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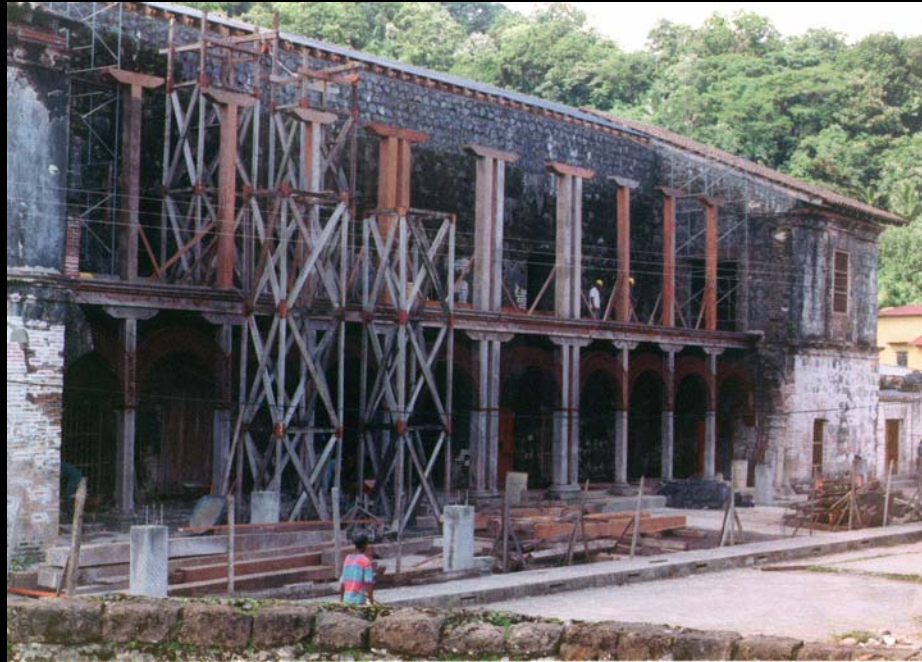


# Ruins of Colonial Church



**Panama City was the major Pacific Coast port. Several Caribbean towns also served as the terminal point for the flotas (convoys) coming to the Isthmus. Porto Belo was the important Caribbean port during the eighteenth-century.**

# Porto Belo: Customs House



# Porto Belo: Ruins of Colonial Church



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# Porto Belo: Harbor from Fort



# Ruins of Colonial House





# Porto Belo: Community Cemetery Once Used as a Slave Pen



**Today, the ruins of Colonial Panama remain as a reminder of an interesting and varied past.**