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5. What does the cartoon to the right, drawn in 1954, suggest about the nature of the war in Indochina? If the cartoon had been drawn in 1947, how might the cartoonist have portrayed the war?



6. Why were the U.S. proposals to intervene in Indochina in 1954 during the siege of Dienbienphu never carried out?

7. Explain why the United States was reluctant to attend the Geneva Conference.

Extra Challenge: Explain the meaning of the statement at the beginning of the background reading: "The American road to Vietnam began in early 1947 in the villages of Greece and in the mountains of Turkey."