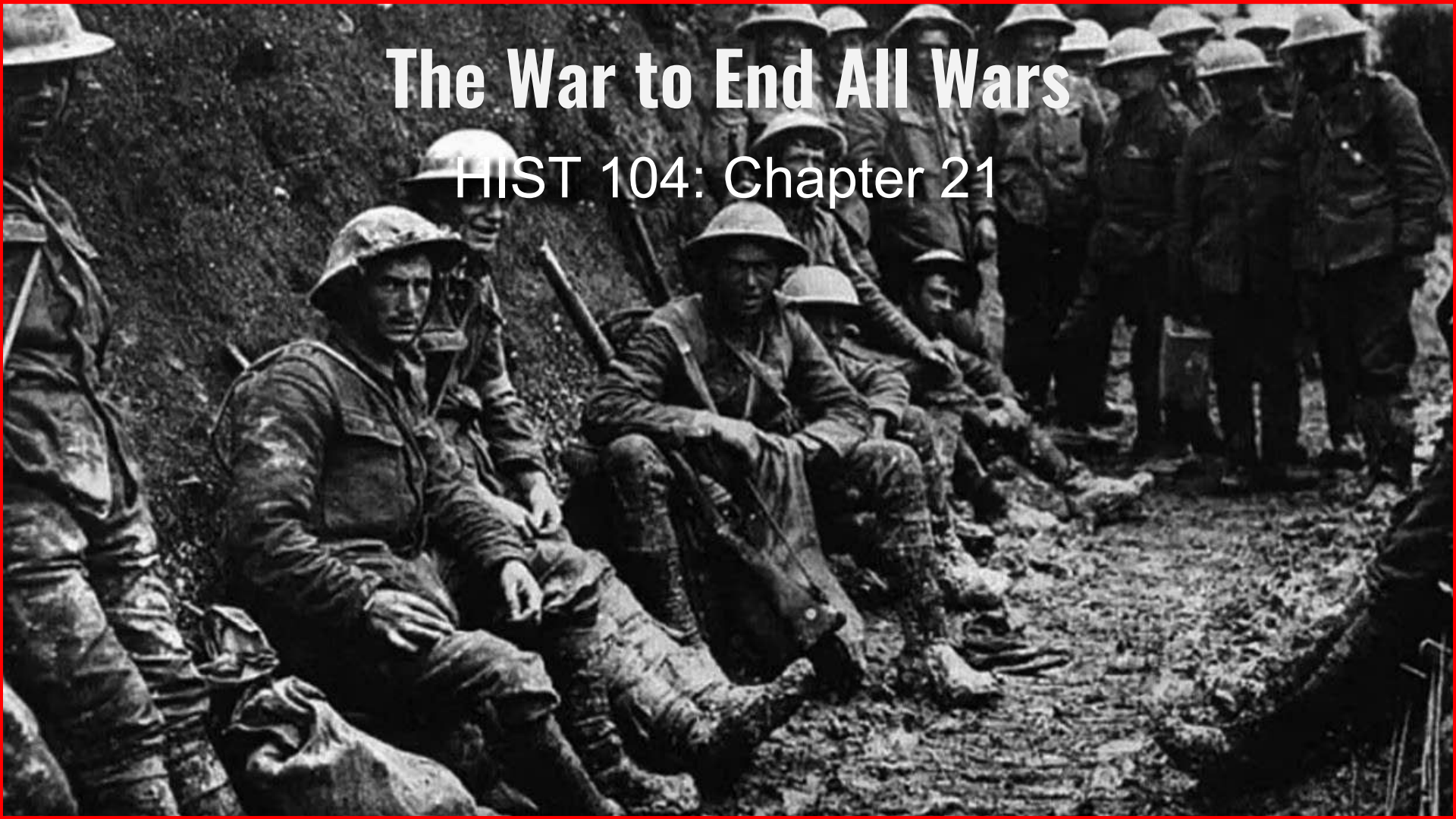


The War to End All Wars

HIST 104: Chapter 21



What caused the Great War?

the world changed from monarchies to forms of popular rule

Were there significant causes of war?

Was it just a tragic series of blunders?

Was it caused by a weak international system?

Was it because of groups of poor alliances?

Was it negligence of leadership in Europe?

Was it a fight for control of Europe: Germany & Great Britain?

Making Alliances

Triple Entente

Great Britain

France

Russia

Italy

Serbia

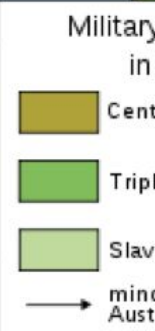
Triple Alliance

Germany

Austro-Hungarian Empire

Italy

Ottoman Empire



American Neutrality

If you were Wilson and the American government, which side would you choose to support? Why?

American Neutrality

How would you remain economically neutral?

Challenging American Neutrality

Lusitania





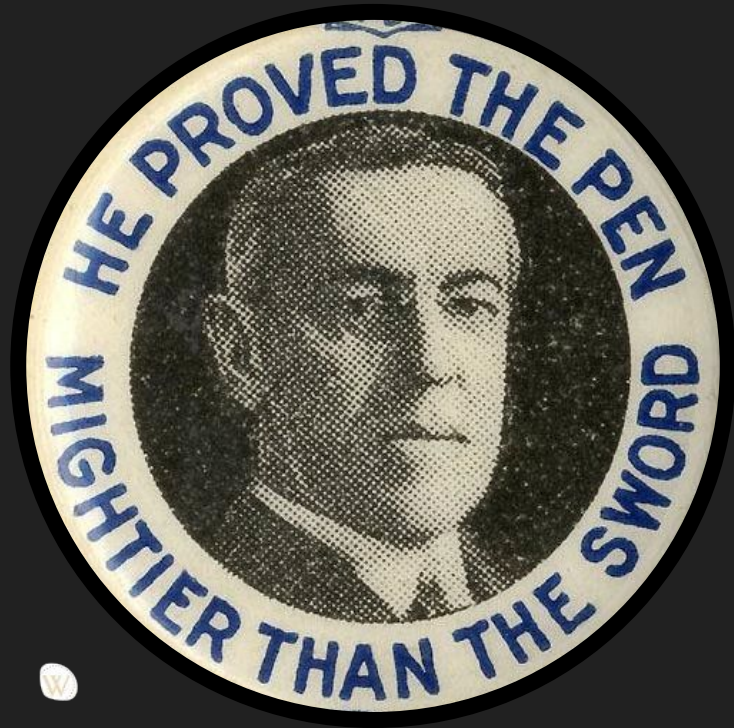
Challenging American Neutrality

Sussex

"SUSSEX" 1896 ASHORE AT BOULOGNE AFTER BEING TORPEDOED 25 MARCH 1916

Challenging American Neutrality

Re-election of Wilson



Challenging American Neutrality

permanent League of Nations



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MAILED
October 1-8-58
H. H. Morrison, State Dept.

FROM 2nd from London # 5747.

By Mark A. Eckhoff, Activist
Date Oct. 27, 1958

Zimmerman telegram

"We intend to begin on the first of February unrestricted submarine warfare. We shall endeavor in spite of this to keep the United States of America neutral. In the event of this not succeeding, we make Mexico a proposal of alliance on the following basis: make war together, make peace together, generous financial support and an understanding on our part that Mexico is to reconquer the lost territory in Texas, New Mexico, and



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U. S. AT WAR: WILSON

U-BOAT SINKS AZTEC, ARMED U. S. STEAMER

Americans in Crew Are Believed Victims of Blow in Dark.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The Arizona warship today issued its final dispatch regarding the mysterious sinking of the U. S. steamer Aztec, armed with a German submarine, according to reports received here from the United States coast at New Orleans.

The ship was carrying passengers including one of the crew of the American transport ship Park, and a number of the crew had been killed by a single submarine.

NOW FOR THE DEEDS



BOTH HOUSES HASTEN WORK ON PROGRAM

Resolution Will Be Passed at Once—Universal Service Aided.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING
Washington, D. C., April 2.—The two-house administration of universal military training work to begin to day was at the senate report.

The senate report included the provisions of a bill of universal military training, which shall be the basis of the House bill.

Members of the committee will be called on to debate and to report on the bill.

THE DECLARATION

A JOINT resolution passed by the senate and approved by both houses in the house of representatives, and referred to the foreign relations committee.

"That resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States government and the people of the United States and making provision to prosecute the war:

"Whereas, the recent acts of the imperial German government are acts of war against the government and people of the United States;

"Resolved, that the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the imperial German government which has thus been declared against the United States is hereby formally declared.

"That the president be and he is hereby authorized and directed to take immediate steps not only to put the country in a thorough state of defense but also to assist all of its allies and allies off of its resources to carry on war against the imperial German government and to bring the matter to a successful

"WE MUST FIGHT FOR JUSTICE AND RIGHTS

President Tells Joint Session of Congress That German Monarchy Is Threat to All Mankind.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 2.—(Special)—President Wilson's special address to Congress, calling for aid against Germany, delivered tonight, follows:—

"Members of the Congress: I have called the Congress together only because I believe that we are now in a very serious situation of peril to be met, and made immediately, which it was our duty to meet immediately, and which it was our duty to meet immediately, and which it was our duty to meet immediately.

"On the 3d of February last I officially told before you the extraordinary announcement of the imperial German government that on and after the 1st day of February it was its purpose to put into effect a policy of unrestricted submarine warfare and that it was its intention to sink every vessel that sought to approach either the ports of Great Britain

America at Sea

Would sea power be enough?

A black and white historical photograph showing a large group of American Expeditionary Force soldiers. They are standing in a long, straight line, facing right. The soldiers are wearing dark, heavy military coats and M1 helmets. Some are holding rifles. In the foreground, two officers in dress uniforms with peaked caps are looking towards the right. The background is a flat, open field under a clear sky.

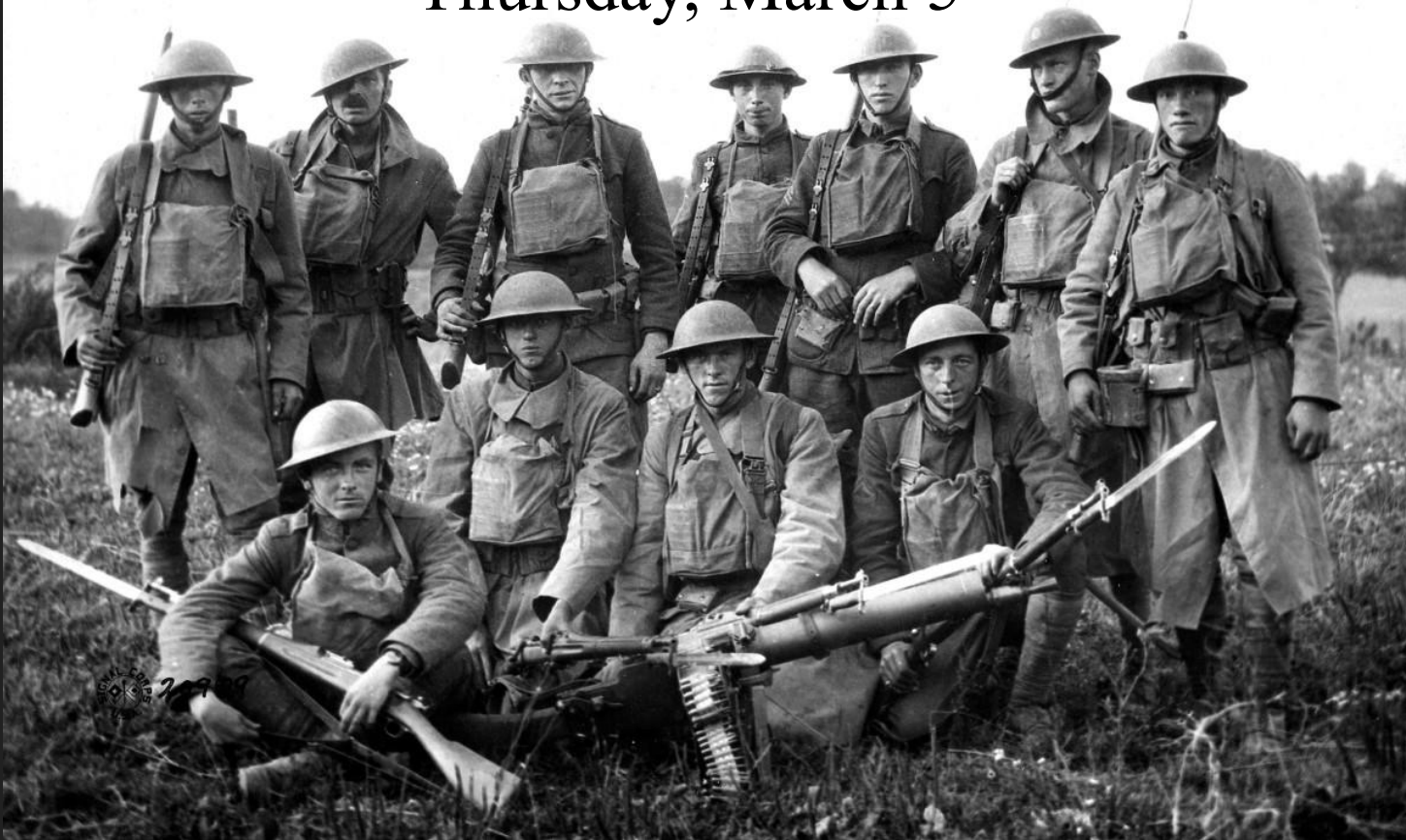
American Expeditionary Force

120,000 + 80,000

Selective Service Act

North Dakota and World War I

Thursday, March 5



North Dakota Voices from the Great War



Making history come to life



The Work of a Historian

The Historical Process

Asking the right questions

Finding an interest

Diving into the sources

The Work of a Historian

Be your own Historian

Write down...

Hobbies or Classes you enjoy.

Extracurriculars or jobs you want.

How do you identify yourself.

Anything important about yourself.

How do we make these Historical Questions?



Canvas Reading

Pick 1 Primary Source to Read

Based on topic that interests you

Take notes on:

Confusing points/ Questions

Prior knowledge

Relate to your historical questions

What does this tell me about the war?



T.W. Lindsay
Battle of Belleau Wood



The Air War Charles Heater



North Dakota Sports Stars

Albert Beltman



The Roll of Honor

Top row—left to right

John Boehm Fay Glark
Rudolph Boehm George Kelley

Middle Row—left to right

Harold Beltman Earl Griffin
Charles Garmichael

Bottom Row—left to right

Leslie Sansburn George Stine
Raymond Wells Erich Schwandt

Albert Beltmann

arrived too late for the group photo
and a separate picture was made

Nurses and Doctors

Jennie
Mahoney



Espionage Act of 1917

Kate Richards O'Hare



The Work of a Historian

“What Was it Really Like?”





November 11, 1918

Where does the world go from here?

Technology of War

Machine Guns



Trench Warfare



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Aircraft can warn of the build-up of enemy troops before an attack.



Concrete block house for a machine-gun

Long-range artillery is placed about 10 km behind the front line. These guns fire at advancing enemy troops.

Barbed wire: metres deep and an impassable obstacle for any troops able to reach it.

Front-line trench

Support trench

Reserve trench

Communication trenches allow reserves to be brought forward without exposing them to enemy fire.

No Man's Land (the stretch of land between the trenches of the opposing sides) has already been churned up by shell fire. In wet weather it becomes a mass of mud, making it even harder for troops to cross.

Front-line dug-outs provide protection but not against a direct hit from an artillery shell.

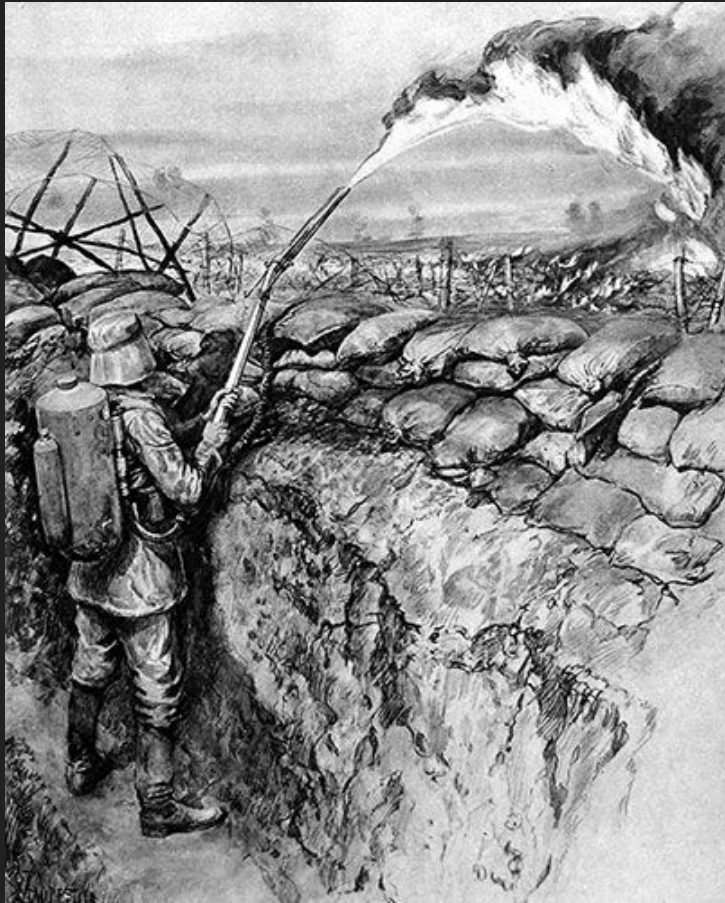
A deep dug-out: German ones could be 15 m below ground and too well constructed to be damaged by shell fire.

PROBLEMS FACING ATTACKING TROOPS

Artillery & Tanks



Flamethrowers



Chemical Weapons



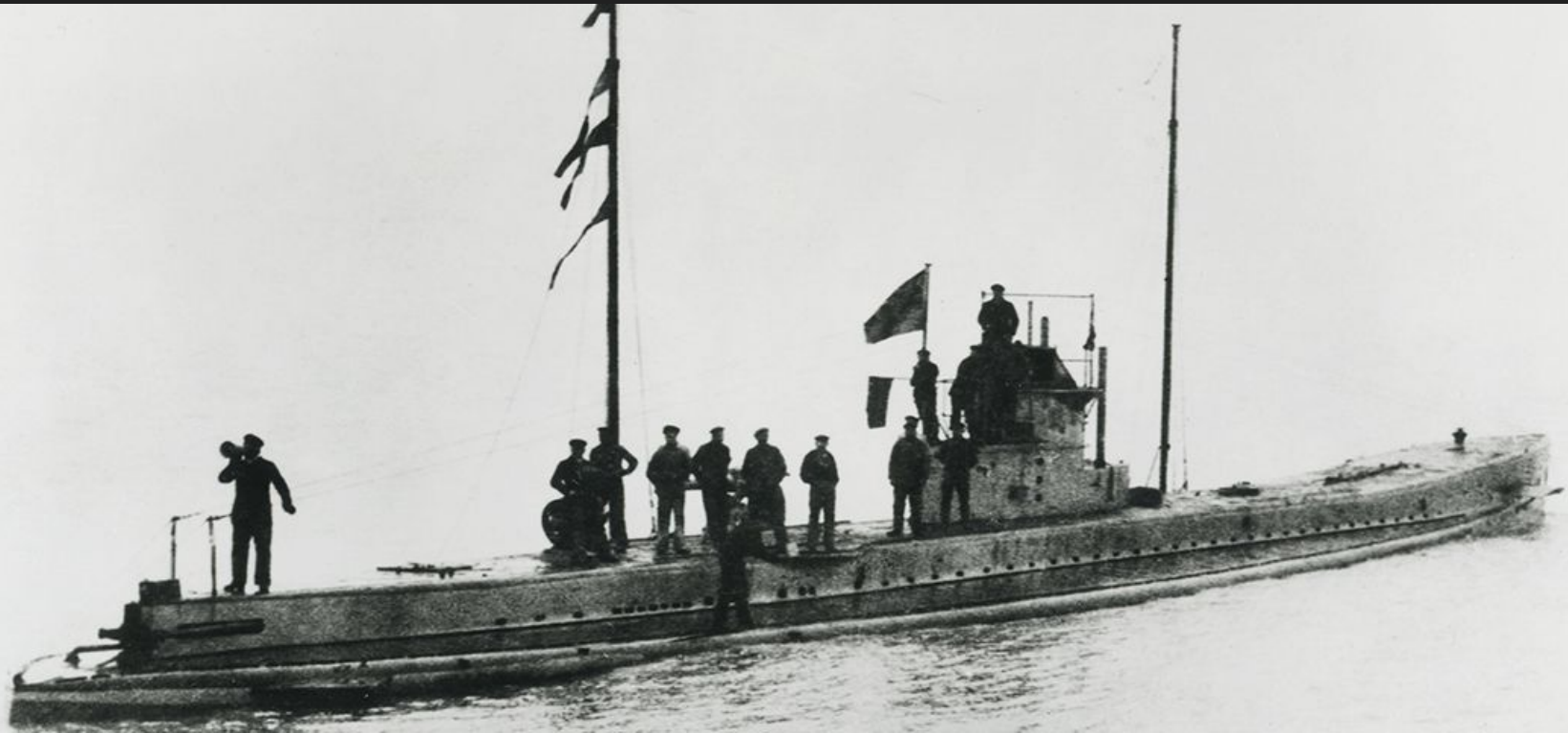
Airplanes



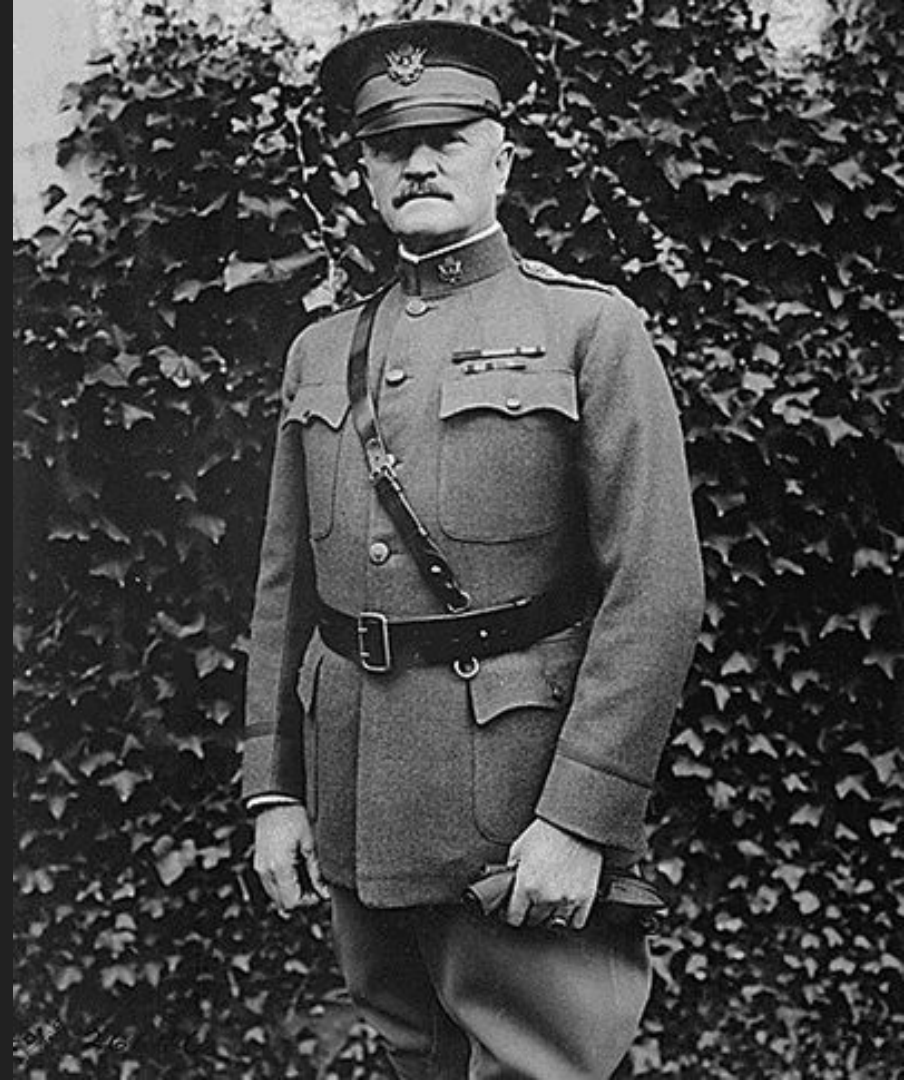
Most Modern - NAVY



German U-Boat

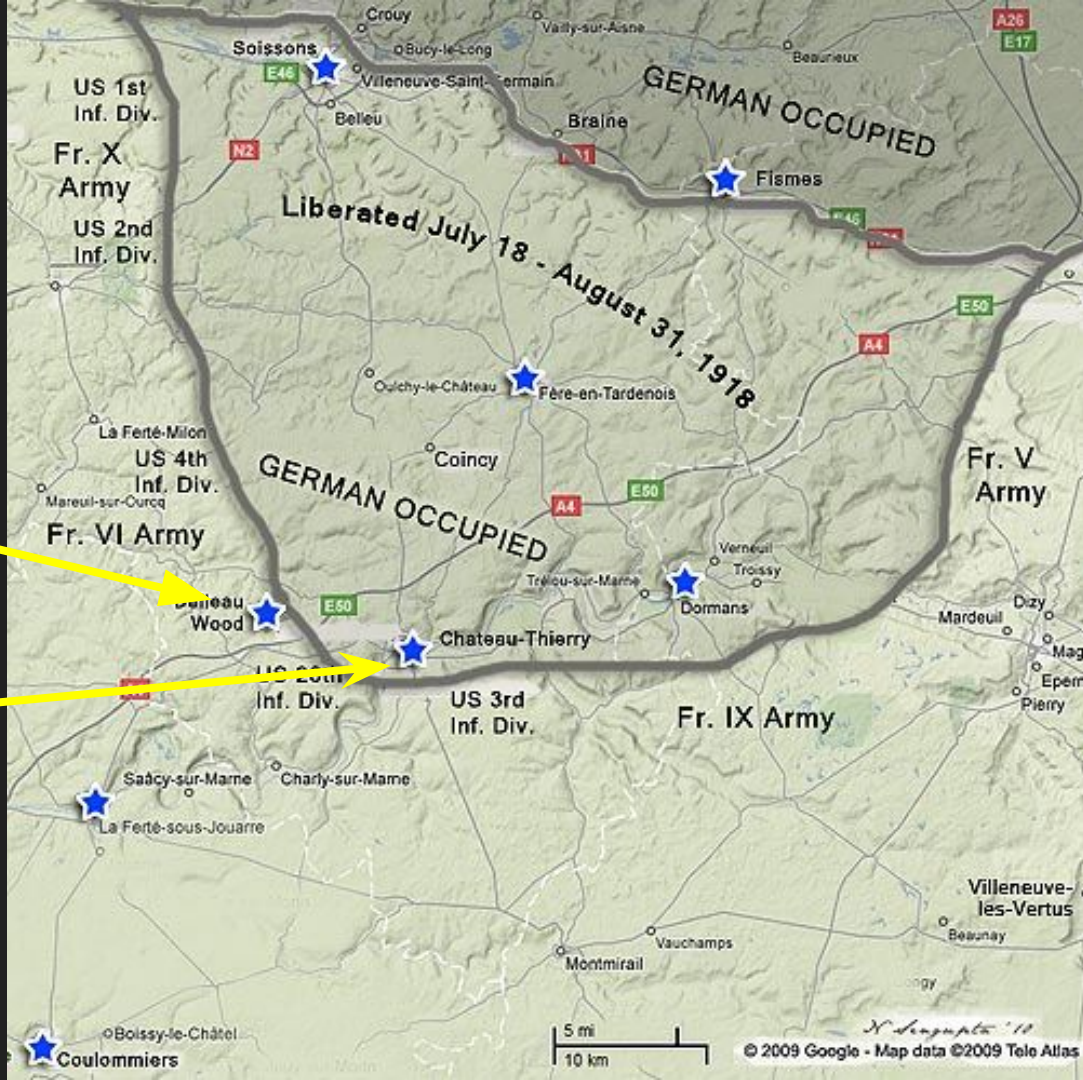


John J. Pershing



Belleau Wood

Chateau-Thierry





T.W. Lindsay
Battle of Belleau Wood



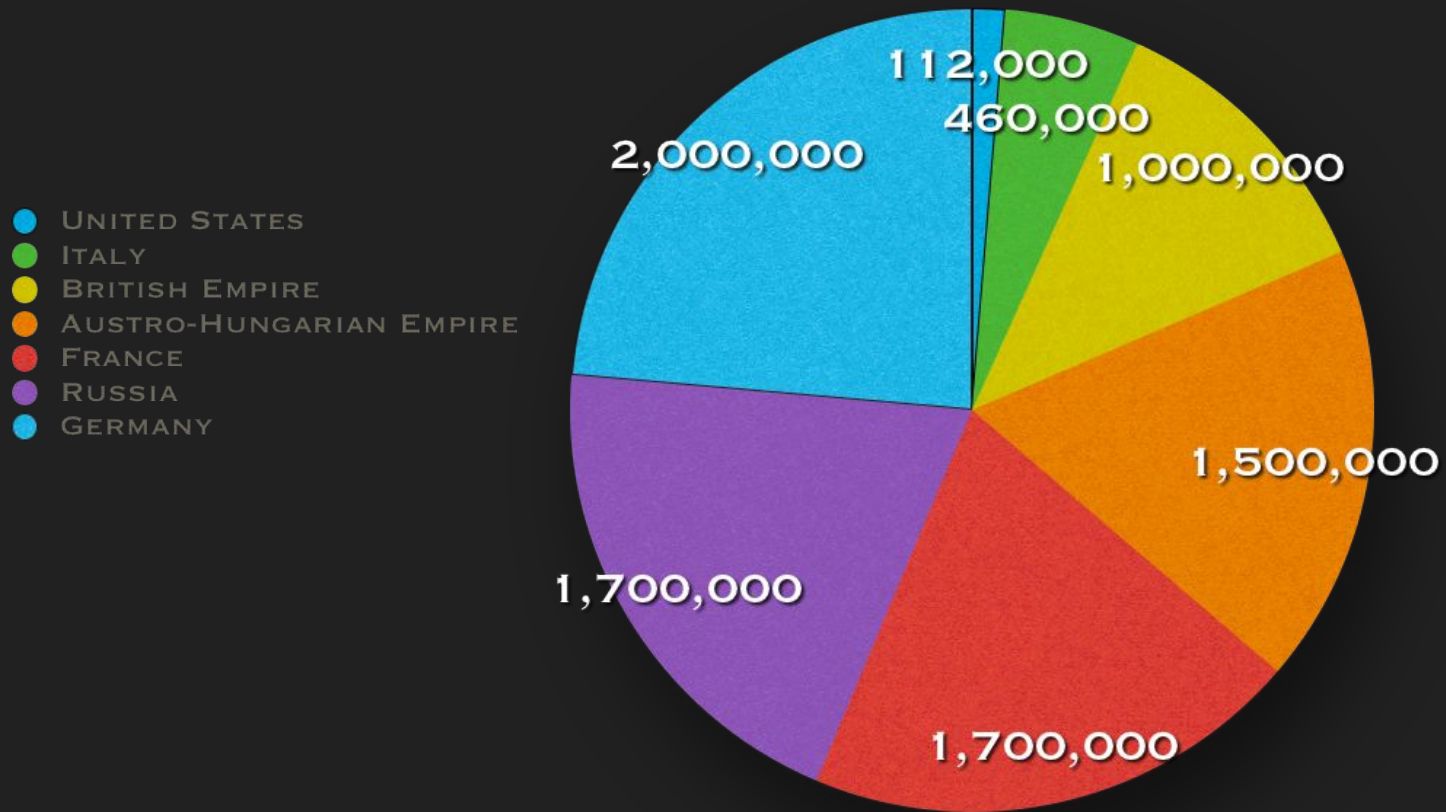
Meuse-Argonne Offensive

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“What Was it Really Like?”

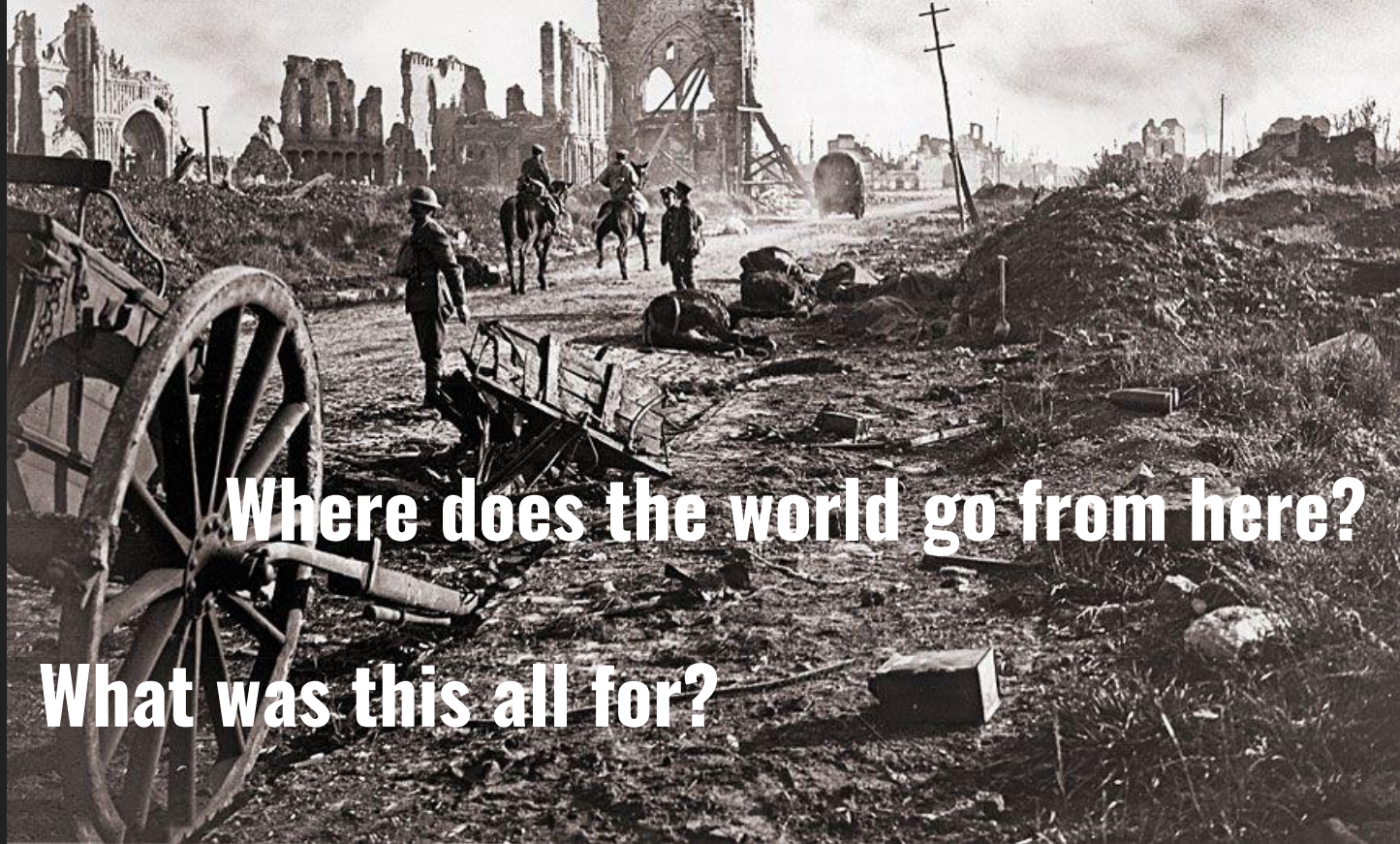


Casualties of WWI



**Tuesday,
March 10**

November 11, 1918

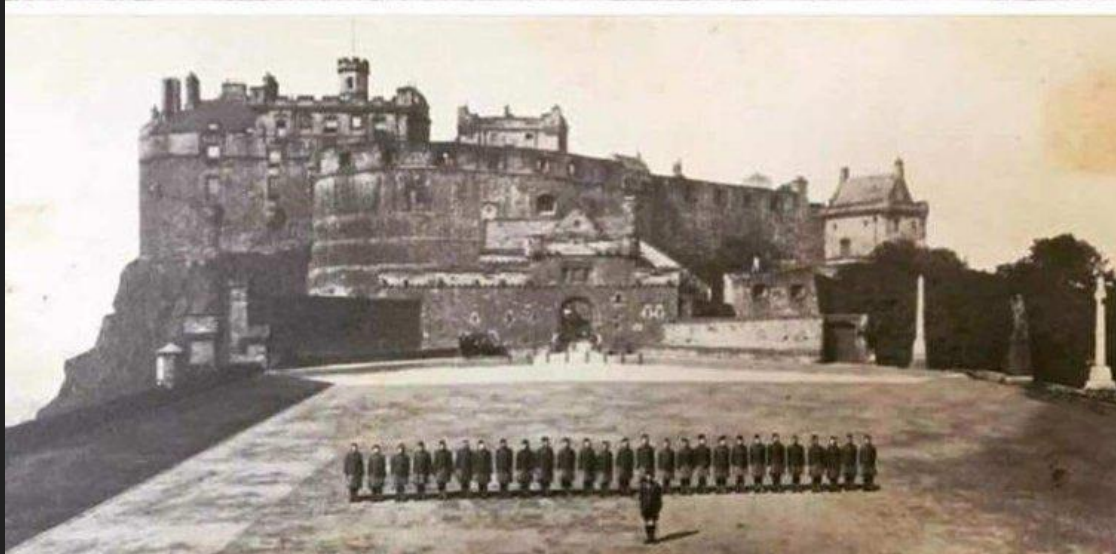


Where does the world go from here?

What was this all for?



1914



1919

Towards Peace

“A World Safe for Democracy”

How do the Allies treat the Central Powers?

Two Different Answers:

Militaristic View

Progressive View

Wilson: Fourteen Points



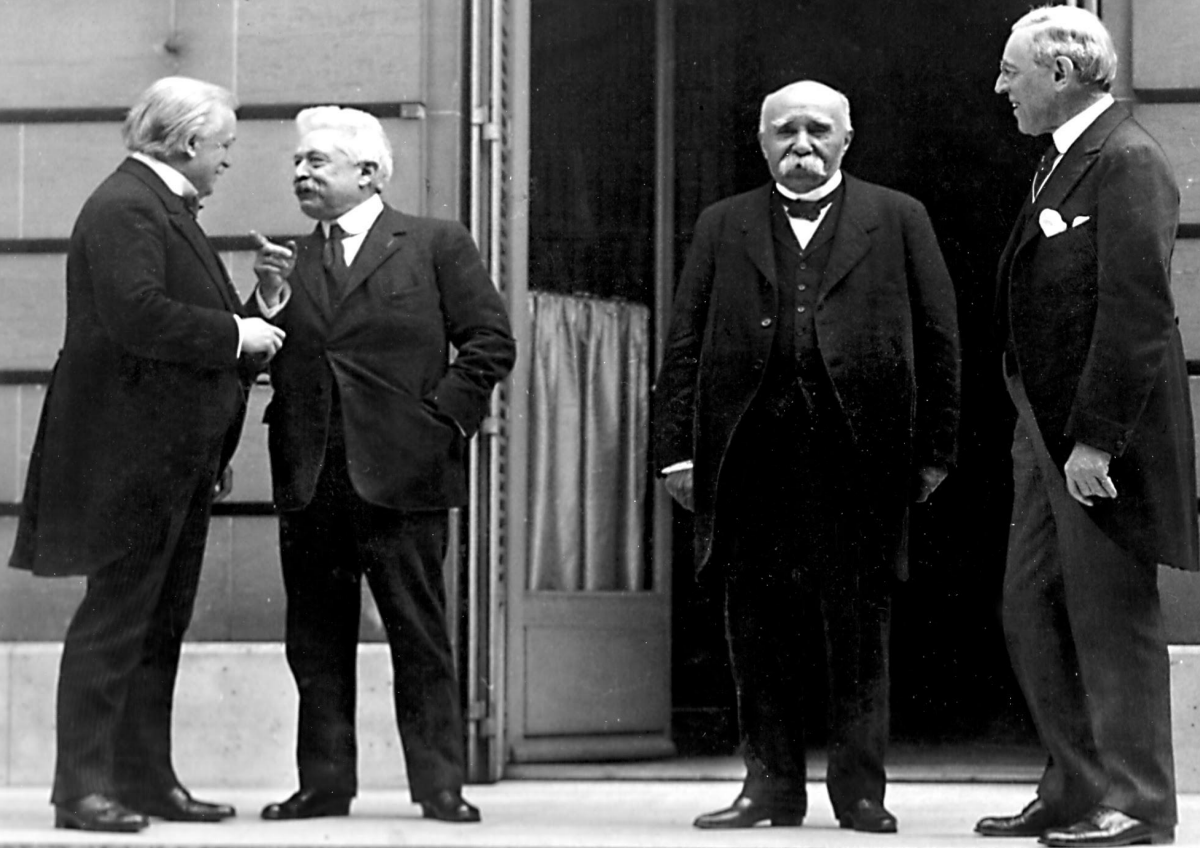
Wilson: Fourteen Points

- 1. Open diplomacy**
- 2. Freedom of the Seas**
- 3. Removal of economic barriers**
- 4. Reduction of armaments**
- 5. Adjustment of colonial claims**
- 6. Conquered territories in Russia**
- 7. Preservation of Belgian sovereignty**
- 8. Restoration of French territory**
- 9. Redrawing of Italian frontiers**
- 10. Division of Austria-Hungary**
- 11. Redrawing of Balkan boundaries**
- 12. Limitations on Turkey**
- 13. Establishment of an independent Poland**
- 14. Creation of an Association of Nations**

War Guilt and Reparations



The Big Four



Towards Peace

Dealing with Germany

Treaty of Versailles

Set up of League of Nations

Territorial/ Colonial Loss

Disarmament

Reparations

War Guilt



**League of Nations
Self Determination**

*C. Ed. Boesch
Geneve
1915.*

The World after War

Research Dash

What is Happening Across the Globe?

Victor or Loser?

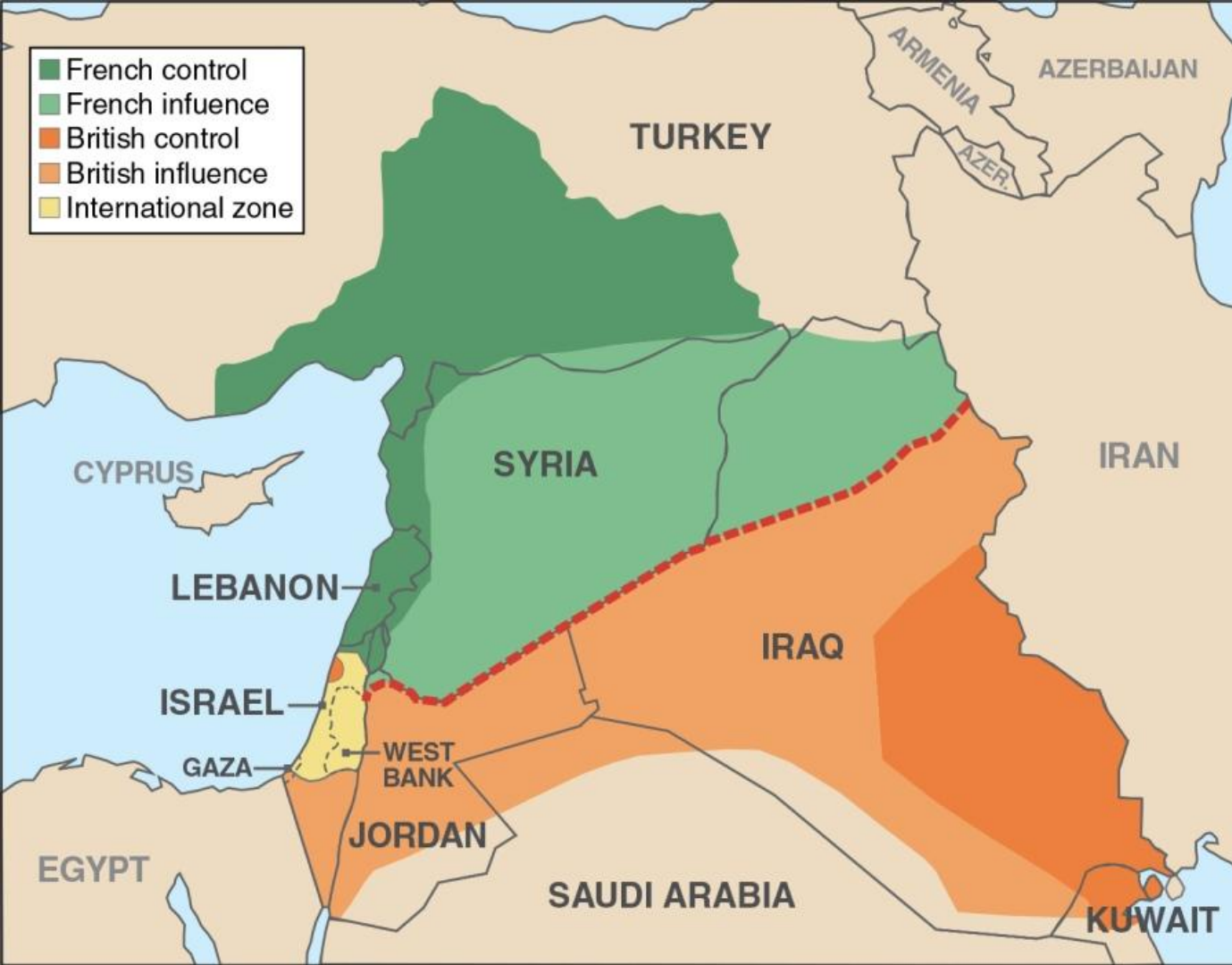
Political Changes?

Territorial Changes?

Justification for the War

Ottoman Empire

Sykes-Picot Agreement



Russian Civil War

Soviet Union





Rise of Italian Fascism

Japanese Imperialism



Break down of Eastern Europe



Chaos in Germany





America after War

American Business and Government

4 million soldiers return

Inflation and wage issues

Strikes and unions

Fear of violence and bombings



Red Scare 1919

**Anti-Socialist
Crackdown**

Red Summer 1919



Which Post-War decisions by the allies do you think were good for lasting peace and which set the world closer to war again?