



Choose the correct item.

FAMINE AND FLOOD

If a country has no rain for a long time, this dry period is called a 1_____. In countries dependent on their agriculture, this can lead to a period of 2_____, when there is not enough food and people actually 3_____ (die of hunger). The number of people who die of 4_____ is sometimes really great.

There may be a different situation. When it rains very heavily and the land is under water, this is called a 5_____. In this situation, people and animals can 6_____.

Sometimes the authorities send 7_____ that have to 8_____ food supplies to people in areas which are cut 9_____.

EARTHQUAKE AND EPIDEMIC

In some parts of the world, the ground shakes from time to time. This is called a(an) 1_____ and if it's a bad one, the number of 2_____ (dead and injured people) is sometimes large.

Buildings often 3_____ and 4_____ teams have to search for people who are 5_____ under the 6_____. Sometimes water supplies are affected and there is a(an) 7_____ of disease, called a(an) 8_____.

9_____ teams are sent by the government to help the sick. The death 10_____ can reach hundreds or even thousands.

