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<b>TEMATICKÁ OBLAST</b>	Historie USA
<b>PŘEDMĚT</b>	Anglický jazyk
<b>ANOTACE</b>	Prezentace slouží studentům k osvojení si základních faktů týkajících se historie USA do 20. století.
<b>METODIKA</b>	Nutná pomůcka: projekční technika
<b>CÍLOVÁ SKUPINA (TŘÍDA/ROČNÍK)</b>	Žák (prima – sexta)
<b>STUPEŇ A TYP VZDĚLÁVÁNÍ</b>	Základní a střední vzdělávání
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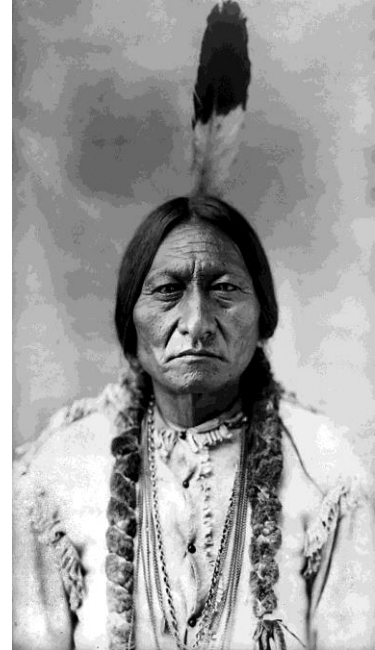
# First peoples

- The native Americans, whom Columbus named Indians, crossed the Bering Strait and settled this continent 35 000 years ago.
- They profited from the natural wealth, fur trade and brought home new plants.
- video **Christopher Columbus**
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EZEEdQ3hWmU>

# Explorers

- From 1492 (official discovery of this continent by Christopher Columbus) to 1776, North America served as a colonial land to many Western European countries.
- The Spanish – Florida, Texas, California
- The French – Louisiana territory
- The Dutch – New Amsterdam
- The English – Jamestown (Virginia 1607)
- 1620 Massachussets Bay colony (Boston)

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# War for Independence

- **Boston Tea Party** 1773 started the struggle for independence. A war between the redcoats (the British) and the patriots (American militarymen) led by George Washington.
- After the battle of New York and Saratoga, the patriots forced their enemy to surrender in 1781.
- On July 4, 1776, the **Declaration of Independence** was signed and denied colonial obligations to England. Written by Thomas Jefferson. George Washington became the first president.
- Video:
- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wjfrexe61XI>

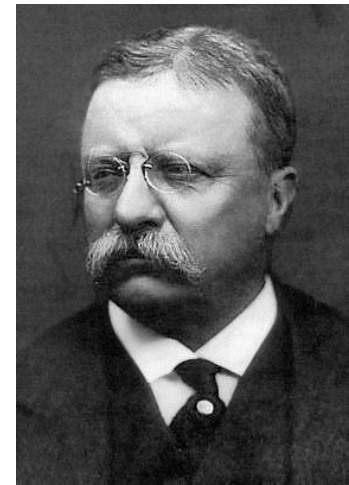
# Civil War

- The existence of slavery was tolerated by the Constitution but soon became a major conflict between the North and the South.
- The Northerners – The Union - Republican party (Abraham Lincoln) wanted to abolish slavery.
- The Southerners – the Confederate States of America - Democratic party – against it.
- The North won. Although the blacks were declared free, they continued to be completely segregated.
- Video - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1gfl6rHFUuQ>

# 20th century

- At the beginning of the 20th century , the United States were becoming a world power.
- Theodore Roosevelt (1901-1909) became the first strong president after many years.
- American expansion – Alaska, Hawai.
- The American economy was prospering - roaring twenties.

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