Sub-Saharan Africa Scavenger Hunt

**Directions:** **Answer the following questions using pages 398-473 in your textbook.**

1. What is Africa’s highest mountain?
2. What does the GeoData section entitled “Place” tell us about Africa’s name?
3. How are the health clinics in Nairobi trying to control the spread of AIDS?
4. Using the map on page 403, draw conclusions about the elevation of Africa.
5. In 1931, Louis Leakey began to study what important feature?
6. What are the two largest religions found in Africa?
7. Using the regional data file on pages 408-413, determine the following:
   1. Country with the lowest life expectancy?
   2. Country with the highest infant mortality?
8. What river forms Victoria Falls?
9. In the section “Comparing Cultures,” what event is the article comparing to our Thanksgiving dinner?
10. What are some positives and negatives to the oil pipeline in Chad and Cameroon (page 417)?
11. Using the map on page 421, what climate regions are represented by shades of green?
12. What is desertification and how does it happen?
13. In 1905, the world’s largest of this item was found in South Africa and is named “The Star of Africa”?
14. What are two interesting facts you read in the section, “Growing Up” about the Masai children in Kenya??   
    (1)   
    (2)
15. How many people died during the famine in Somalia (what is famine)?
16. What items did the early empires in West Africa use to trade?
17. Who is King Sunny Ade’ and what was his nickname?
18. What is being depicted in the cartoon on 449?
19. In the picture on page 444, what is the man doing?
20. Where is the Austronesian language spoken?
21. What have been the leading diseases in Africa for the past century?
22. How many countries claim to have more than 20% of their adult population living with HIV/AIDS?
23. Using the map on page 469, which African country might contain the most ethnic groups?
24. What two countries of Africa have remained independent of colonial rule?
25. Read the primary source A on page 470. Describe King Leopold II’s tactic in order to obtain a strategic economy.