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Snow and sand! These indicate two extremes of climate. Both present desolation. Deserts of sand are hot and dry; deserts of snow are cold, and dry also. Travel in either has difficulties, in the sand desert due to blowing sand, and in the snow desert due to the air being full of ice needles. In both there is a scarcity of food. The inhabitants of the sand desert subsist on vegetables, and those of the snow on animals. War carried on under either set of conditions presents difficulties which at times become insuperable.

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