

WORLD WAR I TRIVIA QUESTIONS #2



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1> For approximately how many days did World War One last?

- a. 1,766
- b. 1,566
- c. 1,466
- d. 1,666

2> For what reason was Mata Hari executed in 1917?

- a. Adultery
- b. Sabotage
- c. Espionage
- d. Anti-War Protest

3> In what year of the war did the British send a force to protect the Suez Canal?

- a. 1914
- b. 1916
- c. 1917
- d. 1915

4> In which country did the Battle of Passchendaele take place?

- a. Italy
- b. Belgium
- c. France
- d. Germany

5> Other than Belgium, which country did Germany invade on August 4th, 1914?

- a. Luxembourg
- b. Netherlands
- c. Switzerland
- d. Russia

6> Where would you see a German Zeppelin?

- a. Underwater
- b. In a Trench
- c. On a Soldier
- d. In the Air

7> Which King was on the British throne during World War One?

- a. George III
- b. George VI
- c. George VI
- d. George V

8> Whom did Japan declare war on in 1914 when they entered the conflict?

- a. Germany
- b. Russia
- c. Great Britain
- d. France

9> Who was nicknamed "Mad Jack" by his men for his courageous feats during the war?

- a. Kitchener
- b. Brookes
- c. Sassoon

d. Haig

10> Fritz Haber was a pioneer of which type of warfare?

- a. Artillery
- b. Sea
- c. Gas
- d. Air

11> How many men were in the British Expeditionary Force at the start of the war?

- a. 1,000,000
- b. 5,000,000
- c. 500,000
- d. 100,000

12> In what year did Russia and Germany sign the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk?

- a. 1915
- b. 1916
- c. 1918
- d. 1917

13> In which city was Archduke Franz Ferdinand murdered?

- a. Tirana
- b. Zagreb
- c. Sarajevo
- d. Budapest

14> Rupert Brooke was famous for writing what during the war?

- a. Songs
- b. Poems

- c. Speeches
- d. Newspaper stories

15> Which of the following countries was the last to declare war on Germany?

- a. Honduras
- b. Costa Rica
- c. Haiti
- d. Romania

Answers:

1> 1,566 - Also known as the Great War, World War One took place from July 28th, 1914 to November 11th, 1918.

2> Espionage - Mata Hari was executed by firing squad on October 15th, 1917, at the age of 41.

3> 1914 - In August 1914, the Suez Canal was defended by 5,000 men.

4> Belgium - The battle took place on the Western Front, from July to November 1917.

5> Luxembourg - Luxembourg was under full occupation by the German Empire until the last day of the war.

6> In the Air - A Zeppelin was a type of rigid airship.

7> George V - George V was King of the United Kingdom and the British Dominions from May 6th, 1910 until his death on January 20th, 1936.

8> Germany - Japan formally declared war on Germany on August 23rd, 1914.

9> Sassoon - Siegfried Sassoon was also one of the leading poets of the First World War.

10> Gas - Fritz, a German chemist, received the Nobel Prize in Chemistry in 1918.

11> 100,000 - The British Expeditionary Force consisted of six infantry divisions and five cavalry brigades.

12> 1918 - Signed in March of 1918, the Treaty of Brest-Litovsk was a peace treaty that ended Russia's participation in World War One.

13> Sarajevo - Reportedly, Ferdinand's last words were 'Sophie, Sophie! Don't die! Live for our children!'

14> Poems - Rupert died from an infected mosquito bite at the young age of 27 in 1915.

15> Romania - Romania declared war on Germany on November 10th, 1918. One day before the war officially ended.

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