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**Chapter 10 – Section 1-- The Road to War**

**Read the text and answer the following questions**

1. How did each of the following lead to WWI?

A: Imperialism

B: Militarism

C: Nationalism

D: Alliances

2. What act ignited the start of the Great War (later called WWI) in 1914?

3. How did Austria-Hungary respond to the assassination? Why?

4. What chain reaction did this set off?

5. Why did Germany strike first?

6. How did this bring Great Britain into the war?

7. Within one week after the war started all the great powers of Europe had been drawn into it.

A: Who made up the Central Powers?

B: Who made up the Allies?

8. What is a stalemate and why did one exist?

9. By the spring of 1915 what other two nations had joined the war?

10. What were three ways new weaponry lead to massive numbers of deaths?

11. As morale sank, what were three things they did in desperation?

12. Why did many Americans feel personally involved in Europe’s war?

13. Who did most German and Irish Americans favor?

14. What were two reasons, however, that most Americans opposed the Central Powers?

15. Why did America proclaim it was neutral in 1914?

16. What two movements began in the U.S. in response to the war?