

bleached

whitened by exposure
to sunlight or by use
of chemicals

carcasses

bodies of dead animals

decay

process of rotting

parasites

living things that live on
or in others, from which
they get their food,
often harming the
others in the process

scrawny

having little flesh;
lean; thin; skinny

starvation

suffering from
extreme hunger

suspicious

beliefs, feelings,
thoughts

tundra

a vast, treeless plain
in the arctic regions