* **The De Lôme Letter:**
	+ In February 1898, the New Your Journal published a private letter written by Enrique Dupuy de Lôme the Spanish minister to the United States. Discuss the criticisms contained in his letter and how it was received by the American public?
* **The U.S.S. Maine Explodes:**
	+ Address the reasons behind the U.S.S. Maine’s mission to sail to Cuba and explain the tragic event that occurred on February 15th, 1898.
	+ Identify who many American newspapers blamed for the explosion of the U.S.S. Maine.

**War with Spain Erupts (pg. 348-351)**

* + Identify the rallying cry for U.S. intervention in Cuba.
	+ Despite the six month cease fire agreed to by Spain and the United States how did America ultimately decide to proceed in their conflict with Spain?
* **The War in the Philippines:**
	+ Describe the conflict and identify major players involved in the war in the Philippines?
* **The War in the Caribbean:**
	+ Describe the conflict and identify major players (including the amount of soldiers) involved in the war in the Caribbean?
* **Rough Riders:**
	+ Identify who the rough riders were, how many men were involved and who led the men into battle?

**War with Spain Erupts (pg. 348-351) continued… (Chapter 10 Sec 2)**

* + Describe the conflict and explain the outcome at each state of the battle of San Juan Hill?
		- Who did many newspapers name the “Hero of San Juan Hill” despite his limited involvement in the battle?
* **Treaty of Paris:**
	+ Following the cease fire signed by the United States and Spain on August 12th, 1898 how did Secretary of State John Hay describe the fifteen day long war?
* Describe the conditions decided on when the U.S. and Spain met to discuss Treaty of Paris (December 10th, 1898):
* What were some of the criticisms that people had of the Treaty of Paris and the annexation of the Philippines?
* Identify the U.S.’s territorial holdings following the passage of the Treaty of Paris on February 6th, 1899: