

Paris Peace Conference

Treaty of Versailles

Feb 17th, 2014

Total force mobilized = 5,615,000

Military battle deaths = 462,391

Wounded = 963,886

Civilian dead = 3

Cost (million) = 16,143

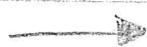
Italy's reaction to treaty of Versailles

- Agreed with some points but were upset they didn't get all the territories promised for joining war on allies' side.
↳ They belonged to an alliance with Germany and Austria-Hungary, but didn't join them.
- Liked:- that Germany had to pay reparations for damages (done to coal mines??)
- that Italy would acquire portion of Tyrolean Alps
- Dislike:- that they didn't receive Dalmatian coast/Adriatic

Treaty of London

- Signed April 26, 1915 by Triple Entente (UK, France, Russia) and Italy
- Italy was to leave the triple alliance (Germany, Austria-Hungary, Italy) and join Triple Entente (as already stated in secret agreement in London in Sept 1914) w/in a month
- Italy was to declare war on the two - and she declared war on A-H in Oct, but not until 1916 against Germany.
- Assuming victory against Germany/its allies, Triple Entente promised Italy the following territorial gains:
 - Tyrol (south western part of Austria)
 - * - parts of German colonies in Asia/Africa

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- entire Austrian Littoral, including Trieste
- Northern Dalmatia - including Zadar (Zara)
- Šibenik (Šibenico) + most Dalmatian islands
- * - Doderanese Islands (held by Italy since 1912)
(Greek Islands)
- In the partition of Turkey, Italy were to obtain a just share of the Mediterranean region adjacent to Adalia. (Turkey's biggest international sea port. South west med. Turkey.)
- Kingdom of Serbia - which includes Boenia & Herzegovina, Sarem, Sačka, and Slavonia
 - Italy insisted that Serbia not informed of agreements, but allies sent official note to Serbia August 1915
 - The pact was supposed to be kept secret, but after October Revolution 1917, Russian journalist published it.

PPC

Treaty of Versailles - 1919

Lasted 6 months

Ends WWI

Diktat

Germans forced to sign - called "Diktat" (Dictated/ordered)

- Big 3 hosts - Britain, France, USA - also Italy

Turnip winter

Allies threatened a continued blockade on German borders

↳ No food/guns

↳ Threatened to invade the economically + militarily exhausted country

Article 231

War Guilt Clause - Germany was responsible for the war
had to pay reparations £6 600 million

colonies

lost overseas colonies (Britain got almost all German East Africa)

Alsace Lorraine

Alsace Lorraine went back to France

Rhineland

Rhineland (between France + Germany) occupied by the big 3
demilitarised

coal + plebiscite

France took Saar (coal) plebiscite in 15 yrs - goes to Germany
The Sudetenland (Ger. pop) of the A-H E became Czech

Special free city

Panzig - essential for Baltic Sea trade (Sfc) ^{to N} Polish corridor

Anschluss

Truces forbidden between Germany and Austria

100,000

German army reduced to 100,000 for domestic policing

nothing

No submarines, tanks, or air force allowed

League of Nations created based on the principle of collective security

ratified

USA never ratified the treaty (doesn't want to be involved in EU pol since ^{separate})

13% Poland

Germany lost 13% of land (much to new state of Poland)

The PPC was in 1919 for 6 months in France to end WWI and negotiate reparations with the Treaty of Versailles. Hosted by the big 3 and forced Germany to sign and take blame. The League of Nations was created at PPC to prevent future wars.

Successor States: The countries created after the collapse of Austria-Hungary and the Ottoman Empire.