

CHAPTER
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BUILDING VOCABULARY *The First World War*

militarism	Eddie Rickenbacker	George Creel
nationalism	convoy system	Selective Service Act
trench warfare	propaganda	reparations
Archduke Franz Ferdinand	armistice	war-guilt clause

Completion

A. Select the term or name above that best completes the sentence.

1. An intense devotion to the interests and culture of one's nation, known as _____, was one of the long-term causes of World War I.
2. The assassination of _____ in Sarajevo by a Serbian nationalist was the spark that ignited the war.
3. With the help of the _____, which required men to register with the government for possible military service, the United States was able to raise a large fighting force.
4. Through the use of _____, American officials were able to earn much public support for the war.
5. The treaty ending World War I contained a _____, which forced Germany to admit sole responsibility for starting the conflict.

Matching

B. Match the definition in the second column with the word in the first column. Write the appropriate letter next to the word.

_____ 1. militarism	a. laws that imposed penalties for disloyalty
_____ 2. no man's land	b. payment or compensation for war-related damages
_____ 3. Zimmermann note	c. a truce or end to the fighting
_____ 4. convoy system	d. a build-up of armed forces
_____ 5. conscientious objector	e. body that regulated U.S. wartime production
_____ 6. armistice	f. barren region between opposing trenches
_____ 7. Great Migration	g. German letter seeking help from Mexico
_____ 8. War Industries Board	h. one who opposes war on moral grounds
_____ 9. Espionage and Sedition Acts	i. movement of Southern African Americans to the North
_____ 10. reparations	j. use of destroyers to protect merchant ships

Writing

C. Imagine that you are a prominent U.S. political leader in 1919. Use each of the following terms and names correctly in a paragraph either supporting or opposing the peace agreement ending World War I.

Fourteen Points League of Nations Treaty of Versailles Henry Cabot Lodge