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Death of Carlos III led to U.S. being able to pluck territories from Spain more aggressively 1789 death p105

Robert Livingston made the deal and James Monroe saved it
Federalists thought LA Purchase went against Const. - p321

Treaty of San Ildefonso - LA (secret treaty) goes from Spain to France

* Aug 20, 1786 - never before published document from Gardoqui to Flourens and Carlos III
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Jay/Gardoqui negotiations (secret)
northern interested in a treaty that would close Miss River for 25-30 years. in exchange for access to Spanish ports

Monroe - River should open

Jay of New York vs. Pinckney of S.C. - speech on floor of House

Oct 1, 1800 Spain ceded LA back to France p214

Haitian debacle swallowed up ^{French} men intended for New Orleans

Famous bathroom incident - Napoleon/Lucien/Joseph
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Treaty of San Lorenzo - one of the great successes in American diplomacy

Thomas Pinckney - amb to Madrid

Edmond Charles Genet - french minister to U.S.

Andre Michoud - abandoned trek toward Pacific

George Rogers Clark

James Wilkinson

Walt Frazer Abolishes slavery

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