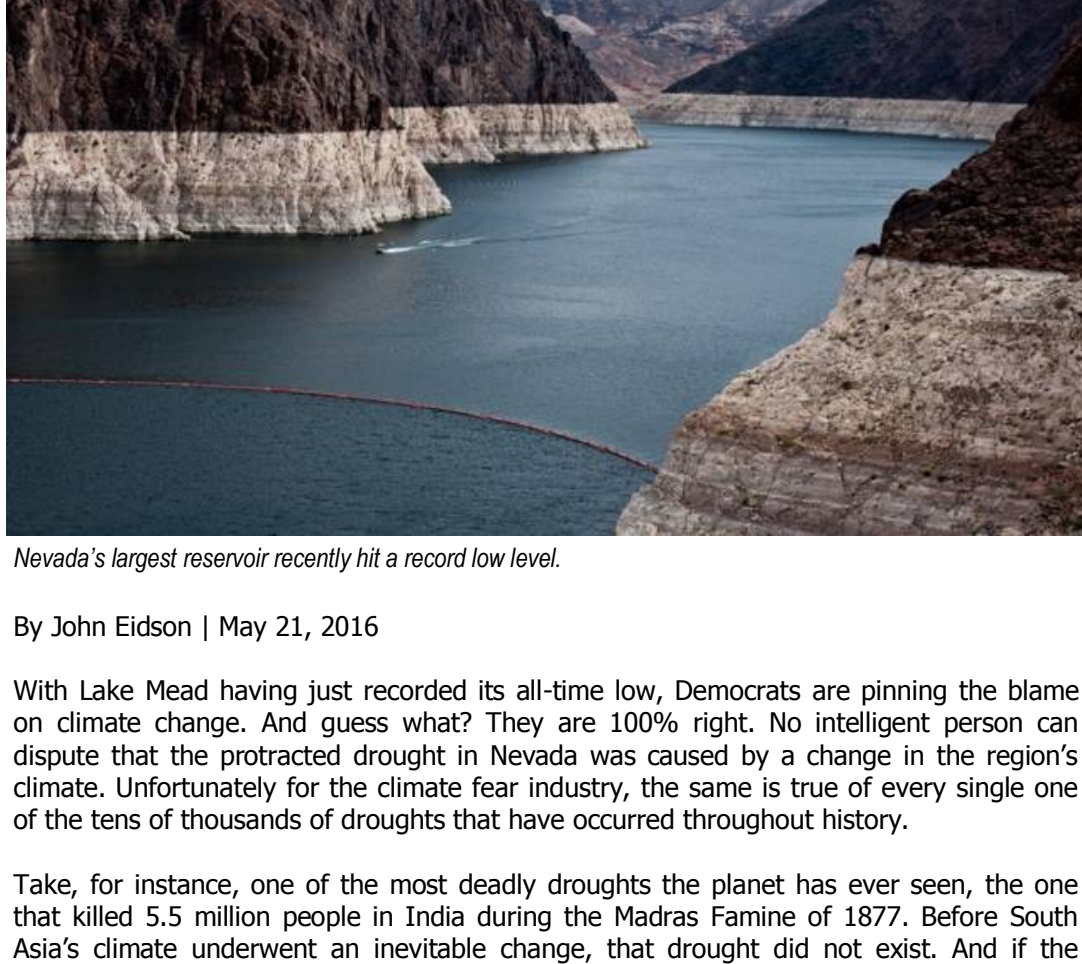


Man-made climate fear reaches crescendo.

Warnings sound as Lake Mead drops to lowest level ever.



Nevada's largest reservoir recently hit a record low level.

By John Eidson | May 21, 2016

With Lake Mead having just recorded its all-time low, Democrats are pinning the blame on climate change. And guess what? They are 100% right. No intelligent person can dispute that the protracted drought in Nevada was caused by a change in the region's climate. Unfortunately for the climate fear industry, the same is true of every single one of the tens of thousands of droughts that have occurred throughout history.

Take, for instance, one of the most deadly droughts the planet has ever seen, the one that killed 5.5 million people in India during the Madras Famine of 1877. Before South Asia's climate underwent an inevitable change, that drought did not exist. And if the climate in South Asia didn't change again, the Madras Famine would never have ended.

There is a lesson to be learned from that bit of environmental history: droughts come and droughts go, an indisputable fact illustrated by the two articles linked to below. Both report specific instances of the kind of human-generated hysteria that accompanies every new drought that comes along. The intent of the hysteria? To frighten voters to believe that weather pattern variation—a.k.a. climate change—has never happened before.

Georgia's Lake Lanier

[Lake Lanier, Droughts and Climate Change](#) is an article about the 2011-12 drought in Georgia that left the state's largest reservoir a whopping thirteen feet below full pool. Seizing upon that (transient) climate event as another opportunity to frighten uninformed voters, alarmists made wild claims that Lanier would dry-up forever unless emergency measures were taken to reduce man-made CO2. Well, guess what? Much to the dismay of the alarmists—and as carbon emissions continued to rise around the world—Lanier was back at full pool the very next year, as plentiful rainfall returned to Georgia in 2013. So how is Lake Lanier doing today, nearly four years later? Has its water level continued to plummet, as voters were told it would? No, it hasn't. [According to official statistics](#)—and in total contradiction to terrifying predictions that it would be bone dry by now—Lanier stood at 1,070.74 feet as of May 1, a mere 0.26 feet (3 inches) shy of full pool.

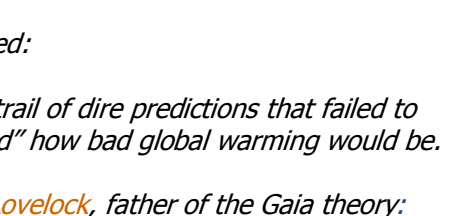
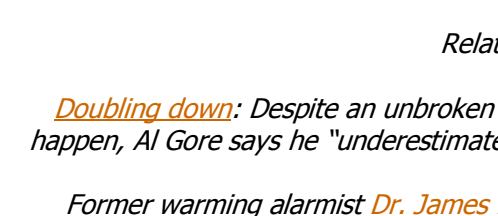
California's Lake Almaden

[Mother Nature 1, Climate Fear Industry 0](#) is about another recent drought, this one in California. This article reports frenzied efforts by the political left to create mass hysteria over the drought's impact on California's lakes, including Lake Almaden, one of the state's largest reservoirs. Having whipped itself into a lather, the climate fear industry ended up with egg on its face, as the drought that began four years earlier inevitably petered out. So how is Almaden doing today? Has it only gotten worse, as voters were led to believe? The answer is a resounding no. Just two months ago, on March 14, the reservoir returned to [100% of its historic average](#), as billions of gallons poured in from drenching rains.

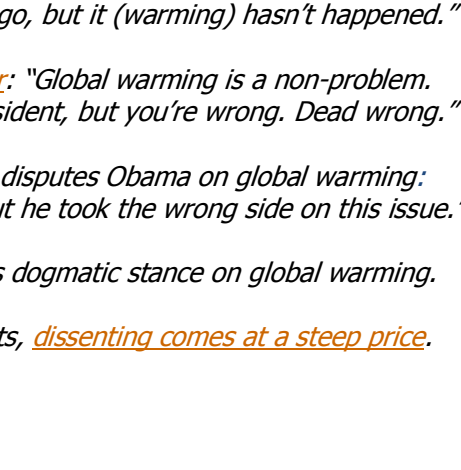
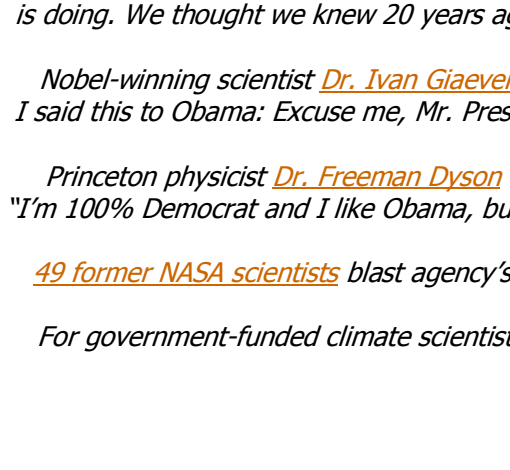
Bottom line: Yes, Lake Mead is at an exceptionally low level, but there's good news ahead! As has happened for millions of years, droughts come and droughts go. Always have, always will. The regions that surround Lanier and Almaden have recovered from *hundreds* of droughts over the ages, and the odds are astronomical that Lake Mead will eventually recover from the one that caused its level to reach a record low.

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Lake Almaden, then and now:



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