

Vocabulary

Allyship

Civilize

Empire

Infantilize/Infantilization

Occupation

Othering

Sovereignty

Documents 1 & 2: John T. McCutcheon, sketch of a ship towing two boats and sketch of *Isla de Mindanao* (1898)

What do you see in the sketch of the ship towing two boats? Describe as many details as possible.

What do you see in the sketch of the *Isla de Mindanao*? Describe as many details as possible.

Write an informative, one sentence caption for each of these sketches.

Document 3: Samuel Shera, photograph of a group of boys (undated)

What are your initial reactions to this photo?

Why do you think Shera captioned his photo this way? Use one of the vocabulary words in your responses.

NAME: _____ DATE: _____

Write a letter to one or all of the boys in the photo. What do you wish to know about them?

Document 4: Samuel Shera, photograph of Filipino Boy Scouts (undated)

List five things you notice in this image. Based on these things, pick three adjectives to describe the scene in the image.

Think about the adjectives you chose. What argument do you think this image is making about US involvement in the Philippines?

How do different kinds of media (photos, newspaper articles, sketches, reports, etc.) convey different kinds of information?

What is the role of media during a war?

Document 5: Filipe Agoncillo, “To the American People” (1900)

What reasons does Agoncillo give for the case of Philippine Independence?

Choose 1-2 strong lines (lines that stand out to you for any reason) and explain why they stand out.

Document 6: “McKinley vs. Hoar,” *New York Evening Post* (1900)

In 2-3 sentences, summarize McKinley's position on US imperialism in the Philippines.

In 2-3 sentences, summarize Hoar's position on US imperialism in the Philippines.

What issues do they disagree on? Who should have won the debate? Explain your answer using ideas from the text.

Write down 2-3 questions that you'd ask these politicians to debate.

Documents 7 & 8: from William E. Parson's time in the Philippines

How does Parsons describe the Philippines, its government, and its people? Based on this tone, what do you think he thought of the Philippine civilians and their government?

What items in Parsons' list stand out to you or surprise you?

Write your own receipt with items that show the cost of war. Add items that are more than material objects or ones that may be priceless.