

Russia of the Romanovs



**RUSSIA OF THE  
ROMANOV'S**

Unit 10, Lesson 6

Coming Up this week

## COMING UP THIS WEEK

- Today 10.6 Take home quiz & work on study guide.
- Tomorrow- review study guide
- Thursday - Unit 10 Test

After Catherine the Great??

## AFTER CATHERINE THE GREAT...

- ◉ Catherine's son Paul became Tsar after her death in 1801.
  - ◉ Paul was a tyrannical ruler and terrorized the Russian people for four years until he was assassinated.
- ◉ Catherine's grandson, Alexander then ascended the throne
- ◉ Alexander was raised by Catherine the Great and she lovingly referred to him as *Monsieur Alexander*



Alexander??s Accomplishments:

## ALEXANDER'S ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- ◉ Lifting the ban on foreign books
- ◉ Reopened private publishing houses
- ◉ Freed political prisoners
- ◉ Lifted a ban on foreign travel
- ◉ Improved the education system

## War with France!

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- ◉ Alexander had bigger problems to tend to when Napoleon Bonaparte began launching armies across Europe.
- ◉ Burned capital city of St. Petersburg to save their country
- ◉ In 1812, the Russians defeated the French emperor, Napoleon, and forced his army to retreat from the city of Moscow.

## Slide8

- When Alexander died, Nicholas I became tsar.
- Army officers staged a rebellion against the government, with nearly 3,000 supporters
- They wanted to put an end to serfdom, which they considered Russia's "national disgrace"
- The "Decembrist Uprising", as the revolt was known, lasted just over 1 hour.
- The revolution ended in failure



Tsar

Nobles/Boyars

Orthodox Church Officials (Patriarch was the ruler of the church  
military

Liberals (wanted Russia to be more like the rest of Europe)

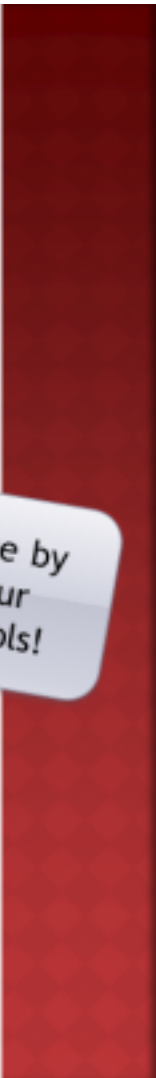
Peasants

Serfs

## Slide9

After Alexander died, revolutionaries launched a failed attempt to overthrow the Russian Government. Their rebellion was known as the:

- A. November uprising
- B. Decembrist uprising
- C. December revolt



Participate by  
using your  
polling tools!

## Mapping the Growth of an Empire

# MAPPING THE GROWTH OF AN EMPIRE

Activity is also on  
your Online School

Russian  
Empire in  
1689 when  
Peter the  
Great came to  
Power.





## Mapping the Growth of an Empire

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Highlighted in yellow are the areas of land that Peter the Great added to the Russian Empire.



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Highlighted in orange are the areas of land that Catherine the Great added to the Russian Empire.



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Highlighted in pink is the area of land that was controlled by the Russian Empire by the death of Alexander I.



in the end??

## IN THE END...

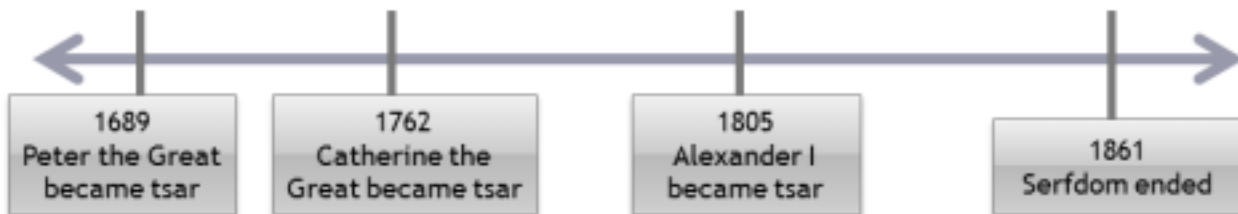
- ◉ The democratic revolution in Russia literally lasted an hour.
- ◉ The Decembrists were quickly defeated and the Romanovs remained in power until the early 1900s.



Answer in Chat:

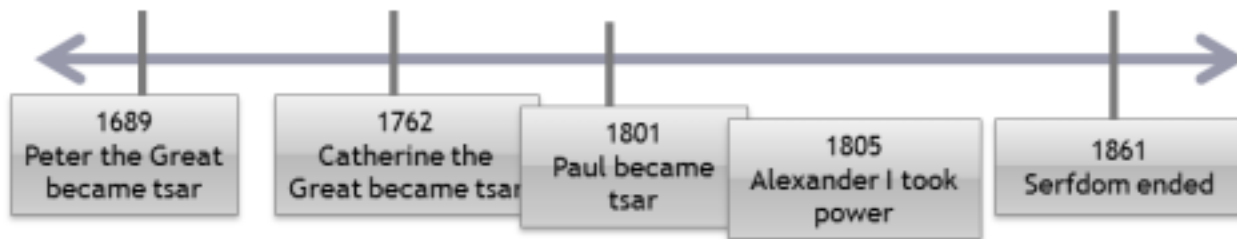
## ANSWER IN CHAT:

- When do you think serfdom ended in Russia?



Let??s Review Again:

# LET'S REVIEW AGAIN:



Early 1800s- Decembrist Uprising

What??s Next??

## WHAT'S NEXT...

### Homework:

- ⦿ 10.6 take home quiz in sapphire
- ⦿ Complete study guide (will be sent in kmail)
- ⦿ Finish & send in Unit 10 homework

