Spanish-American War for Cuba’s Independence

Answer the following questions after discussing the article in class. You may reread parts of the article as you answer.

1. Why was the United States interested in Cuba’s fight for independence from Spain? Use details and information from the article in your answer.

   

2. Who was the leader of the revolution in Cuba?
   
   A. Theodore Roosevelt
   B. José Martí
   C. Thomas Estrada Palma
   D. Commodore George Dewey

3. Where was the first major battle of the Spanish-American War fought?
   
   F. Philippine Islands
   G. Cuba
   H. Florida
   I. Puerto Rico

4. Who were the Rough Riders?
   
   A. a group of businessmen and farmers
   B. a group of cowboys and athletes
   C. a troop of soldiers
   D. a troop of Cubans