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Chapter 4: The Geography and History of Europe

Section 3: Modern Europe

Section 3: European Politics

Directions: Answer each question in two or three complete sentences.

1. What role did political rivalries in Europe play in the conflicts of the 20th century?

2. What were the causes and effects of the Scramble for Africa?

3. How did nationalism and militarism lead to World War I?

4. Explain the connections between the Treaty of Versailles and the Great Depression to World War II.

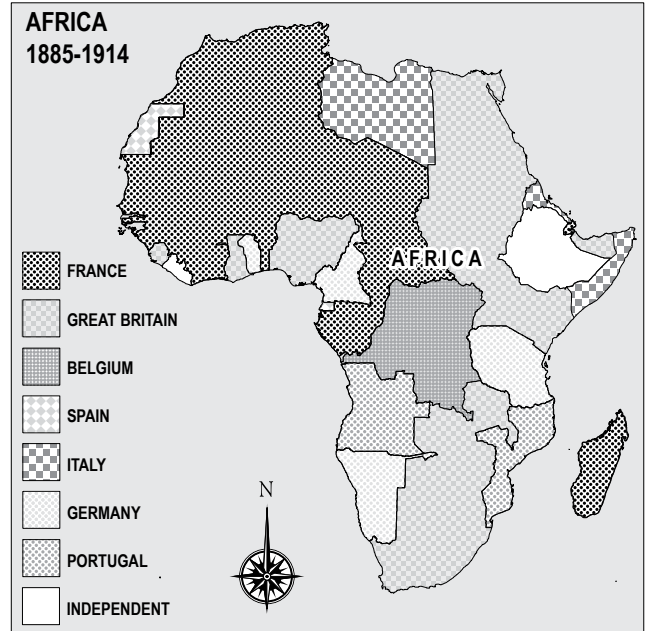
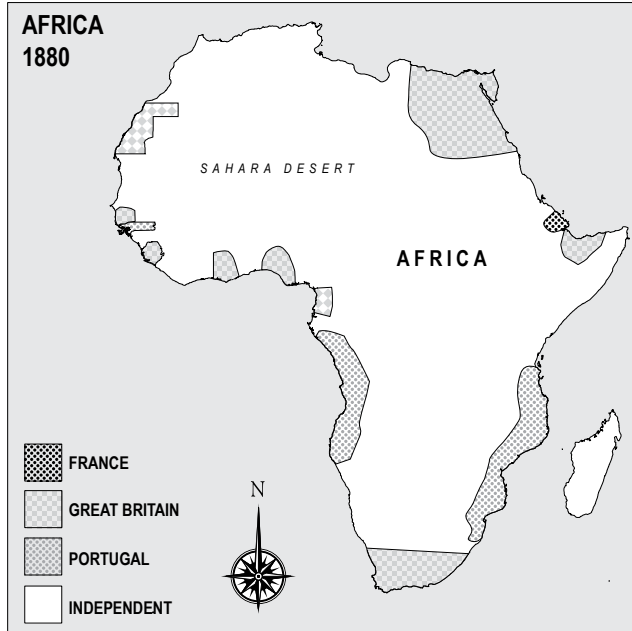
5. Explain the conflict of ideas between the superpowers in the Cold War.

6. Explain the role that new weaponry played in World War I.

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Directions: Use the information in the maps to answer the questions below.



- _____ 7. During the Scramble for Africa during the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, which two European powers controlled the most African land?
- a. Spain and Italy
 - b. Germany and Portugal
 - c. Great Britain and France
 - d. Belgium and the Netherlands
- _____ 8. What physical feature covered most of French West Africa?
- a. desert
 - b. rain forest
 - c. mountains
 - d. swamplands
- _____ 9. Which European power controlled most of northwest Africa during the colonial era?
- a. France
 - b. Belgium
 - c. England
 - d. Germany

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