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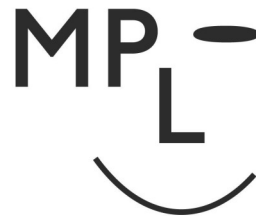
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*“There were many words that you
could not stand to hear and finally only
the names of places had dignity.
Abstract words such as glory, honor,
courage, or hallow were obscene.”*
Ernest Hemingway,
American novelist & WW1 veteran



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The war began July 28, 1914 and lasted until November 11, 1918.

More than 9 million soldiers lost their lives.



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