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15 fill-ins -word bank

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3 short answer

1. How/when WWI started?

Archduke Franz Ferdinand was assassinated
by a Serbian member of the Black Hand.

War was declared on July 28th, 1914. Austria - Hungary, Germany and Italy were on one side. Britain, Russia, France, Canada, NL, Australia on the other side. War ended Nov. 11th, 1918 when the armistice was signed.

2. Why did Newfoundlanders enlist?

- a) signed up for adventure
- b) signed up to get out of the fishery- steady check
- c) enlisted out of a deep sense of loyalty to the mother country (patriotism)
- d) they didn't think it would last long
- e) they were influenced by propaganda (information used to promote a political cause or point of view).

3. Those who served (branches of service) : 3 military and 3 non-military.

Military: **Royal Naval Reserve**: this was our navy, fought on the ocean, 2050, they were the ones ready to go right from the start.

Newfoundland Regiment: had to be 19-36 to join, they were the army, the first 500 were known as the Blue Puttees (the leg wrap was blue as they ran out of khaki), most people enlisted in this (6240) - caribou, only branch to get called royal during WW1.

Non-military: **VAD** (volunteer aid detachment) - healthcare workers - female nurses (40) - tended to the injured /**merchant marine (5000)**- used to transport supplies by boat to Europe, unarmed, they were not in the Book of Remembrance/**Forestry Corps** (500) - cut wood for fuel, trenches, buildings. Did this in Scotland.

4. Read over Beaumont Hamel notes (131)

5. Know 2 of the following well: Owen Steele, John Shiwak (130), John Bernard Croke, Tommy Ricketts (133). be able to write a mini-bio. include any accomplishments, anything about early life, any medals, if they lied about their age, how they died.