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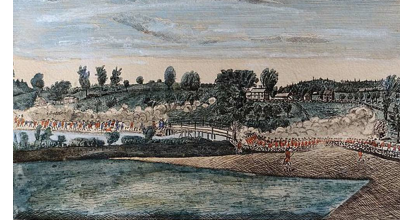
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# American Revolution - Vocab Cards

## Battle of Concord ]>

a battle of the Revolutionary War that occurred in Massachusetts after the Battle of Lexington in 1775. After Lexington, the British marched on, searching for weapons. The colonists used guerrilla-style tactics and defeated them in this battle.

The colonists used guerrilla-style tactics to surprise the British and defeated them at the \_Battle of Concord\_ in 1775.



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## Battle of Lexington ]>

the first battle of the American Revolution in 1775, where the British outnumbered the colonists. No one knows who fired the first shot. This battle ended with the colonists retreating.

No one knows if the Americans or the British fired the first shot at the American Revolution's \_Battle of Lexington\_ in 1775.



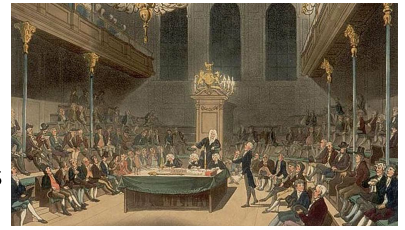
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## Intolerable Acts ]>

a series of laws passed by British Parliament, which, in part, took away Massachusetts' right to self government. The acts were designed to punish the colonies after the Boston Tea Party.

British Parliament created the \_Intolerable Acts\_, which revoked Massachusetts' right to self-government, in order to punish the colonies after the Boston Tea Party.



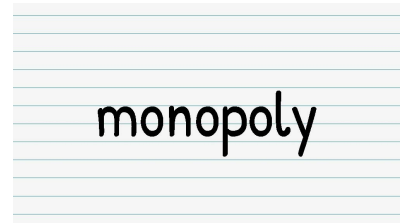
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## monopoly ]>

**exclusive control over a service or product on the market.**

The powerful business owner bought out her competition until she had a total \_monopoly\_ on the industry.



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**Paul Revere ]>**

**an American silversmith and patriot during the American Revolution. He rode to Lexington to warn the Patriot army of the arrival of British troops in 1775.**

When British troops arrived in 1775, revolutionary patriot \_Paul Revere\_ rode to Lexington in order to warn his fellow men.



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**redcoat ]>**

**a nickname for the British soldiers in the American Revolution and other wars because of their bright red uniform jackets.**

The British soldier was called a \_redcoat\_ because of the color of his uniform.



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## revolution ]>

**an attempt by many people to overthrow an established government or system.**

The goal of the \_revolution\_ was to remove the corrupt government. That's why people had planned the rebellion.

Synonyms: revolt, coup, rebellion

Antonyms: calmness, order, harmony, stagnation



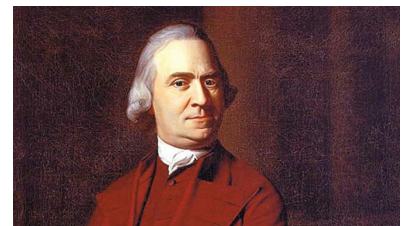
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## Samuel Adams ]>

**a Massachusetts politician who led the movement that became the American Revolution during the late 18th century. He served in public office from 1774 until 1797.**

The movement that became the American Revolution during the late 18th century was led by Massachusetts politician \_Samuel Adams\_.



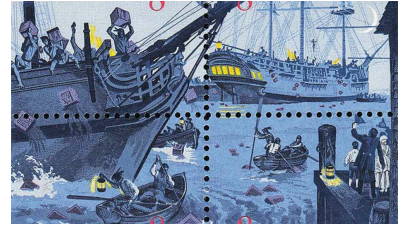
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## Tea Acts ]>

an act passed by the British Parliament that created a monopoly on tea in the colonies and was unfair to American tea merchants. These acts caused the Boston Tea Party.

British Parliament controlled all sales of tea by establishing the \_Tea Acts\_. The colonies rebelled by staging the Boston Tea Party.



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