Test Review Checklist

America’s Rise to World Power (1865-1917)
TEST: Friday October 24th, 2014

✓ Section 1
  o vocabulary: isolationism, imperialism, expansionism
  o Commodore Matthew Perry, Japan, and the Treaty of Kanagawa
    ▪ effect of the treaty
    ▪ be able to label Japan on a map
  o Purchase of Alaska
  o Pan-American Union
  o Transformation of the Navy and Alfred Thayer Mahan (Building Sea Power, p. 677)

✓ Section 2
  o vocabulary: annexation
  o Annexation of Hawaii
  o Spheres of Influence (in China)
  o Open Door Policy
  o Boxer Rebellion
  o Russo-Japanese War and the Treaty of Portsmouth

✓ Section 3
  o vocabulary: protectorate, armistice
  o Spanish-American War
    ▪ What series of events led up to the war?
    ▪ Where did it start and why?
    ▪ Theodore Roosevelt and The Rough Riders
    ▪ Battle of San Juan Hill
    ▪ Why did Secretary Hay call it a “splendid little war” and what was not-so-splendid about it?
    ▪ be able to identify Havana, Cuba, San Juan, Puerto Rico, Manila, Philippines, China South China Sea, and Pacific Ocean on a map
  o Treaty of Paris, 1898
    ▪ What was it?
    ▪ What were the effects of it?

✓ Section 4
  o vocabulary: isthmus
  o Panama Canal – history and location (be able to identify Panama, Colombia, the Panama Canal, Caribbean Sea, Pacific Ocean on a map)
  o Roosevelt Corallary
  o Dollar Diplomacy
  o Woodrow Wilson and Moral Diplomacy

Essay Question: Below is the essay question as it written on the test. Be prepared to answer this question in a clear and organized fashion.

What do you believe were the three most important factors in America's Rise to Power from 1865 - 1917? Please write one 10-11 sentence paragraph with an introductory sentence, the three most important factors, supporting details/reasons why you think these are the most important events, and a conclusion sentence. Your paragraph must explain why these are the three most important factors.