Intro:

Both Kenya and India were colonized by Great Britain and did not receive their independence until after WWII. The breakup of the British empire occurred gradually and these two countries’ roads to independence took different routes. This also meant differing outcomes for their two societies.

 Jawaharlal Nehru in his “Speech on the Granting of Indian Independence” announced India’s Independence with hope and encouragement. This speech reminded fellow Indians of the ideals that India had valued for decades. While this speech encouraged Indians to look toward the future of self-rule and democracy, Jomo Kenyatta’s independence speech to the U.N. tried to differentiate the governing bodies of the Kenya from Mau Mau guerrillas, as a necessity of clarification for the U.N. and other supporting bodies.

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Outline:

* + - 1. Kenyan and Indian governmental structure during colonization
      2. Paths taken towards independence in each.
      3. What the end result looked like