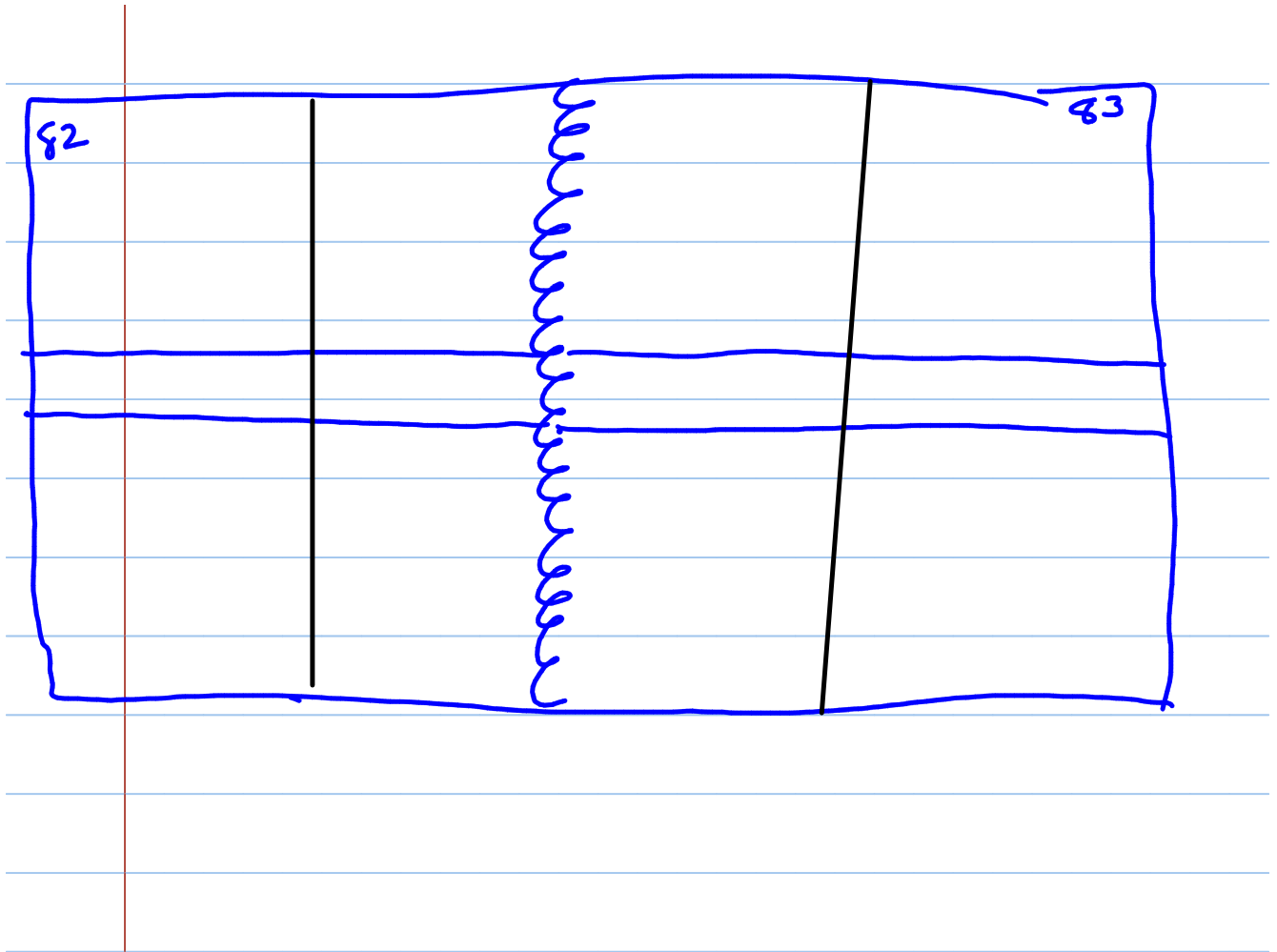
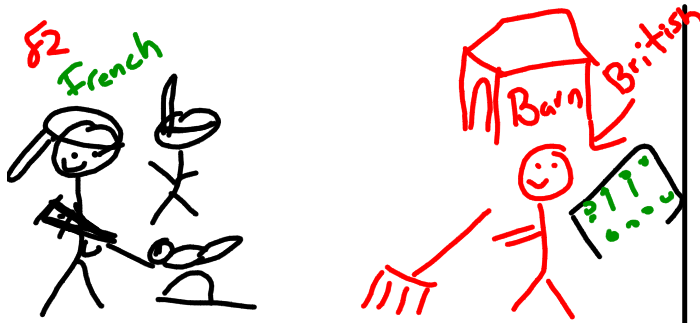


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French & Indian War 1754-1760

They were fighting over land. The French & Indians wanted it for beaver. The British wanted it for farming.

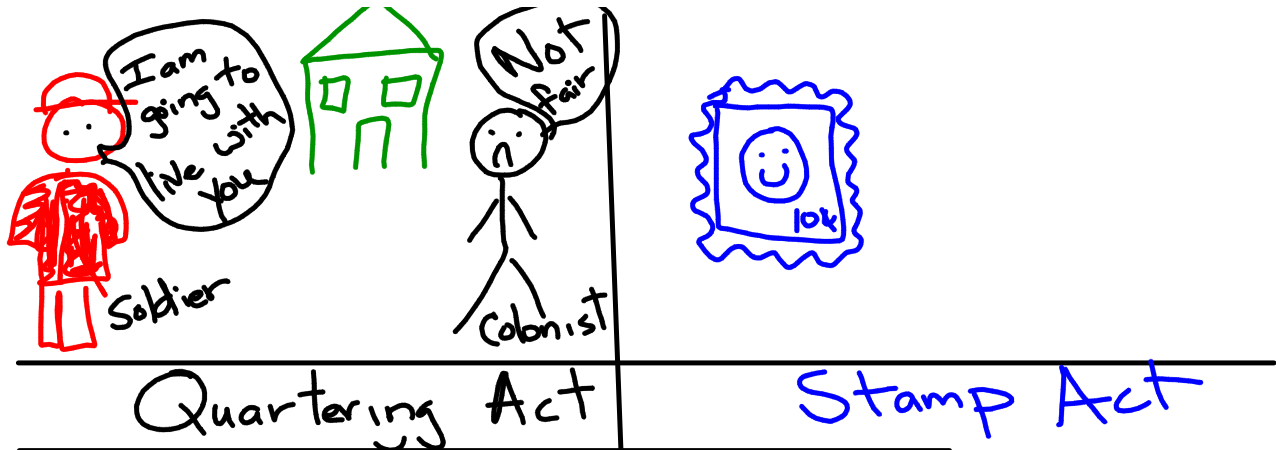
The British won, but it cost them a lot of money to win the war. Soldiers & supplies cost money. They borrowed money to pay for the war.



Proclamation of 1763

The King of England made a law that colonists can't go west of the Appalachian mountains. He wanted to keep the colonists safe from the Native Americans and didn't have money to pay for more soldiers to protect them. The colonists were not happy.

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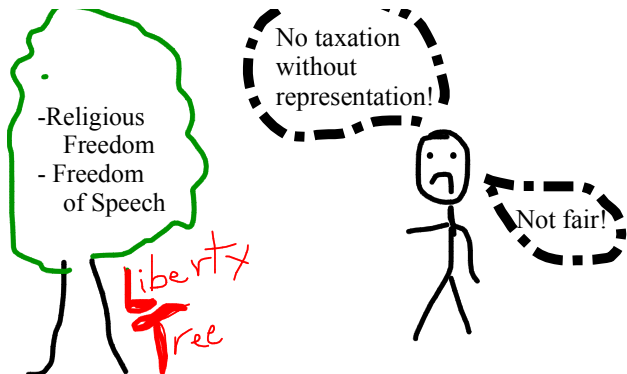


After the war, the British kept soldiers in the colonies to protect and keep an eye on them. King George said the colonists must quarter (house), the British soldiers. The colonists didn't like it.

**Stamp Act:** To pay for the war and the soldiers, Britain required the colonist to pay taxes when they bought items such as newspapers, calendars and playing cards. They marked the items with a stamp to show they had paid the tax.

They also taxed sugar & molasses in the **Sugar Act**.

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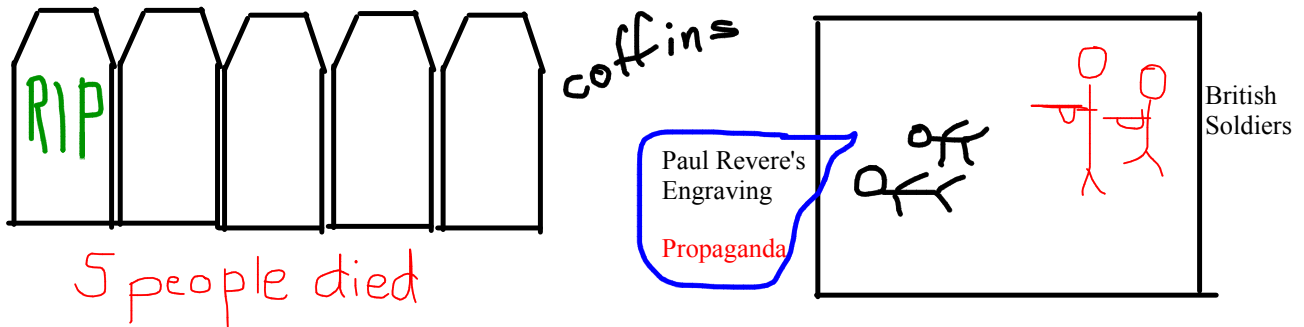
No taxation without representation!

### **Sons of Liberty**

Groups formed to protest against the British. They didn't have a say in the laws because they didn't have any delegates in Parliament.

### **Repeal of Stamp Act- 1766**

The colonists boycotted English goods. British Parliament repealed (cancelled) the Stamp Act.



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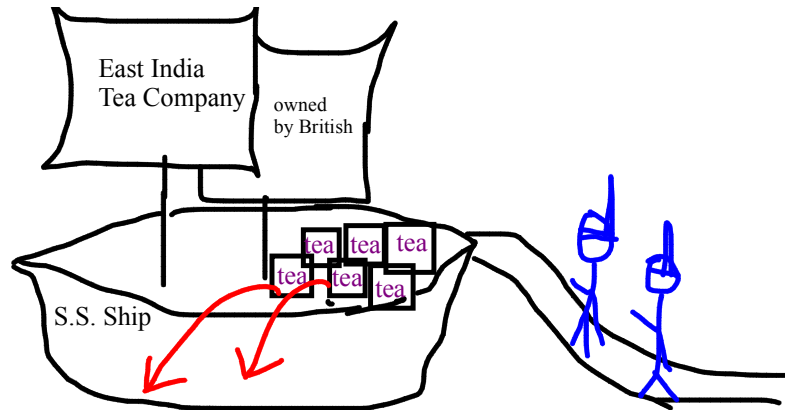
## Boston Massacre- 1770

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Colonists were throwing rocks and snowballs at the British soldiers. A soldier thought he heard someone say, "Fire!" so they shot into the angry mob. 5 people died. Some colonists exaggerated the story in hopes of making more people dislike the British.

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Tea Act- Could only buy  
British Tea.



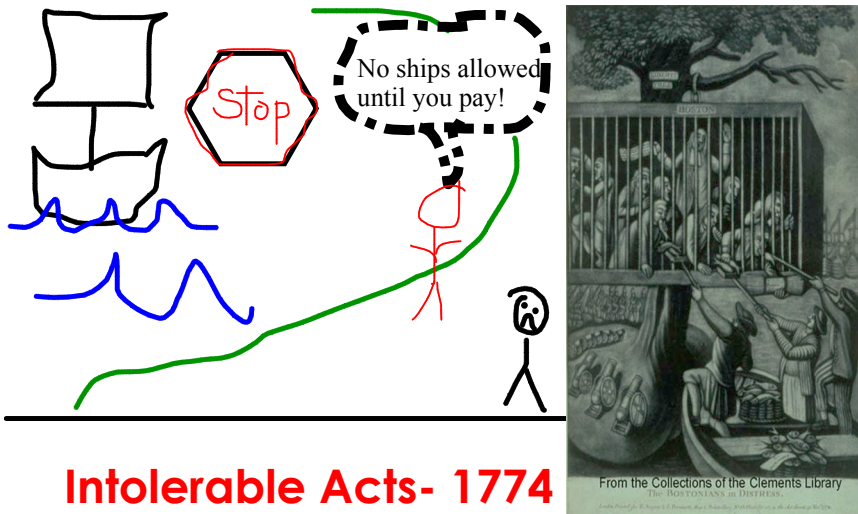
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### **Boston Tea Party- 1773**

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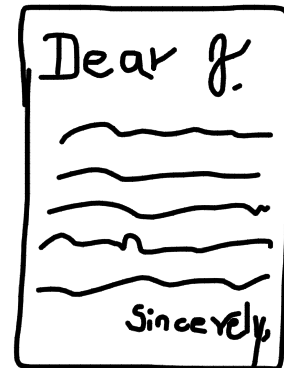
To protest the Tea Act, colonists dressed as Native Americans and boarded a British ship. They threw all the crates of tea in the Harbor. This made the British very angry.

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### Intolerable Acts- 1774

To punish them for dumping the tea, Britain would not let any ships in or out of the Boston harbor until they paid for the tea. They also made other unbearable laws.



### Committees of Correspondence

Colonists wrote letters to other colonies telling them what Britain was doing. People sent food and supplies. Colonists became angry!

## Intolerable Acts

Event	Year	What Happened?	Reaction
Proclamation of 1763	1763	<p>-Result of <u>French &amp; Indian</u> War.</p> <p>-The <u>British</u> government set a western boundary for the colonies.</p>	<p>-Colonists were <u>angry</u> they had been told they could not move to the west.</p> <p>-Colonists felt it took away their rights. Some believed the King did not have <u>authority</u>.</p>
Quartering Act	1765	<p>-Colonists had to <u>house</u> and feed British <u>soldiers</u></p>	<p>-Colonists felt they should not have to <u>pay</u> for British soldiers and protested the Act.</p>
Stamp Act	1765	<p>-A <u>tax</u> was placed on <u>paper</u> goods like playing cards, licenses and newspapers.</p> <p>-A <u>stamp</u> was placed on the item to show the tax was paid.</p>	<p>-Colonists said it was an <u>unfair</u> tax.</p> <p>- “No taxation without <u>representation</u>” which meant they should have a say in the government.</p> <p>-Colonists <u>boycotted</u> British goods and the law was eventually repealed.</p>
Boston Massacre	1770	<p>-Britain sent more <u>soldiers</u></p> <p>-British <u>fire</u> on colonists and five colonists are killed.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Paul Revere makes an engraving that may not tell the whole story.</li> <li>- Talk of war begins.</li> </ul>



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Committees of Correspondence	1772	-Samuel Adams called for a Boston town meeting to create a committee to communicate Boston's position on issues to the other _____.	-Similar _____ were soon created throughout the colonies.
Tea Act	1773	-Allowed one company to sell _____ at a lower price.	-Colonists called it interference.
Boston Tea Party	1773	-Colonists tossed _____ into the Boston Harbor as a _____ against the Tea Act.	-British were _____ and demanded payment for the tea.  -British passed new _____  -British blockaded Boston Harbor.
Intolerable Acts	1774	-The British passed four new laws as _____ for the Boston Tea Party.  -The British _____ Boston Harbor until colonists _____ the money lost when the tea was dumped in the harbor.  -British would not let Boston have town meetings.	-Some colonists got weapons  -Colonists wrote to other colonies and they sent supplies to help.  Colonists decided to meet to _____: First Continental Congress

## **Intolerable Acts**