

The Battle of the Somme: July 1st - November 18th, 1916



The Somme. One of the bloodiest battles in human history.

The British and French Forces

794,238 Total Casualties and Losses



German Forces

537,918 Total Casualties and Losses





British Soldiers going "Over the Top"



Mustard and Chlorine Gasses used widely on both sides of the battle



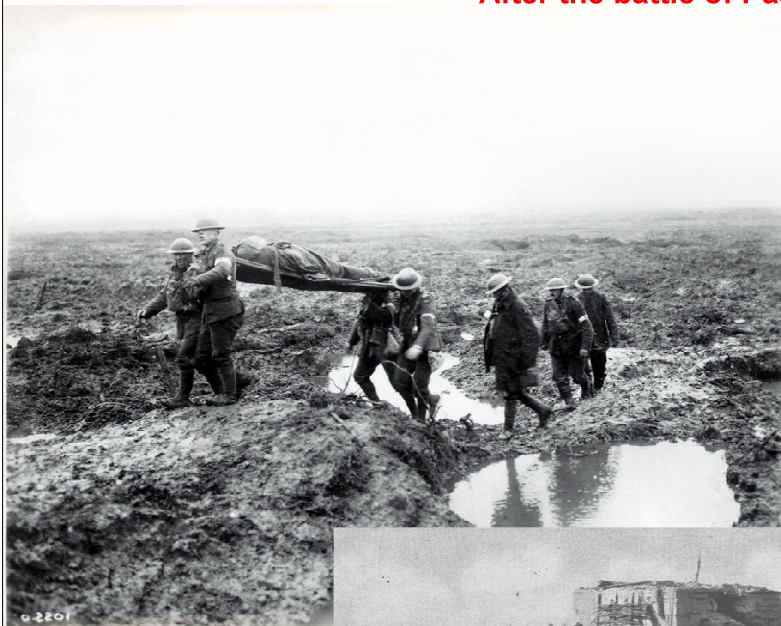
The tank is used for the first time at the Somme

The Third Battle of Ypres: Passchendaele July 1917

[Before the battle](#)



After the battle of Passchendaele



Wounded Canadian and German soldiers share a cigarette.



The Eastern Front





Russian Soldiers marching towards the frontlines.



Russian Forces ready to hold off an Austro-Hungarian counter-attack.