II. Fertile Crescent Empires

- a. Sargon II is king of Assyria
- b. He was one of many kings who ruled Fertile Crescent

A. The Babylonian Empire

- a. Empire or an area of many territories and people that is controlled by on government
- b. Rulers of empires gained great wealth from trade and agriculture
- c. Babylon was the capital of the Babylonian Empire
- d. Babylonians build roads
- e. Caravans or groups of travelers
- f. Bazaars are markets

B. The Empire of Assyrians

- a. Assyria is on open land making invasion easy
- b. Assyrians become skilled warriors
- c. It stretches from the Nile River to Persian Gulf

1. Assyria's Contributions

- a. They invented the battering ram
- They had great libraries that held tablets that tells us about early
 Mesopotamia