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CHAPTER:- 01

COLD WAR

Cuban missile crisis :-

1. Cuba is a small island nation of the coast of the US & Fidel Castro, the president of this country.
2. Cuba was an ally of the Soviet Union & received both diplomatic & financial aid from it .
3. Nikita Khrushchev the leader of the Soviet Union decided to convert Cuba into a Russian base in 1962 & placed nuclear missiles in Cuba.
4. The installation of these weapons put the US, under fire from close range & nearly doubled the number of cities in the US could be threatened by the USSR.
5. 3 weeks after Americans beome aware of it.
6. The US president john .f. Kennedy was against to do anything that might lead to full-scale nuclear war between 2 countries.
7. US wanted that USSR remove the missile & nuclear weapons from
8. Kennedy ordered American warships to intercept any Soviet ships entering toCuba a way of warning the USSR of his seriousness. It is known as Cuban missile crisis.