**Grade 8 Social Studies**

**Chapter 6: The First World War 1914-1918**

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**Chapter 6 is found on pages 122-145 in Voyage to Discovery. This chapter examines the issues surrounding the First World War (WWI). How the War impacted the world and Newfoundland in particular, how did Newfoundlanders distinguish themselves during the war, how did we contribute to the war effort from home, and how the war affected women in our province.**

**Terms to Know**

Propaganda

Patriotism

No Man’s Land

Victoria Cross

Conscription

**Information To Know**

1. How did Newfoundland became involved in WW1? (p. 124-125)

2. Why did young men and women enlist in the war effort? (p. 125-126)

3. What was propaganda and what was it used for? Give examples of images used in propaganda material.

4. Be able to explain the role served by each branch of service below:

Royal Naval Reserve

Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Volunteer Aid Detachment

Forestry Corp

Merchant Marine

Canadian and Other Allied Forces

5. What was the Battle of Beaumont Hamel? Why is it important in Newfoundland history? Be able to explain the events of the battle including number of casualties/injured/missing etc (p. 131)

6. What was the Women’s Patriotic Association? (p. 136)

7. What was the Newfoundland Patriotic Association? (p. 137)

**People to Know**

* Owen Steele – died shortly after Beaumont Hamel due to injuries
* John Shiwak – WW1 sniper, died 1917 in France
* Tommy Ricketts – Victoria Cross Winner
* John Bernard Croke – Victoria Cross Winner
* Dr. Cluney McPherson –inventor of the gas mask

**Evaluation**

* Chapter assignment TBA
* Chapter test: Dec. 13th