CHAPTER 23

The Beginning of the Twentieth-Century Crisis: War and

Revolution

CHAPTER OUTLINE

- I. The Road to World War I
 - A. Nationalism and Internal Dissent
 - B. Militarism
 - C. The Outbreak of War: Summer 1914
- 1. The Assassination of Francis Ferdinand: a "Blank Check"?
 - 2. Declarations of War
- II. The Great War
 - A. 1914-1915: Illusions and Stalemate
 - B. 1916-1917: The Great Slaughter
 - C. The Widening of the War
 - 1. A Global Conflict
- 2. Entry of the United States
 - D. A New Kind of Warefare
 - 1. Tanks
 - E. The Home Front: The Impact of Total War
 - 1. Political Centralization and Economic Regimentation
 - 2. Public Order and Public Opinion
 - 3. Women in the War Effort
- III. War and Revolution
 - A. The Russian Revolution
 - 1. The March Revolution
 - 2. Lenin and the Bolshevik Revolution
 - 3. Civil War
 - B. The Last Year of the War
 - 1. The Casualties of the War
 - C. The Peace Settlement
 - 1. Peace Aims
- 2. The Treaty of Versailles
 - 3. The Other Peace Treaties
- IV. An Uncertain Peace
 - A. The Impact of World War I

- B. The Search for Security
 - 1. The French Policy of Coercion (1919-1924)
 - 4. The Hopeful Years (1924-1929)
- C. The Great Depression
 - 1. Causes
 - 2. Repercussions
- D. The Democratic States
 - 1. Great Britain
 - 2. France
 - 3. Germany
 - 4. United States
- E. Socialism in Soviet Russia
 - 1. New Policies
 - 2. The Struggle for Power
- V. In Pursuit of a New Reality: Cultural and Intellectual Trends
- A. Nightmares and New Visions
 - 1. The Dada Movement
 - 2. Surrealism and Modern Architecture
- B. Probing the Unconscious