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| 1. | settlement | |
| 2. | embrace | |
| 3. | wipe out | |
| 4. | collapse | |
| 5. | epidemic | |
| 6. | warfare | |
| 7. | mud | |
| 8. | drought | |
| 9. | overpopulated | |
| 10. | tomb | |
| 11. | riverbank | |

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| <i>kill / destroy</i> | Modern ____ can result in millions of deaths. |
| <i>wet earth</i> | Diseases and natural disasters caused the ____ of some civilisations. |
| <i>a place where people come to live and build their homes</i> | The fisherman found a place on the ____ where he caught a lot of fish. |
| <i>a long time without enough rain</i> | London is becoming ____. |
| <i>a large grave</i> | Many animals have been ____ by hunters and no longer exist. |
| <i>to surround to enclose</i> | A lot of plants and animals died in the ____. |
| <i>the ground on the side of a river</i> | Archaeologists found signs of a ____ which is thousands of years old. |
| <i>the situation when a disease spreads quickly to a very large numbers of people in a place</i> | When the rich man died, he was buried in the family ____. |
| <i>with too many people</i> | There was ____ all over his shoes because he had been walking in the fields. |
| <i>a sudden failure / downfall</i> | That plant has ____ the abandoned house and completely covered it. |
| <i>the activity of fighting in a war</i> | Last winter there was a flu ____ and thousands of people became ill. |