



## From Assassination to War: The July Crisis.

1. 28<sup>th</sup> June 1914: The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand

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Provocation/ Miscalculation:

3. Germany give Austria the 'Blank Cheque'

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4. France and Russia meet – agree to support Serbs – 2<sup>nd</sup> 'Blank Cheque'?

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5. Russia begs Germany to restrain Austria.

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7. 23<sup>rd</sup> July: Austria give Serbia ultimatum.

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8. Serbia agrees with one exception.

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9. Austria rejects response.

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10. Britain suggest London conference – rejected by Austria and Germany.

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11. 28<sup>th</sup> July 1914: Austria declares war on Serbia

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12. 29<sup>th</sup> July: Russia warns Austria or will mobilize.

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14. Germany warns Russia response will be German mobilization.

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15. 30<sup>th</sup> July: Russia begins mobilization.

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16. Germany begins mobilization – the Schlieffen plan.

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17. 31<sup>st</sup> July: Germany sends Russia ultimatum to stop.

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18. 1<sup>st</sup> August: Germany declares war on Russia.

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19. 2<sup>nd</sup> August: Germany sends Belgium ultimatum.

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20. Britain warns Germany.

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21. 3<sup>rd</sup> August: Germany invades Belgium

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22. 3<sup>rd</sup> August: Germany declares war on France.

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Provocation/ Miscalculation:

23. 4<sup>th</sup> August: Britain declares war on Germany.

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