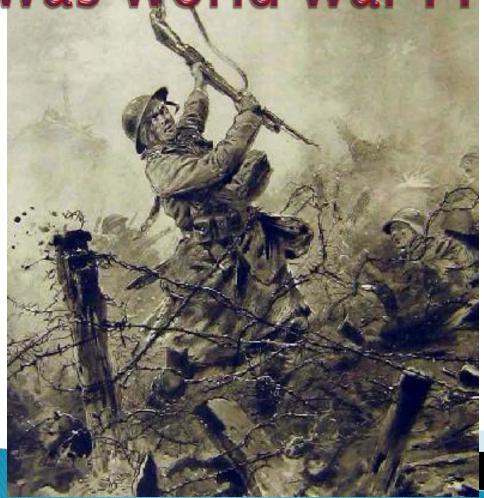
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I. War Breaks Out

A. At the outset of the war

Central Powers Allies

| Germany | France |
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| Austrian-Hungarian Empire | Russia |
| Ottoman Empire | Serbia |

B. Schlieffen Plan

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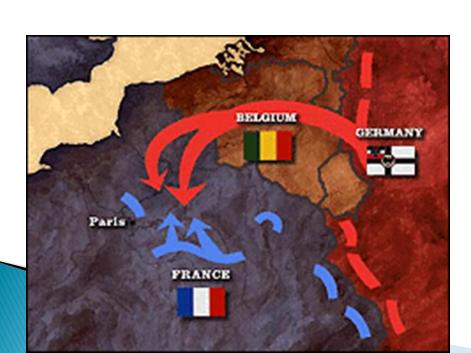
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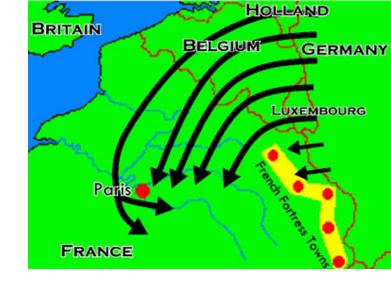
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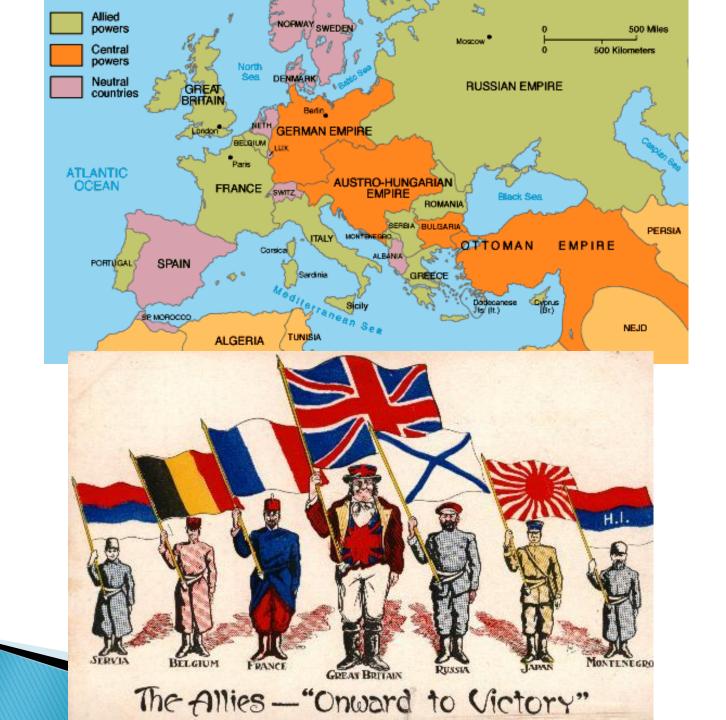
Central Powers Allies

Germany France

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Ottoman Empire Serbia

Britain



II. Modern Weapons of WWI

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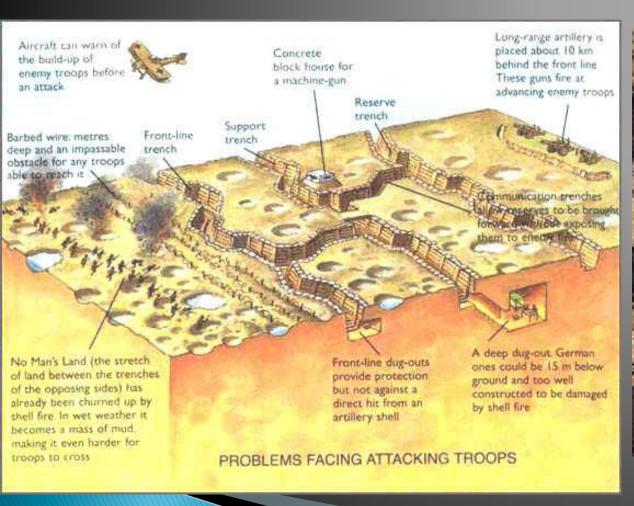
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A. Trench Warfare-5. .





February 14th 1915

- My darling and loving wife Emily
- It is Valentines Day and my thoughts are with you as always.... We arrived at the front line just over a week ago and the smell was so bad that many of the men were sick, to describe the smell would be an impossible task but some of the causes will give you an idea of just how bad it is.
- Raw sewage from the open cess pit, body odour from men who havent had a decent wash for weeks, dead bodies rotting in shallow graves and laying out in the open in no mans land, the smell of exploded bombs and the odour of Mustard gas which lingers for a few days after the attack, stagnant mud cigarette smoke and cooking smells all add to the unpleasantness of the trenches....
- The smell attracts rats they are everywhere you look...I shaved ...because my hair was crawling with lice ...
- The rain is a constant companion flooding the trenches and turning the floor into mud it is so bad that some of the men are getting sores on their feet and can hardly walk with the pain.
- Sleep his so hard to come by with the constant booming and banging of the shells from both sides...
- I am scared my darling Emily, my life is under constant threat, bullets randomly fired at us, shells exploding every minute of the day, men are dying all around me if not from a stray bullet or shell they are falling with fever and disease....
- I will close now and pray that this is not the last letter that I will ever send to you my darling, I long to be back at home with you and the children.
- Nove you with all of my heart, your ever loving Husband George xxxxx

A. Trench Warfare-

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B. Mustard Gas

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C. Machine Guns-

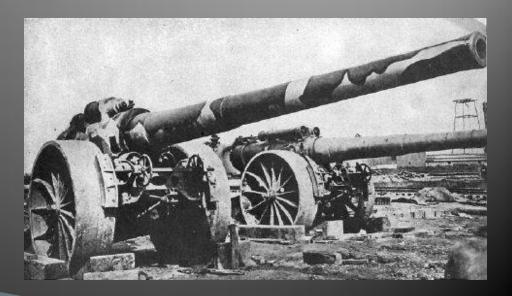
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D. Artillery-

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E. Aircraft-

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F- Tanks

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III. War On the Two Fronts

A. Western Front

B. Eastern Front

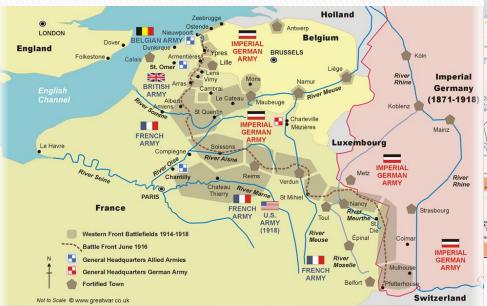


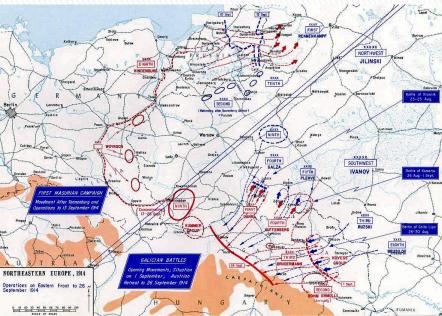
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| Comparison of Casualties from Major Western Front Battles | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Battle | Year | Allies | German |
| 1 st Marne | 1914 | 263,000 | 220,000 |
| | | | |
| First Battle of Ypres | 1914 | 126,921 - 161,92 | 21 134,315 |
| • | | , | , |
| Verdun | 1916 | 400,000 - 542,000 | 355,000 - 434,000 |
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| Somme | 1916 | 623,907 | 465,000 - 595,294 |
| | | 0_0,000 | , |
| 2nd Aisne | 1917 | 118,000 | 40,000 |
| 2110,7110 | | | 10,000 |
| 3rd Ypres | 1917 2 | 200,000 - 448,000 | 260,000 - 400,000 |
| | 1317 2 | 110,000 | 200,000 100,000 |
| Spring Offensive | 1918 | 851,374 | 688,341 |
| Spring Onensive | 1310 | 051,571 | 000,511 |
| Hundred Days Offensive | 1918 | 1.069.636 | 785,733 |
| Total Casualties from Major Western Front Battles | | | |
| Allies 3,619,838 – 4,077,838 Germans 2,948,389 – 3,297,683 | | | |
| Aires 5,015,050 | $\neg, \circ, \circ, \circ, \circ$ | | TO, 303 3, 231, 003 |

Eastern Front

Russians – 1,300,000 Casualties on the Eastern Front Austrian Hungarian Empire – 1,100,000 Ottoman Empire– 720,000

