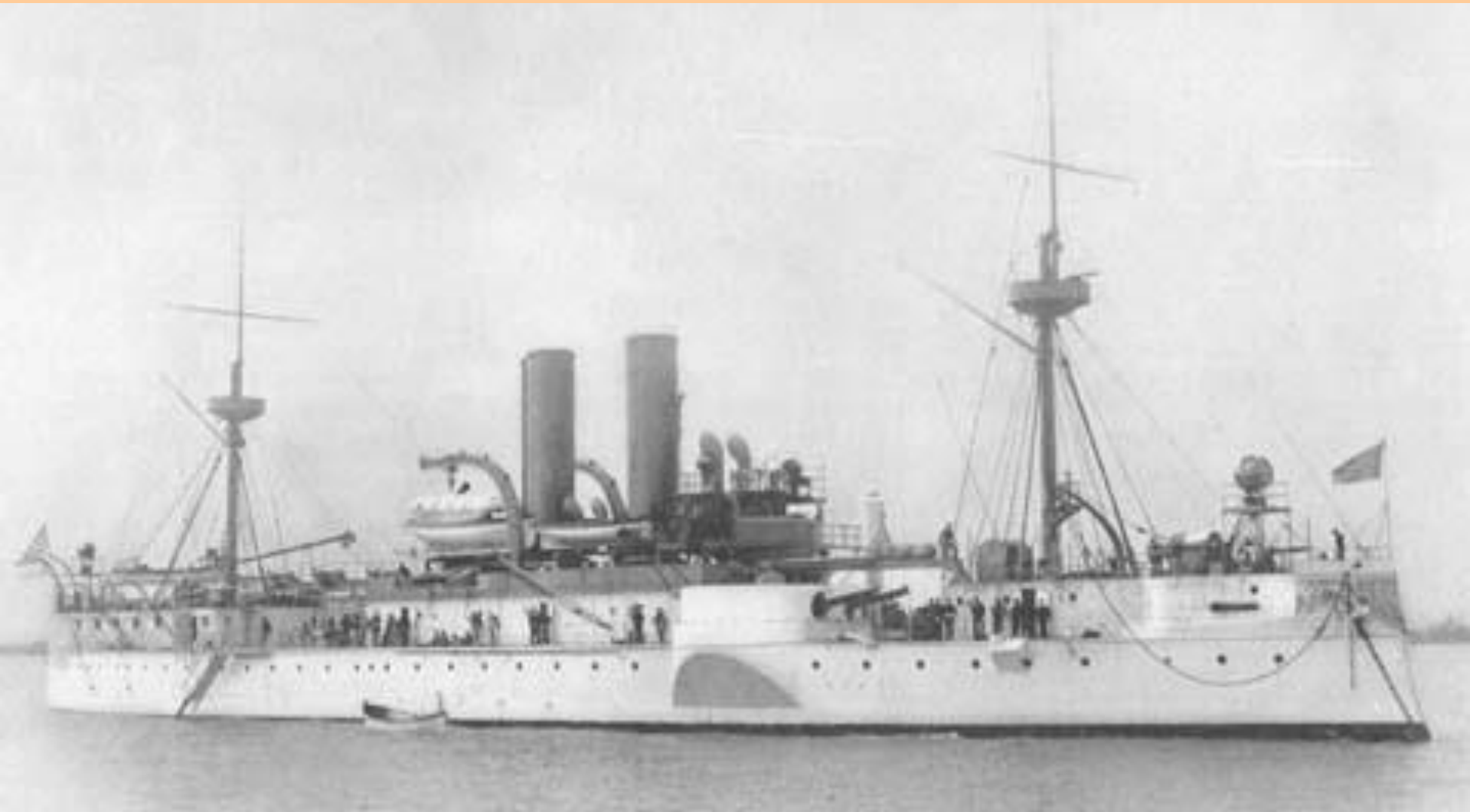


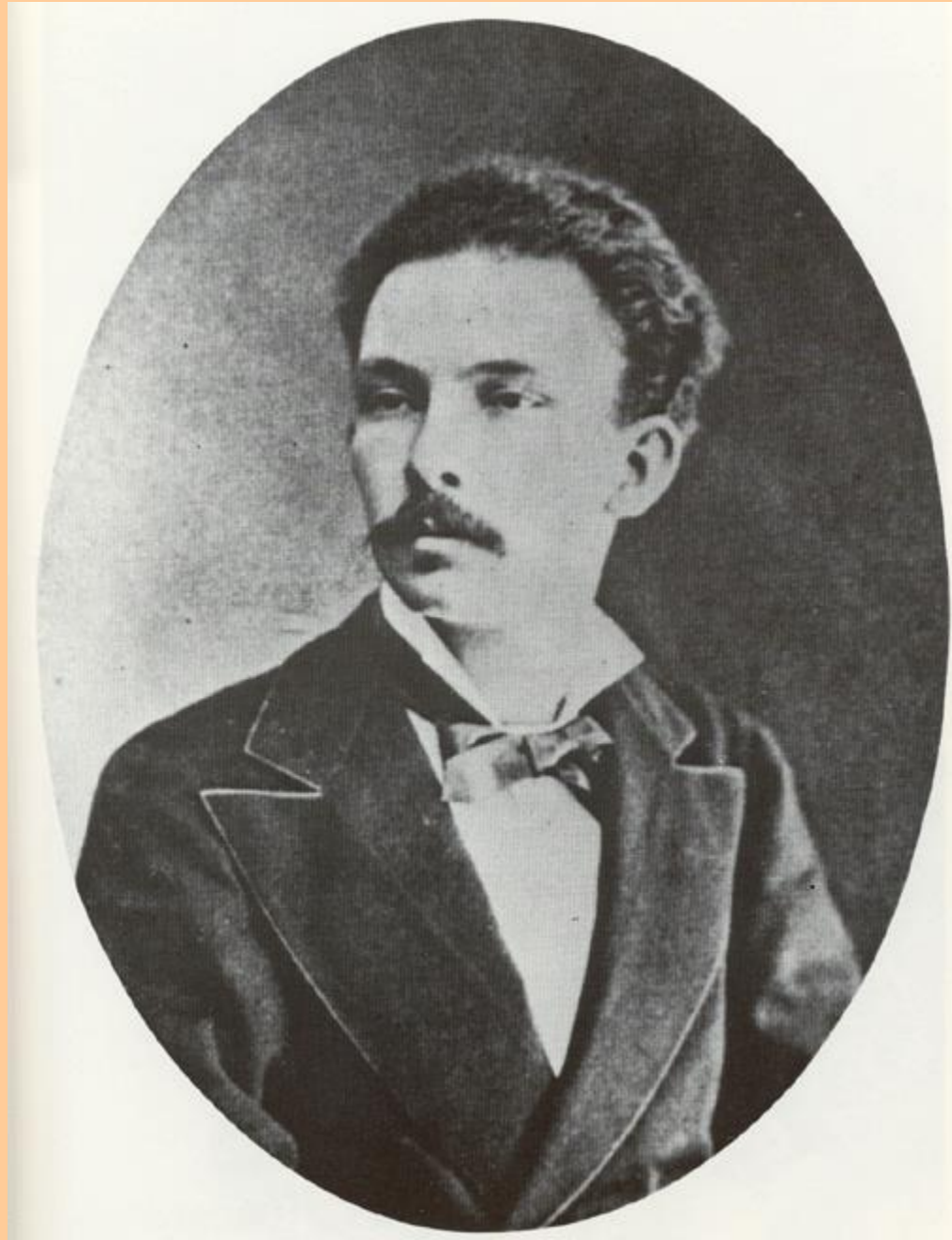
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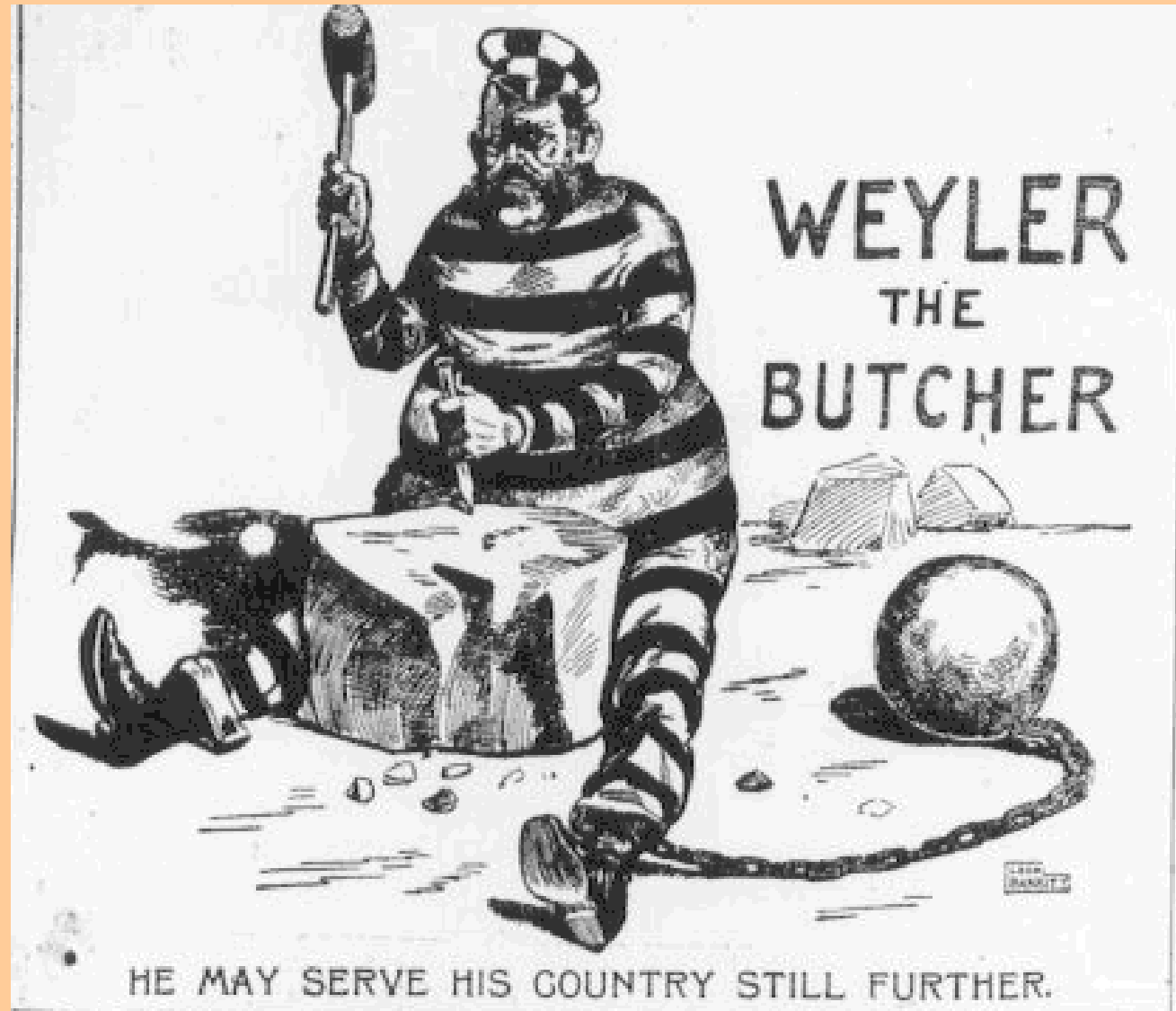
José Martí - Cuban patriot that wrote about the need for Cuban independence. He died fighting the Spanish in 1895.

José Martí - 1875



General Valeriano Weyler – Spanish governor of Cuba that used brutal tactics against the Cubans. He was responsible for detaining over 500,000 Cubans and killing over 100,000.

*** Americans sympathized with the Cuban desire for freedom.**



Yellow Journalism

- Joseph Pulitzer's *World* and William Randolph Hearst's *Journal* competed to publish the most grisly stories of Spanish cruelty.



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Washington, April 22.—The War Department has this afternoon (April 21) issued a call for 125,000 volunteers for the army.

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CALL TO DUTY!



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NO. 9
COLORS PRESENTED
YANKEE AND NAHANT

Preparing for the Final Blow at Cuba--New York Furnishes Twelve Regiments.

WASHINGTON, MAY 9.—THE WHOLE VOLUNTEER ARMY OF 125,000 MEN HAS BEEN ASSIGNED TO DUTY.

THE ORDERS WERE ISSUED THIS AFTERNOON TO THE VARIOUS STATES, AND THE TROOPS ARE COMMANDED TO MOVE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

FIFTY THOUSAND ARE TO MOBILIZE AT ONCE AT CHICKAMAUGA, 25,000 AT WASHINGTON, 6,000 AT SAN FRANCISCO, TO INVEST MANILA; 4,000 AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS; 3,000 AT NEW ORLEANS, 1,000 AT MOBILE, 1,000 AT TAMPA, AND THE REST ARE ASSIGNED TO THEIR RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENT COMMANDERS FOR RESERVE DUTY.

NEW YORK STATE IS ORDERED TO SEND FOUR REGIMENTS TO CHICKAMAUGA AT ONCE, TWO TO WASHINGTON, AND SIX ARE TO BE HELD FOR COAST DEFENCE DUTY.

Congress to-day made Commodore Dewey Rear Admiral as well as passing a vote of thanks to him and his men.

Sampson's fleet will be off Porto Rico to-morrow morning. No Spanish fleet has been sighted. The Montgomery has not had a fight with any war ship.

The Oregon arrived to-day at Bahia, Brazil.

The Government has decided to deal a decisive blow to Spain at once by land and sea.

Lieut. Rowan, who brought dispatches to Gomez, arrives in an open boat at Nassau, N. P.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT TO THE JOURNAL.

England's Prince Denies He Has Heard of an American Naval Defeat.

To the Editor of the New York Journal:

I have received no news whatever.

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- **political cartoons that portrayed the Spanish as bloodthirsty.**



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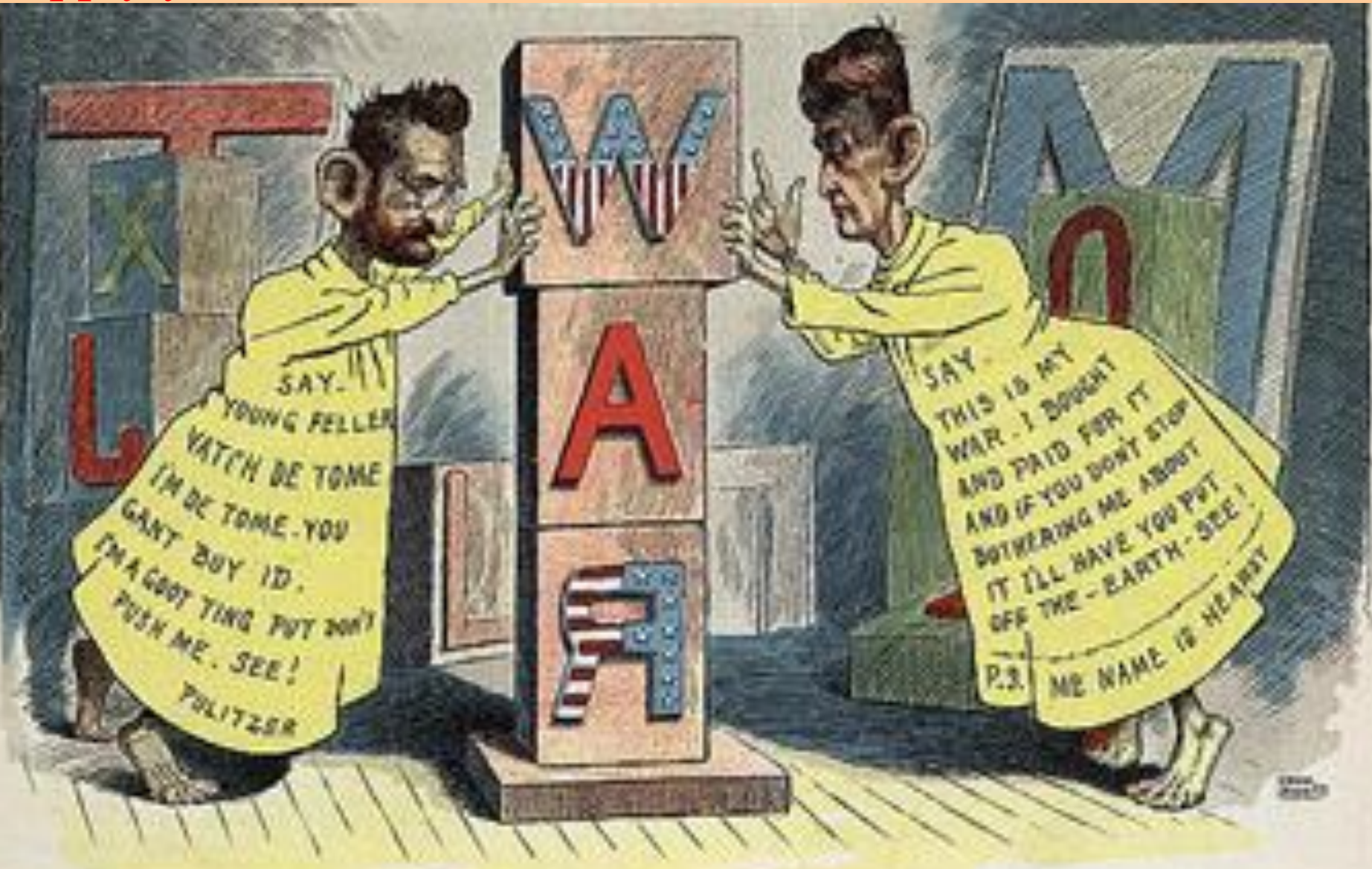
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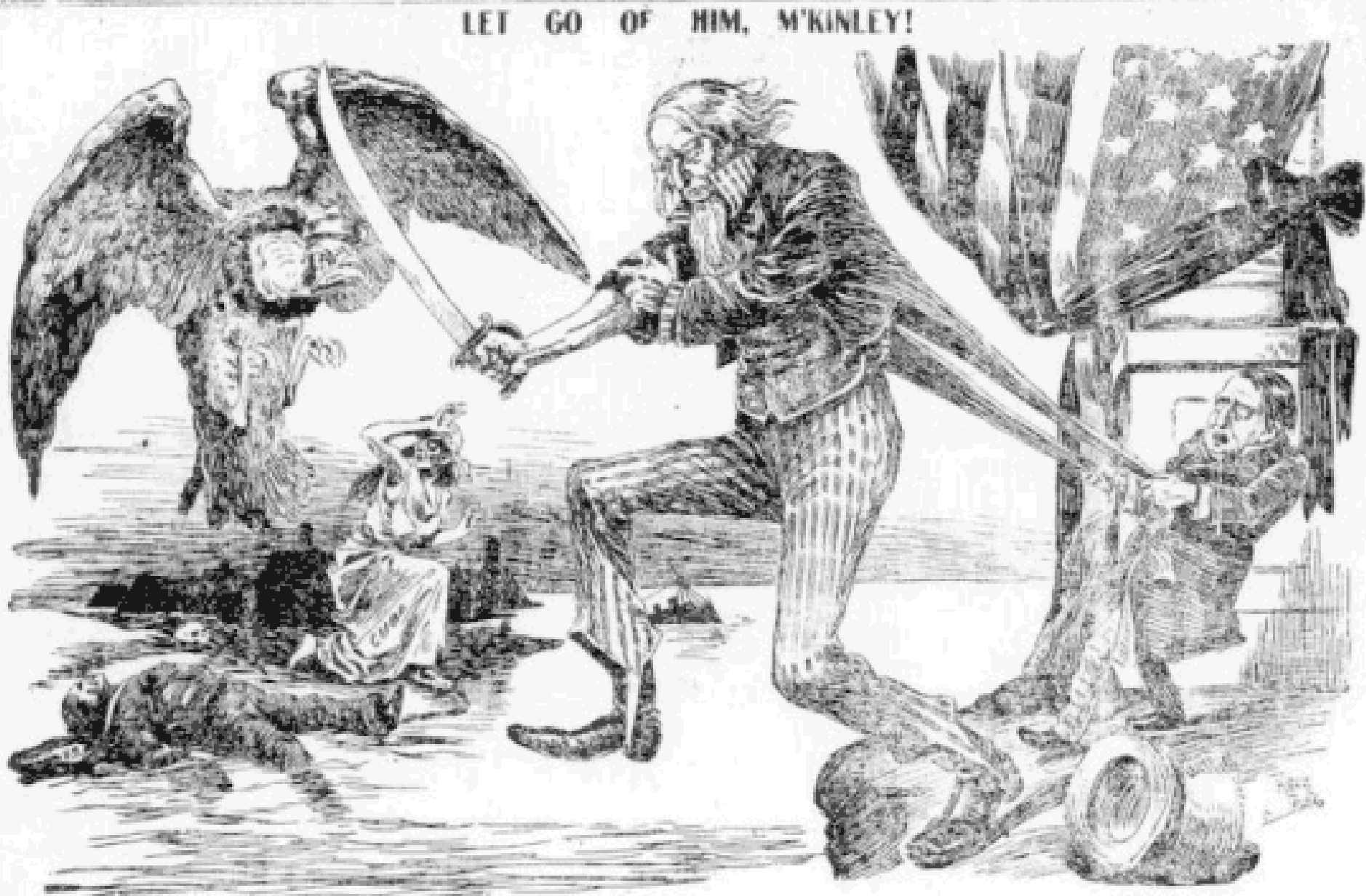
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THE SPANISH BRUTE
ADDS MUTILATION TO MURDER.

• Joseph Pulitzer once stated, “You supply me the photos, I’ll supply you the war.”

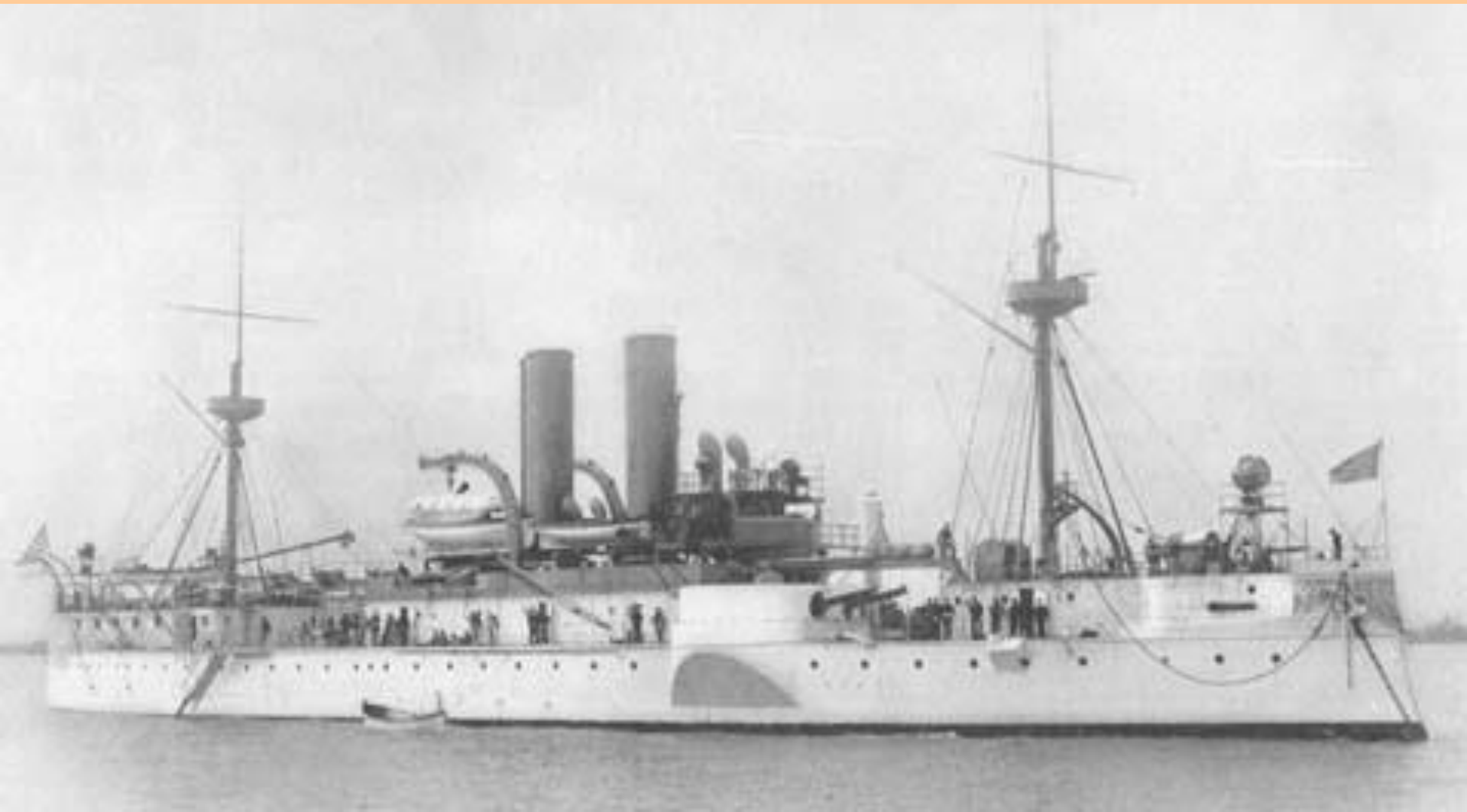


- **President McKinley**, however, wanted to avoid war with Spain.



Remember the *Maine*!

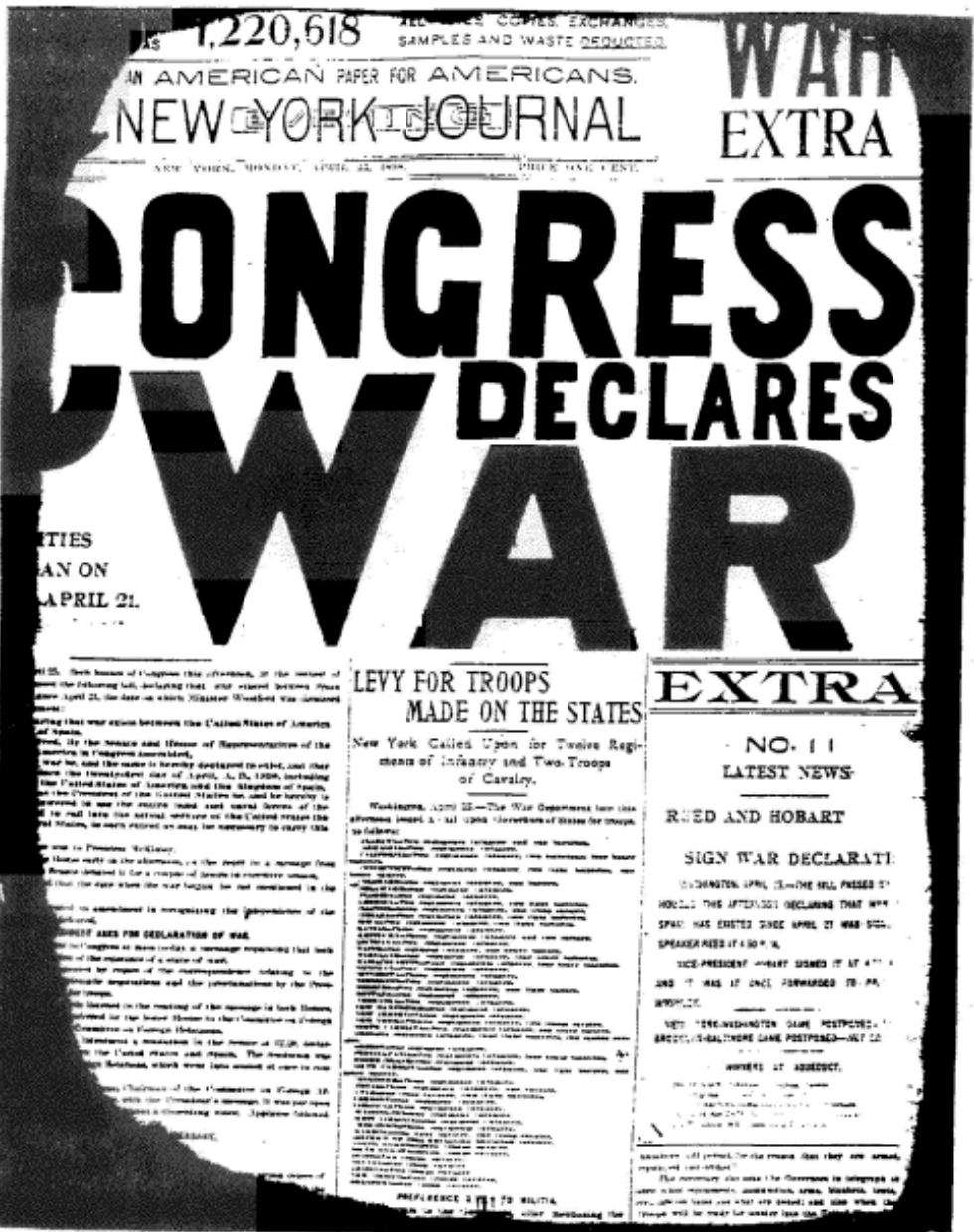
- President McKinley sent the battleship *Maine* to Cuba to protect American citizens and property.



- An explosion destroyed the *Maine* killing 260 U.S. sailors.



- Spain was accused of destroying the *Maine*, even though it has never been proven.



- On April 25, 1898, Congress declared war on Spain.

We Have Remembered THE Maine

Forgotten Them, Nay:
Avenged Now Are They.



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