

# The Spanish American War

- n ` Setting the Stage for War.....The United States Displays Power
- n 1891-Angry Chilean mob attacks American Soldiers, killing 2 and injuring 17. U.S reacts strongly.
- n 1893-Brazilian rebellion endangers U.S. shipping interests. Pres. Cleveland sends all naval units to Rio De Janeiro. This show of force ends the rebellion.
- n July 1895- the United States confronts Great Britain. The U.S. steps into a dispute over valuable land.
- n The dispute involves G.B. and Venezuela. The U.S. says that in honor of the **Monroe Doctrine, the dispute should be decided in arbitration**
- n **Arbitration is a dispute settled by a panel who listens to both sides.**
- n G.B. says that the doctrine has no standing in International Law.













