**Ottoman Empire, Creation of Israel, and the Holocaust Notes**

**Ottoman Empire**:

* The Ottoman Turks began as small \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bands that raided villages on the Byzantine frontier.
* They eventually developed into one of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ standing empires in the world.
  + The Ottoman Empire was ruled by one family from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CE until 1923 CE!
  + The Ottoman Turks were known for their \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ pursuit of land.
* At its height, the Ottoman Empire’s lands stretched from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, to Hungary, to Persia, and as far north as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Over time, the Ottoman sultans were not very capable of ruling and the empire began to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* During World War I, the Ottoman Empire sided with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Bad idea…
* After the war, the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ collapsed and the land of the former Ottoman Empire was divided among the victorious \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ countries:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Syria, Lebanon, Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Egypt, Sudan, Jordan, Palestine
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: Libya

New Borders:

* As the European countries divided the land, they drew \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that were not based on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ groups or historical boundaries.
* This caused some ethnic and religious groups to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by boundaries, while grouping other groups together.
  + This causes future \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_that are still occurring today.

Britain’s Involvement:

* During World War I, Great Britain realized that it needed to protect its connection to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* The British promised the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their own state (stretching from Syria to the Arabian Peninsula) if they helped defeat the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* At the same time, Britain was also making promises with the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + In the Balfour Declaration (1917), the British promised their support for the establishment of a Jewish homeland in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + In 1918, the Ottoman Empire \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the Arab sections of the empire were taken over by Great Britain and France.

Palestine:

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ officially took control of Palestine as a mandate (similar to a colony).
  + Arabs felt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that they were not given the area like they were promised, especially since they made up the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ part of the population.
  + Under British occupation, the number of Jewish settlers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ greatly.
  + In 1920, there was 1 Jew to every 10 Arabs. By 1947, there was 1 Jew for every 2 Arabs.
  + The Arabs felt that they were losing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of their land.
  + As Jewish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ continued, tension between Arabs and Jews increased.

Zionism:

* Zionism was a movement to establish a Jewish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Palestine.
* During this time period, there was an increase in anti-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (discrimination and violence towards Jews).
* The Jewish people believed that this was a good time to return to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (the holy land).
  + Tens of thousands of Jews began moving to Palestine after the Zionist movement began in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Jewish Land:

* The Jewish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ did not begin with Zionism, but actually dates back over 4,000 years.
  + According to Jewish and Christian sacred text, God commanded \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to leave his land in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and go to the land that is present-day Israel.
* Jews believe that if any nation has a right to claim land, then they should be able to claim this area as their own country.
  + They argue that they did not leave the land \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but were forced out by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ persecution.

Holocaust:

* More than \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Jews were killed in the Holocaust during World War II.
* Anti-Semitism (\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ against Jews) and the Holocaust led the Jewish people to seek a place of their own.
  + The Zionist movement gained more support from others around the world to create a Jewish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The Partition:

* In 1947, Great Britain asks the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for help in dividing up the land that was promised to both the Jews and the Arabs.
* The United Nations felt it was right to create a Jewish state in Palestine due to their suffering in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Jews agreed, but Arabs \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to do anything needed to prevent the U.N. plan from being carried out.
  + The Jews were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Palestine, but their armies were much more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ because of involvement in World War II.
* Despite the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the State of Israel was created on May 14, 19\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Arab-Israeli Conflict:

* + That night, a combined \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Egyptians, Iraqis, Jordanians, Syrians, Lebanese, Saudi, and Yemeni troops \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_…
* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ War (or Israeli War for Independence) lasted for 8 months, during which time the Jews not only defended their land, but \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the territory to include most of the lands the Palestinians had been offered and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* The land Palestine lost was divided among their Arab neighbors, leaving Palestine with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + This created over 780,000 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who were displaced.
  + Many of them left Israel, but some had nowhere to go and ended up in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ along Arab borders.

Causes of the Conflict:

* The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Empire fell apart.
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ supported the creation of a separate Jewish state.
* Conflict broke out between \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and Jews.

Effects of the Conflict:

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ took control of Palestine.
* The British pledged their support of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and creation of Israel.
* The Arabs were displaced to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.