

Social Studies 11

Viewing Guide: KING & COUNTRY

1. When did Adolf Hitler come to power in Germany?
2. What was the outcome of the Oxford Union debate?
3. Why was this view so prevalent in British society?
4. What was the British policy of appeasement?
5. Why was Canada's foreign policy largely isolationist during the 1930s?
6. What was Hitler's attitude toward the Versailles treaty?
7. What British statesman warned of the dangers of German rearmament?
8. What British Prime Minister felt that appeasement could preserve world peace?
9. Why was French foreign policy so indecisive during the 1930s?
10. What was Hitler's first military move, in March, 1936?
11. What distracted British attention from foreign affairs in 1936?
12. What was the Anschluss?
13. How did Hitler make his territorial claims on Czechoslovakia sound legitimate?

14. How and where did Britain and France let Czechoslovakia down?
15. What was Canadian Prime Minister Mackenzie-King's view of the Munich agreement?
16. Why was Mackenzie King particularly worried about the prospect of war?
17. What was the critical turning point in Neville Chamberlain's dealings with Hitler?
18. What was Hitler's next target after Czechoslovakia?
19. What was his stated goal?
20. What was Britain's reaction?
21. What was Canada's reaction to Britain's change in policy?
22. How prepared for war was Canada in 1939?
23. What did Hitler promise to Stalin in return for the Nazi-Soviet Non Aggression Pact?
24. When did war break out:
 - For Poland & Germany?
 - For Britain?
 - For Canada?
25. Why did Canada delay before declaring war?
26. What was Mackenzie-King's promise to Quebec regarding conscription?