

QUIZ

INTRO VIDEO – OVER THE LINE

Answer the following questions as you listen to the video. It may help to read through the questions before the video begins.

1. When did the First World War begin?

- It began in August 1914.
- The First World War started in 1945.
- WW1 began in July 1985.

2. At the beginning when did people in Britain think the war would be over?

- Most thought the war would last for at least five years.
- Many people thought the war would be over by Christmas.
- The majority of people thought the war would be over in one year or less.

3. How did the army encourage men to join the war effort?

- They told the men that if they didn't they would be fined.
- They promised the men could fight alongside their friends and neighbours.
- The army promised to pay the men a large sum for their services.

4. What battalions are mentioned in the video?

- The Stockbroker's Battalion and the Artists Rifles.
- The Farmer's Battalion and the Teacher's Battalion.
- The Writer's Battalion and the Poet's Battalion.

5. What is a difference between today's football players and football players during WW1?

- More women played football during WW1 than they do today.
- Today's football players aren't as skilled as players from WW1.
- Today's football players can become famous and earn huge salaries, but back then this idea was quite new.

6. On what football team did Jack make his professional debut?
- Arsenal
 - Grimsby
 - Huddersfield Town
7. What were the protesters at the football match upset about?
- They were upset that their favourite football team wasn't playing in the match.
 - The protesters wanted women to be allowed to play football professionally.
 - They were upset the footballers were not fighting in the war.
8. What did the woman protester hand to Jack?
- A white feather
 - A cartoon that called footballers cowards
 - A nasty letter that said Jack was a loser
9. What did it mean when a woman handed a man a white feather?
- It meant that man was super brave
 - The feathers were a symbol of cowardice
 - A white feather was a token of appreciation
10. How many men did the 16th Royal Scots lose at the Battle of the Somme?
- They lost three-quarters of their men.
 - They lost 5 men at the Battle of the Somme.
 - The 16th Royal Scots didn't lose any men during that battle.
11. The book **Over the Line** pays tribute to what?
- The story of a battalion of footballers who switched from playing for their country to fighting for it on the battlefields.
 - A group of soldiers that were separated from their brigade during battle.
 - The women that were left at home while their men went off to fight in the war.

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