

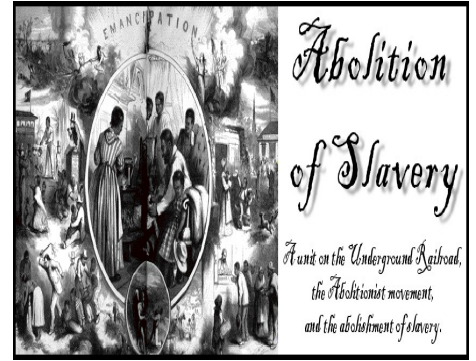
A short history of South Africa



South Africa was colonized by the European in the XVIIIth century.



The first hostilities between Black and White began in 1779.



Slavery was abolished in 1833.



The African National Congress (ANC) was founded in 1912.



The First World War was fought from 1914-1918. South Africa participated in 1915.



South Africa became founder member of the United Nations in 1945.



Apartheid happened from 1948 to 1991.



Nelson Mandela and the leaders of ANC were imprisoned in 1963.



The first black president, Nelson Mandela was elected on May 1994.