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**Short Answer Questions**

*Answer Each Question as Thoroughly as Possible*

1. Describe how nationalism contributed to the start of World War I.
2. Describe how militarism contributed to the start of World War I.
3. Describe how alliances contributed to the start of World War I.

Short Answer

1. Describe how Imperialism contributed to the start of World War I.
2. Describe the motivations of the Black Hand for assassinating Archduke Franz Ferdinand.

Short Answer

1. Describe the countries fighting on the two sides during World War I.

Short answer

1. Why did new technology lead to a stalemate in the early war?
2. Why did Woodrow Wilson urge neutrality?
3. Describe the 3 opinions of American engagement that crystallized during World War I.
4. Describe the British blockade of Germany.
5. Describe the issue of unrestricted submarine warfare and the sinking of the *Lusitania*.
6. Describe the two pieces of legislation Wilson pushed for to prepare for World War I.

Short answer

1. Describe the Zimmerman Telegram.
2. Describe the ways the governments’ role increased during World War I.
3. Describe how President Wilson increased the size of the army in preparations for war.
4. Describe the role of the War Industries Board.

Short Answer

1. Describe the roles of Herbert Hoover and the Food Administration.

Short Answer

1. Describe the role of the Committee on Public Information
2. Describe the reasons people had for resisting the draft.
3. What is a conscientious objector?
4. Describe the Espionage Act passed in June 1917.
5. Describe the Sedition Act. At what groups was the Sedition Acts aimed?
6. Describe the ruling of the Supreme Court case *Scheneck v. United States*.

Short Answer

1. Describe the treatment of German Americans by other Americans during the war.
2. Describe how things changed for women during World War I.