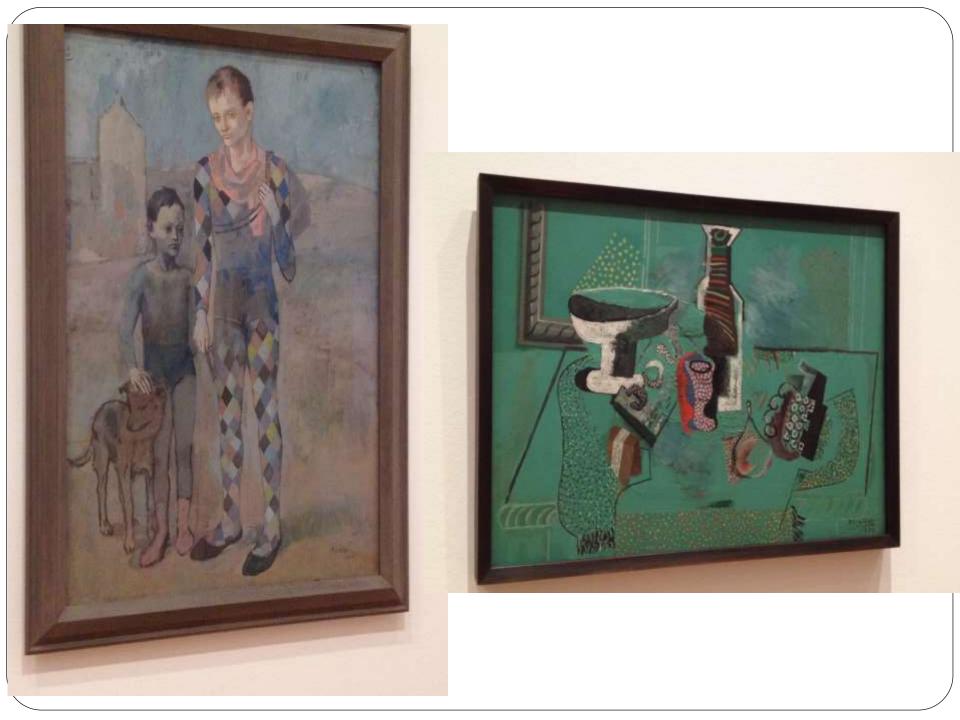


- When we think Picasso, this is what we think.
- Cubism- In cubist artworks, objects are broken up, analyzed, and re-assembled in an abstracted form-instead of depicting objects from one viewpoint, the artist depicts the subject from a multitude of viewpoints to represent the subject in a greater context.
- But Picasso wasn't always this way...



### Most missed questions from Unit 6 test

1. "Yesterday, your ambassador petitioned my ministers regarding your trade with China... our Celestial Empire possesses all things in great abundance and lacks no product within its own borders. There is, therefore, no need to import any product manufactured by outside barbarians in exchange for our own goods."

#### In the view of the Emperor, which was in the best interest of China in 1793?

A. Maintaining economic isolation

- c. Expanding foreign trade
- B. Increasing international interdependence D. Developing into a colonial power

#### 2. Which of the following was possible in combat PRIOR to WWI?

- a. An armored combat vehicle moving on chain tracks across tough terrain
- b. A submersed warship firing underwater missiles at the enemy
- c. A poisonous gas attack causing blindness, blistering, or even death by chocking
- d. A hand-held mechanism (gun) firing bullets at opposing forces

#### 3. Which statement accurately reflects the significance of the Battle of Verdun?

- A. German success at Verdun forced America to join the Allies
- B. It was the longest and one of the deadliest battles of World War I which has come to represent the horrors of the war
- C. It was overwhelming victory for France which put them on the offensive for the first time in the war
- D. It was the first battle of the war, initiated by Germany when they attacked France through Belgium

#### 4. Which nations were apart of the central powers?

#### **5. What event motivated the US to join WWI?**

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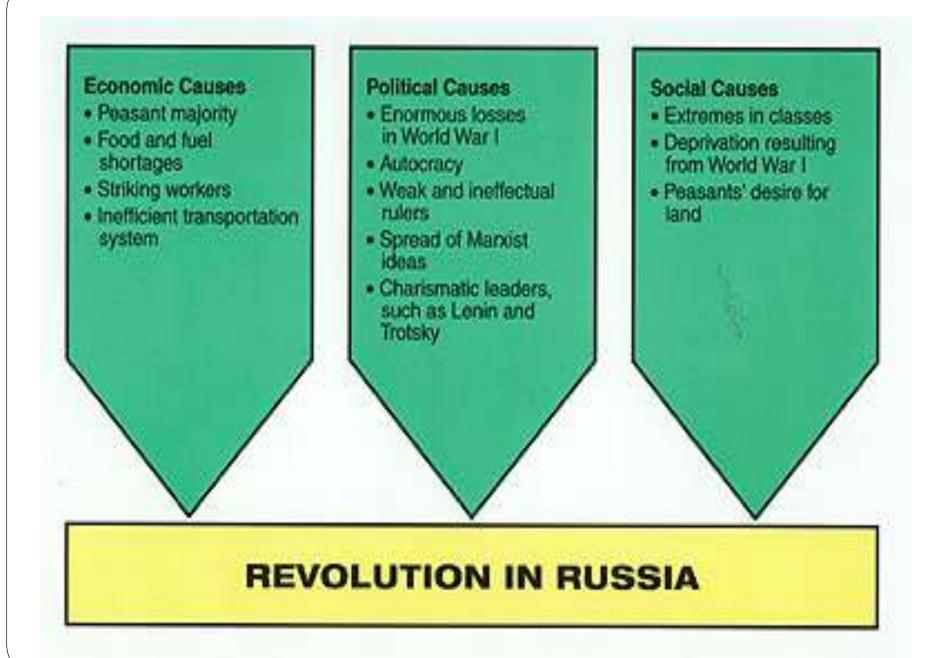
- Define 'Revolution'
- Define 'Czar'
- What type of government do they have in Russia?

# **Final Review Questions**

- Macedonian king who took control of Greece and conquered the Persian Empire
- Ceased power over the Roman Consul, member of the first triumvirate, named himself "dictator for life"
- state of being separate from religion; worldy
- One reason early civilizations developed in some areas like the Middle East and not others is
- Periods of ruling power in Ancient China are known as

### The Russian Revolution

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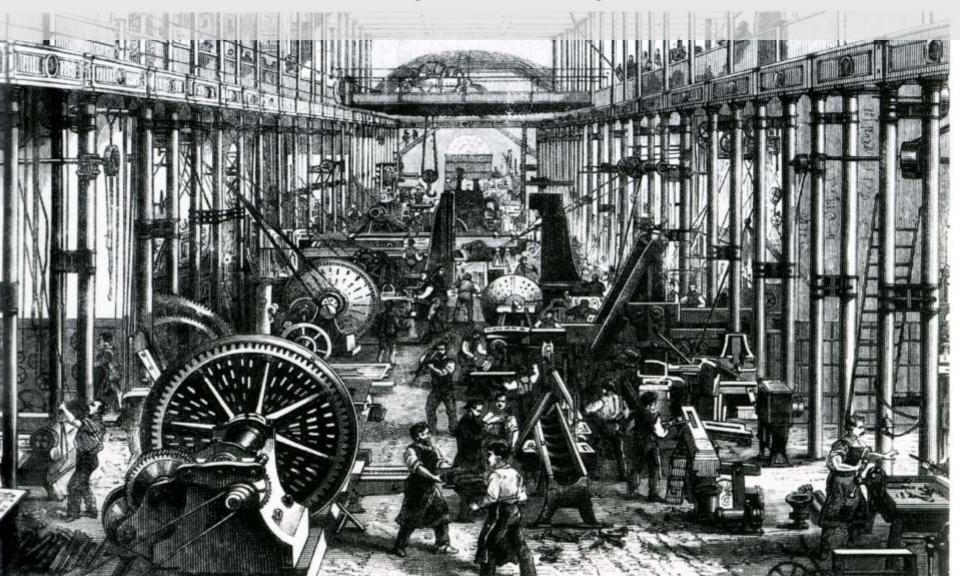
This is the Romanov family that ruled Russia for over 300 years.

#### At this time, Russia had an autocracy form of government which is a gov in which one leader **has total power** (think like Absolute Monarch)

- Anyone who questioned the absolute authority of the czar, worshiped outside the Russian Orthodox Church, or spoke a language other than Russian was labeled dangerous
- To wipe out rebels they used harsh measures
  - Teachers must send detailed reports on students
  - Political prisoners sent to Siberia
  - Oppressed other national groups in Russia
  - Refused the use of any language other than Russian
  - Made Jews the target of persecution



- Rapid industrialization changed the face of the Russian economy.
- The number of factories doubled between 1863-1900.
- This will stir discontent among Russians. Negatives of Industrialization?



As a result of these factors, several revolutionary movements began to grow and compete for power. A group that followed the views of Karl Marx (communism) believed that eventually the proletariat (working class) would overthrow the czar. They were known and the Bolsheviks. Russo-Japanese War (1904-05) Remember this war, which



resulted in a humiliating defeat for Russia.

- This war marked the first time any Asian power had defeated a European power in a real war.
- Treaty of Portsmouth-Mediated by US president T. Roosevelt. Russia lost control of Manchuria to Japan.
- With the defeat, Japan emerged as a major threat to Russian interests in the east and, in Russia, even moderates lost confidence in the old regime.

### **Bloody Sunday**

January 9, 1905; peaceful marchers in St. Petersburg carried a petition to Tsar Nicholas II asking for higher wages, a shorter work day, better working conditions, a legislative assembly, and universal manhood suffrage, hoping reform would come from above. In reaction, <u>Tsar</u> <u>Nicholas II ordered his guards to fire into the unarmed crowd</u>; when news of one hundred dead and hundreds more wounded escaped, public opinion almost universally turned against the old regime.

#### The straw that broke the camels back...WWI

- Russia was dragged into WWI in 1914
- <u>They were unprepared to handle the military and</u> <u>economic costs</u>
- They possessed weak generals and poorly equipped troops which were no match for German armies
- Defeat followed Defeat
- Before a year had passed over 4 million soldiers had been killed, wounded or taken prisoner

# Czar steps down

- In Feb. of 1917 czar Nickolas was forced to abdicate his throne, the Romanov Dynasty came to an end.
- The revolution had succeeded in taking down the czar yet had failed to set up a strong gov. to replace his regime.
- Provisional Government- temporary government
- Alexander Kerensky headed it. He decides to stay in the war.
  - Angry peasants demanded land
  - City workers grew more radical
  - Socialist revolutionaries, competing for power, formed soviets
- <u>Soviets-local councils consisting of workers, peasants, and</u> <u>soldiers. In many cities the soviets had more influence than</u> <u>the provisional government.</u>

### **Vladimir Lenin**

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- "Father of Revolution"
- Major leader of the **Bolsheviks**
- Had an engaging personality and was an excellent organizer
  - He was ruthless
- Wanted to create a socialist economic system in Russia



### **Bolsheviks – November Revolution**

- Bolshevik means "majority"
- "<u>Peace, land, and bread</u>"- Lenin's campaign slogan
- Armed factory workers stormed the Winter Palace in Petrograd.
- They called themselves the Bolshevik Red Guards they took over government offices and arrested the leaders of the provisional government.
- Overthrew provisional government
- <u>New symbol of government Red flag with entwined hammer</u> <u>and sickle symbolized union between peasants and workers</u>
- Bolsheviks renamed communists
- <u>video</u>



# Civil War (White vs. Red)

- Lenin signed Treaty of Brest-Litovsk with Germany. Ceded a huge piece of western Russia to Germany.
  - Starts a civil war for 3 years
- <u>Whites counterrevolutionaries</u> <u>loyal to Czar, anarchists who</u> <u>favored socialism without strong</u> <u>central government, others who</u> <u>wanted to be democratic.</u>
- Reds are communist supporters
  - US sends military aid and aids the White army side...however they were of little help





### Effects of the Civil War

- 14 million Russians died
- Red army crushed all opposition
- Bolsheviks seized power and maintained it
- The Russian revolution had attempted to destroy existing social and political structures
- They had used violence and terror to control people
- Similar to the French Revolution

#### КАРТА АЗІЙСЬКОЇ ЧАСТИНИ



Bolshevik leaders saw nationalism as a threat to unity and party loyalty

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- Lenin organized Russia into several self-governing republics under the central government.
- In 1922 the country was named the <u>Union of Soviet Socialists</u> <u>Republics</u>, in honor of the councils that helped launch the Bolshevik Revolution
- He instituted the <u>New Economic Policy (NEP)</u> in the early 20's which <u>had some capitalistic aspects, such as allowing farmers to sell portions of</u> <u>their grain for their own profit.</u> The plan was successful in agriculture.
- In late 1922 Lenin suffered a stroke, this sparks thought of who will lead after him

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- Stalin was cold, hard and impersonal
- <u>Stalin means ' man of steel'</u>
  - Lenin believed Stalin was a dangerous man
- Before he died in 1924 Lenin wrote "Comrade Stalin... has a concentrated enormous power in his hands and I am not sure that he always knows how to use that power with sufficient caution."
- Lenin dies in Jan of 1924, by <u>1928 Stalin</u> was in total command of the Communist Party (really totalitarianism)
  - People didn't share the profits and had no choices regarding participation

#### Stalin's Five Year Plan

- <u>Believed that the NEP was incredibly slow, so he called for</u> <u>expedient agricultural production by ruthlessly taking over</u> <u>private farms and combining them into state-owned</u> <u>enterprises</u>
- <u>The plans also called for the construction of large</u> <u>nationalized factories</u>
- Process was achieved in the name of communism but it was actually totalitarianism

## "The Great Purge"

- Stalin's plans successfully industrialized the USSR and improved economic conditions for the country as a whole
- Stalin relied on terror tactics to achieve these successes though
  - Secret police force
  - Bogus trials
  - Assassinations
- <u>These murders peaked between 1936-38</u>, <u>collectively they are sometimes referred to</u> <u>as "The Great Purge" because the</u> <u>government systematically killed so many of</u> <u>its enemies.</u>
  - He also est. labor camps to punish anyone who opposed him
- It has been estimated between 600,000 and 1.2 million people, many of whom were innocent, were murdered by the Soviet government during this time.

