

**AFRICA SOUTH OF THE SAHARA**

**History and Geography Activity 6 (continued)**

**Directions:** Answer the questions below in the spaces provided.

1. What names might you have seen on a map of Africa made in 1910?

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2. In 1910 what two African countries were not colonized by European powers?

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3. What resources were European countries searching for in Africa?

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4. How did the colonial powers control the native peoples?

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5. What did the colonial powers build in the countries they controlled?

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6. What are two reasons the map of Africa changed dramatically after World War II?

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7. **Making Inferences** One of the lasting results of European colonialism in Africa is the continued use of the colonial languages. For example, France was the colonial power in Morocco. French is still widely spoken there. What European languages do you think are widely spoken in the following countries: Chad, Zimbabwe, Kenya, Senegal?

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8. **Drawing Conclusions** Use your textbook or other sources to answer this question: How did the political boundaries drawn by European colonial powers cause problems for many African nations after they gained independence?

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