

XIV. JULIUS CAESAR AND THE FIRST TRILUM VIRATE

1. How was Julius Caesar related to Marius?
2. In what year did Caesar serve as consul?
3. What action of the Senate angered Caesar even before his consulship started?
4. What three men formed a private alliance in 60 BC? What is the alliance called? Who was invited to join but refused?
5. How did Caesar overcome the opposition of his co-consul to pass legislation providing land for Pompey's veterans?
6. What did Caesar gain in the passage of the Lex Vatinia?
7. Who were the Gauls? Where did they live?



8. What Gallic tribe tried to cross Cisalpine Gaul in 58 BC?
9. Where did Caesar first fight the Helvetii?
10. What German leader threatened to enter Gaul?
11. Describe the difficulties Caesar encountered in attempting to invade Britain.
12. What leader did the Gauls unite behind in 52 BC? What tribe was he from?
13. What battle began in 52 BC with a siege of the Gallic fortress?
14. What are the *Comentarii de Bello Gallico*? What was its purpose?
15. Who was Caesar's ally in Rome while he was in Gaul? How did he remove Cicero and Cato the Younger from Rome's political scene?



16. What ally of Pompey fought against Clodius?

17. Where did the Triumvirs meet in 55 BC? What agreements did they make there?

