1. Mostly anti-french

E. The three members were to provide military support to the others, if one was attacked by two other powers — or if Germany and Italy was attacked by France.

VI. The Franco-Russian Alliance (1894)

A. Military Alliance

1. But it is most visible in its economic advantages

B. The Franco-Russian Alliance was a response to the Triple Alliance, which has isolated France.

C. The Alliance was an unexpected development that thwarted German plans for mainland Europe and angered Berlin.

VII. The Entente Cordiale (1904)

A. If the word Entente is in it, it is not a military alliance

B. A ‘friendly agreement’ between Britain and France.

C. The Entente ended a century of hostility between the two cross-channel neighbors.

VIII. Anglo-Russian Entente (1907)

A. This agreement between Britain and Russia eased tensions and restored good relations between the two conflicts.

B. The agreement resolved several points of disagreement, including the status of colonial possessions in the Middle East and Asia.

C. Did not involve any military commitment or support.

D. Russia gets access to the sea.

IX. The Triple Entente (1907)

A. Britain, France, and Russia.

B. The three Entente of 1904-7 were important because they marked the end of British neutrality and isolationism.

C. Not a military alliance.

(These alliances are supposed to be secret)
1. Within a week, it had sunk two merchant ships

XIII. On Saturday, May 1, the British passenger ship, Lusitania left New York harbor bound for England

A. The fastest ship in the Atlantic service
B. Not wanting to anger the Americans, the German Embassy handed out notices to every passenger who bordered the Lusitania
C. Lusitania is sunken by submarine
   1. The U-20 fired one shot without warning towards the Lusitania
      a) The Lusitania went down in 18 minutes, 1,198 drowned, 128 were Americans
   2. The following morning a poster came out in America, so Americans enlist

XIV. Un-restricted Submarine Warefare

A. Submarines can shoot at any ships

XV. Zimmerman Telegram (March 1, 1917)

A. A document that was intercepted by the US government
   1. Sent by Germany
B. Document says that the Germans will continue to use un-restricted Submarine Warfare
   1. All fake
      a) US officials made up the Telegram

XVI. The Wild Blue Yonder

A. Means "War in the Air"
B. While the Romance of war quickly faded in the face of the horrors of trench warfare, one area of the war retained its mystique
C. The reality of the WWI airplane was that it was simply NOT a powerful war machine
D. The upside was that they did not need airfields as they could take off anywhere and land anywhere
E. The real use of airplanes was most effective in destroying zeppelins (blimps), which were used as observation platforms to assist ground crews in aiming cannons
   1. Late in the war, some airplanes carried a second man to fire the machine gun

XVII. Dog Fight

A. One plane against another