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**The Treaty of Versailles**

I. The End of World War I

A. World War I was fought between the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Powers from 1914 to 1918

1. On November 11, 1918, the Germany government agreed to an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & World War I came to an end

2. World War I was the largest, most \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, & most destructive war the world had yet seen

a. \_\_\_\_\_\_ million soldiers & 13 million civilians died as a result of the war

b. \_\_\_\_\_\_ million soldiers were wounded during the war

c. Homes, farms, towns were destroyed; The war cost $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ billion & most national treasuries were empty

II. The Paris Peace Conference, 1919

A. In 1919, representatives from 32 nations attended the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Conference to write a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to end the war

1. The conference was led by the “Big Four”: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, France, Italy, & the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. Neither \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nor any of the Central Powers were allowed to attend…\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ could not attend because they already quit World War I

3. Creating a treaty would not be easy because the major powers had different \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. Britain & France wanted to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Germany so it could never go to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ again

b. Britain & France wanted Germany to accept \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, pay reparations, & lose all overseas \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. U.S. President Woodrow Wilson \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the these harsh punishments for Germany

B. President Wilson presented his own peace proposal known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The Fourteen Points

a. Points 1-5: Wilson hoped to eliminate the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of WWI & called for an end to secret treaties (alliances), \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, eliminating imperial colonies, & reducing national \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. Points 6-13: Wilson suggested changing national \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, creating new nations, & allowing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so that the people of each nation could decide their own form of government

c. Point 14: Wilson wanted a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_…that would give all nations an opportunity to work out their grievances without resorting to war

2. Wilson hoped that a League of Nations could \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ negotiate solutions to future conflicts

3. Britain & France \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with many of the Fourteen Points so Woodrow Wilson had to compromise

III. The Treaty of Versailles

A. The major provisions of the Versailles Treaty included:

1. A League of Nations that would serve as an international organization to keep \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ among nations

a. The League covenant included an agreement that all member nations would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to stop future acts of aggression

b. The League also included an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of International Justice to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ disagreements

2. The terms of the treaty severely \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Germany

a. Germany had to give up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Europe & all of its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ colonies

b. The German military was reduced to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ troops, 6 warships, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ submarines, & could not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ war equipment

c. Germany was forced to sign the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ clause” accepting all blame for the war & pay $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in reparations to the Allies

3. In addition, the Treaty of Versailles \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Europe & the Middle East

a. Central Europe was redrawn to reduce the power of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Empire

b. Land was taken from Germany to create \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; The German-French border was demilitarized to avoid a future \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. New nations were created from territories that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gave up when it left the war early

d. Ottoman Empire was divided; Britain & France gained \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Middle East; The mandates gave Britain & France control over \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ resources in the Middle East

B. On June 28, 1919, Germany & the major Allied Powers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the Treaty of Versailles and World War I officially came to an end

C. Reactions to the Treaty of Versailles

1. Most nations \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the official end of World War I

2. But, Germans \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the harsh terms & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their gov’t for signing the treaty

3. In the United States, reactions to the Treaty of Versailles were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. According to the U.S. Constitution, only the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ can approve treaties

b. Many Senators \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that signing the treaty & joining the League would force America to become involved in future \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. As a result, the USA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the treaty or joined the League of Nations

IV. The Impact of World War I

A. World War I was the largest war the world had yet seen & it changed the way future wars were fought

1. Nations used \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ tactics to commit all their resources to winning, drafted soldiers, rationed, used \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. New war \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ increased the rates of death & destruction to unprecedented levels

3. The war changed expectations for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & led to voting rights for women in many nations

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ million soldiers & civilians died in the war; An entire generation of Europeans was killed

5. Many places in Europe were destroyed

6. The war devastated the economies of European nations who had little \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to rebuild & few \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to offer citizens

B. The terms of the Versailles Treaty caused problems & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in many nations, especially Germany

1. The Treaty of Versailles was said to be a “peace built on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”

2. The treaty did not address the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ causes of WWI

3. The League of Nations did not include the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & its leaders would do anything to avoid another war

4. High unemployment & desire for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ would lead to aggressive \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the 1920s & 1930s



