**Short term Causes of Russian Revolution:**

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| **Short term Cause:** | **Explanation** | **Connection, comments, questions, connections…** |
| Rasputin | Brought Country to ruins with his mismanagement and corruption. |  |
| Inflation and Unrest | Tsar had taken all young men and good horses to fight in war. This caused some animosity towards the Tsar. |  |
| Tsar went to fight in the War | Left Tsarina in control, who gave the reigns to Rasputin. |  |
| Russian Loss at Russo-Japanese War | Demoralized the people, and many lost their faith in the government. |  |
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