**The Russian Revolution of 1917**

**The Foreshadowing of Revolution**

* “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” - Factory workers, led by Father Gapon, march in St. Petersburg to petition Czar Nicholas II for better working conditions and some political freedoms
  + About 80,000 protesters show up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Soldiers fire upon them, 100 killed and hundreds wounded
* Leads to the Revolution of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Workers riot and strike, peasants burn homes of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + To end the violence, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sets up an elected assembly called the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. In reality it has no \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and Russia's problems remain.

**Conditions Worsen Due to World War I**

* Russia is unprepared for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Industries not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ enough to meet supply needs
  + No \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ system to get supplies to armies
  + Poorly equipped soldiers suffer huge Iosses—1 out of 3 receive a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + People in the cities face \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of food and goods because of the war
* Meanwhile, a mystic named \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gained influence over the czar’s wife, Alexandra. He was assassinated in December 1916.

**The March Revolution of 1917**

* Riots and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ erupt in Petrograd (St. Petersburg)
  + Protest the war and shortage of food- "Bread and Peace" is their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Government sends \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to restore order, but they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the peasants and workers, help overthrow government and military officials
  + Czar Nicholas II \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (gives up the throne) after a week
* Leaders of the Duma set up a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Government
  + Draw up a constitution, grant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ freedoms such as free speech and religion
  + However, people still angry because they don't deal with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ problems, and they stay involved in the war
  + Social revolutionaries set up \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-councils of workers, peasants, and soldiers in the cities that try to gain political influence.

**The Bolshevik Revolution**

* The Bolsheviks, a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ political party, organize the soviets.
  + Led by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a brilliant speaker
  + Slogan is “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” Believe in socialist government led by workers and peasants where wealth is shared and Lenin is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Lenin and the Bolsheviks storm the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and overthrow the Provisional Government
    - Tell peasants they can keep the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they took during the March Revolution
    - Sign Treaty of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to pull out of World War I

**Civil War Breaks Out**

* Lenin sets up the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, secret police to eliminate opponents
* The communists are known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Army, led by Lenin and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Army (Mensheviks) is made up of those who want democracy and those who want to restore the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They are poorly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Communists win in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Czar Nicholas and his family had been killed in 1918.