

13. At the Sochi Winter Olympics the women's figure skater from which country was awarded the gold medal when she was clearly second according to most experts watching the event?
- a) South Korea
  - b) Canada
  - c) Australia
  - d) Russia

15. The Australian men's cricket team is presently one test up in the three match series against which country?
- a) England
  - b) India
  - c) South Africa
  - d) West Indies

14. Ice hockey is the major team event at the Winter Olympics and is the national winter sport of which country?
- a) South Korea
  - b) Canada
  - c) Australia
  - d) USA

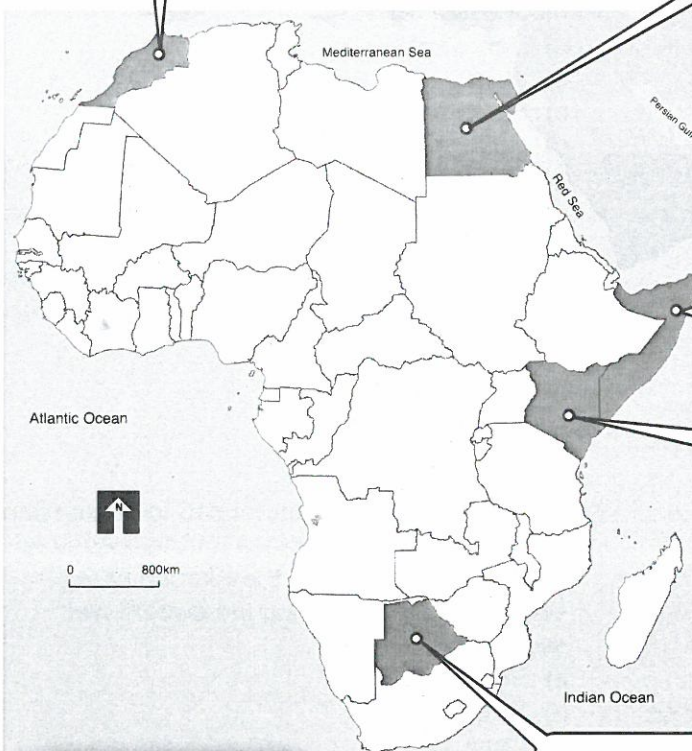
## Mapping the news .....

16. 150 migrants from sub-Saharan countries tried to enter Europe through this country last week. Spain has a small possession at the northern tip of this country at the Straits of Gibraltar called Melilla. If migrants can get through the security surrounding Melilla and enter the Spanish possession they can claim asylum in Europe.

Answer: M \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

17. An Australian journalist working for Al Jazeera English (an international 24-hour English-language news and current affairs TV channel headquartered in Doha, Qatar), has been arrested and is facing trial in **this country** for allegedly broadcasting "misleading" news on the country's political situation and supporting a banned "terrorist organisation" (the Muslim Brotherhood).

Answer: E \_ \_ \_ \_



18. The fishermen of **this country** have been forced into piracy in recent years as fishing fleets from other nations have illegally plundered the rich waters off its coast. Commercial fishing fleets from as far away as South Korea, Japan and Spain operating under flags of convenience (ships registered in other countries) have operated without licenses and ignored regulations to deplete fish stock so impacting the livelihoods of local fishermen.

Answer: S \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

19. New tough laws have been introduced in **this country** to stop the illegal trade of ivory products which may result in the extinction of elephants and rhinoceroses. The first person to be brought before the courts under these laws was a Chinese citizen who, when found guilty was faced with a fine of \$233,000 or seven years in prison.

Answer: K \_ \_ \_ \_

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20. A plan to move one hundred rhinos to **this country** from South Africa to protect them from poachers is to be carried out. Nearly 950 rhinos were killed by poachers last year in South Africa, the highest ever recorded. According to South Africa's environment affairs ministry, if this trend continues, the wild rhino population could become extinct within ten years.

Answer: B \_ \_ \_ \_ \_