

5. NAMES IN COLONISATION-NAMES AS CLAIMS OR MEMENTOS (*CONTINUED ...*)

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Spanish and Portuguese exploration in America

- Coastal names mostly descriptive, religious (more than in Africa) or commemorative
- Inland settlement names in former Aztec and Inca empires (many cities) mostly in indigenous form
- As in Africa, mythical elements in the interior: 7 cities of Cibola, Lake Parime (el Dorado)

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