**What was Russia like Pre-WWI?**

* Monarchy controlled by a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (King)
* Czar practices strict control over people
	+ Forbids use of other languages
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ against Jews – loot and destroy Jewish houses, stores, and synagogues

**Was Russia Industrialized?**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ behind Western Europe
* Try rapid industrialization in 1890s
* Leads to:
	+ Low wages, child labor, unsafe working conditions
	+ Great divide between haves and have nots
	+ Revolutionary movements grow . . . including Lenin’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Party

**How did Russia do in WWI?**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to handle military costs, no match for Germany army
* 4 million dead, wounded, or prisoners in 1st year of the war
* Tsar Nicholas leaves wife, Alexandra, in charge of gov’t while he is at the front

**Who was Rasputin?**

* Holy man from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Brought to help with Alexis’ hemophilia
* Alexandra allows Rasputin to make political decisions
* Jealous members of Russian Nobility murder Rasputin

**What Happens to the Royal Family and the Gov’t?**

* Protests force Nicholas II to step down
* His entire family is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ within a year by revolutionaries
* Lenin’s Bolshevik Party quickly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the government

**What Changes did Lenin Make?**

* Promises “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
* Pulls Russia out of WWI
* Begins \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Russia
	+ Distributes farmland among the peasants
	+ Gives the factories to the workers

**What was the Russian Civil War (1918-1920)?**

* Many are unhappy with Bolshevik leadership and WWI peace treaty
* Red Army (Bolsheviks) vs. White Army (made up of several different groups)
* 14 million die from war, famine, and flu
* Bolsheviks win and rename themselves the Communist Party, Russia renamed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Soviet Union)