

England did not want the U.S. supplying their enemies with supplies and food



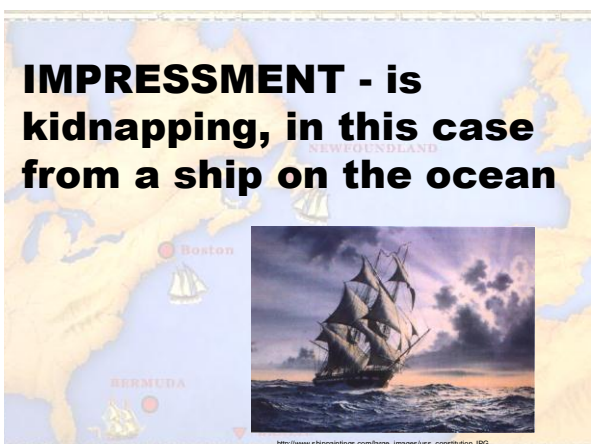
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TRIBUTE – protection money you pay in order to not be attacked or punished, sort of a bribe



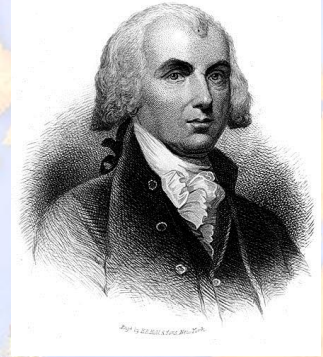
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The Embargo Act was a disaster - it hurt the U.S. economy very badly



JAMES MADISON wins the election of 1808



<http://earlyamerica.com/portraits/images/madison.jpg>

TECUMSEH - Shawnee chief that organized local tribes against the U.S. government



<http://www.galffm.com/1812/collections/people/tecumseh.jpg>

The Native Americans and the British join forces after the Battle of Tippecanoe



<http://www.galffm.com/1812/background/images/tippecanoe2-53.jpg>



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WAR HAWKS wanted war with England



<http://www.kidzone.ws/animals/hawk.jpg>

1. U.S. is upset about the impressment of American sailors



2. U.S. is upset about the British stopping their ships at sea



3. U.S. is upset the British have joined forces with the Native Americans



On June 18, 1812 the United States declares war on England



War to 1812 had 2 phases:

1) 1812 to 1814 – England concentrated on defeating the French, pay little attention to U.S.

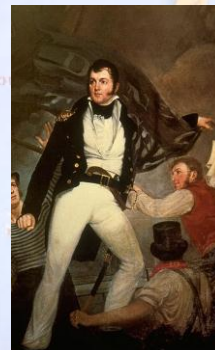
2) April of 1814 and on - after the British have defeated the French



The American army and navy was very weak at the start of the war



OLIVER HAZZARD PERRY was an American naval commander in charge of U.S. ships in the Great Lakes



OLIVER HAZZARD PERRY IN BATTLE OF THAMES



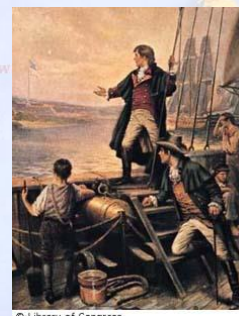
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The British burn the White House and most of Washington DC in the War of 1812



FRANCIS SCOTT KEY wrote the National Anthem as he watched the attack on Fort McHenry

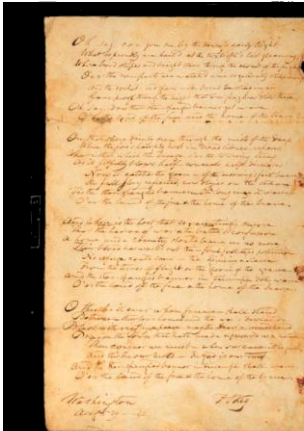




AMERICAN FLAG AT FORT MC HENRY



FORT MCHENRY



**ORIGINAL COPY OF THE
NATIONAL ANTHEM**

**WRITTEN BY FRANCIS
SCOTT KEY AS WATCH
THE BATTLE AT FORT
MCHENRY**

**The hero of
the BATTLE
OF NEW
ORLEANS was
GENERAL
ANDREW
JACKSON**



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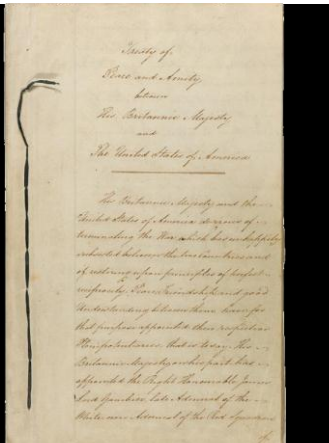
TREATY OF GHENT ended the War of 1812

Basically there was no clear winner and many trade disputes were still unsettled

SIGNING THE TREATY OF GHENT



ORIGINAL COPY OF THE TREATY OF GHENT



Consequences of the War of 1812:

1) Increased American patriotism



2) Weakened the strength of Native Americans toward the government of the United States



3) American trade was expanded and more manufacturing followed the war



**4) America
proved it
could defend
itself against
a major
world power**

