Lesson 5-2 Homework Questions, part 2

Answer the following questions.

1. Why did the people of Ghana keep the source of their gold a secret? (Page 159)

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2. How did the king of Ghana gain wealth by trade? What happened to the people he conquered? (Page 159)

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3. Who were the Berbers? Identify three details provided in the text. (Page 159)

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4. What did Berber traders introduce to Ghana? How did Islam affect West African culture? (Page 159)

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5. Why did Ghana’s Islamic kings practice some aspects of their traditional religion? (Page 160)

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6. How did Islam influence Ghana’s rulers and upper class? (Page 160)

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7. Why were the Almoravids motivated to declare war on Ghana? How did the war weaken Ghana? (Page 161)

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