Florida’s Historic Places: Ybor City

Answer the following questions after discussing the article in class.

1. How did Ybor City become the “Cigar Capital of the World?” Use details and information from the article to support your answer.

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   THINK
   EXPLAIN

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2. Why was Ybor City called “Little Havana?”
   A. It was in Cuba.
   B. It was smaller than Havana.
   C. It had Cuban, Spanish, and Italian residents.
   D. It was started by Cubans.

3. Which is NOT a reason the cigar industry declined in Ybor City?
   F. competition by machines
   G. popularity of cigarettes
   H. the Depression
   I. the weather

4. Who built the railroad connecting Ybor City with Tampa?
   A. Gutiérrez
   B. Haya
   C. Ybor
   D. Roosevelt