**King Leopold’s Legacy:**

**White King, Red Rubber, Black Death**

Step 1: Watch the first 4:30 of the documentary White King, Red Rubber, Black Death [http://wn.com/white\_king,\_red\_rubber,\_black\_death](http://wn.com/white_king%2C_red_rubber%2C_black_death)

Step 2: Read the article about it: [**http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/africa/3516965.stm**](http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/africa/3516965.stm)

Step 3: Answer the following questions:

1. **Summarize the article. What happened and why?**
2. **Describe the pain inflicted upon the Congolese. Compare this to the Holocaust.**
3. **Why do you think you have never heard of this genocide before?**
4. **What do you think the long-term impact of this is that may impact this region of Africa today?**