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## I. WESTERN AND SOUTHERN EUROPE

- 1607.** Ulster estates confiscated and given to English and Scottish settlers. Tyrone flees to Rome.
- 1608.** *June:* Treaty for mutual defence between England and Netherlands.
- 1609.** *Apr. 9:* 12 years' truce between Spain and Netherlands. *June 17:* Netherlands ally with England and France for 12 years. *Sept. 22:* Moors expelled from Spain.
- 1610.** *Feb. 12:* Henry IV allies with German Protestant Union. *May 14:* Henry IV assassinated; succeeded by Louis XIII (-1643), under regency of Mary de' Medici, his mother, until **1617.** *June 9:* Arabella Stuart imprisoned for marrying Wm. Seymour.
- 1612.** *Nov. 5:* Henry, Prince of Wales, *d.*
- 1613.** *Feb. 14:* Elizabeth, daughter of James I, marries Frederick V, Elector Palatine.
- 1614.** Civil war in France, begun by Condé (*Feb. 19*); ended by peace of St. Menchould (*May 15*). War between Spain and Savoy.
- 1615.** *Aug. 9:* Second Civil War in France. *Sept. 27:* Arabella Stuart *d.*
- 1616.** *May 3:* Treaty of Loudun ends rebellion of Condé. *July 20:* Tyrone *d.*, at Rome. *Nov. 25:* Richelieu becomes Secretary of State.

## II. CENTRAL, NORTHERN, AND EASTERN EUROPE

- 1607.** *Mar. 15:* Charles IX crowned King of Sweden.
- 1608.** *Apr. 27:* Diet of Ratisbon broken up by Protestants. *June 25:* Rudolf II cedes Hungary, Austria, and Moravia to his brother Matthias.
- 1608-1619.** John Sigmund, Elector of Brandenburg.
- 1609.** *Mar. 25:* Last Duke of Jülich-Cleves *d.*; quarrel about succession between Brandenburg and Palatinate-Neuburg.
- 1610.** *Sept. 7:* Archduke Leopold driven out of Jülich by Brandenburg, Neuburg, English, and Dutch. *Sept. 19:* Frederick V becomes Elector Palatine. Poles invade Moscow.
- 1611.** *May 23:* Matthias becomes King of Bohemia. *Apr. 4:* Denmark declares war on Sweden. *Oct. 30:* Charles IX *d.*; succeeded by Gustavus II Adolphus (-1632).
- 1612.** *Jan. 20:* Emperor Rudolf II *d.*; succeeded by Matthias (-1619).
- 1613.** *Jan. 20:* Peace of Knaerød between Sweden and Denmark. *Feb. 21:* Michael Romanov elected Tsar (-1645). *Oct. 21:* Gabriel Bethlen becomes Prince of Transylvania.
- 1614.** *Nov. 12:* Treaty of Xanten; Jülich-Cleves divided between Brandenburg and Neuburg.
- 1615.** *May 6:* Peace of Tynau; Matthias acknowledges Bethlen.
- 1616.** Archdukes Maximilian and Albert renounce their claims to the Empire in favour of Ferdinand of Styria.

## III. COUNTRIES OVERSEA

- 1607.** English settlements in Virginia; *May 13:* Jamestown founded.
- 1608.** Jesuit State of Paraguay established. *July:* Champlain founds Quebec.
- 1609.** Charter of East India Company renewed. New Charter for Virginia. *Apr. 16-Nov. 2,*
- 1611:** Hawkins, first British envoy to Great Mogul.
- 1610-1611.** Henry Hudson explores Hudson Bay.
- 1611.** Dutch allowed to trade with Japan.
- 1611-1616.** Sir Thomas Dale, governor of Virginia, consolidates colony.
- 1612.** Bermudas colonized from Virginia.
- 1613.** Jehangir permits English settlement at Surat.
- 1614.** Virginian colonists prevent French settlements in Maine and Nova Scotia. United New Netherland Company establishes colony at mouth of Hudson.
- 1615.** Dutch seize Moluccas from Portuguese. England claims Spitzbergen.
- 1615-1618.** Sir Thomas Roe, British ambassador to Jehangir.
- 1616.** Manchu Tartars invade China.