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Franz Gnaedinger wrote:

On Aug 19, 2:22 pm, "Peter T. Daniels" <gramma...@xxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

This isn't either a physics or an environmentalist or a civil engineering newsgroup.

Lines aare snipped that are not relevant to the point under discussion.

Harlan Messinger tries to cope with me by mutilating my arguments, and thus he can't cope with me.

Again: I snip the lines I'm not addressing, and your arguments are intact in the posts in which you wrote them. Stop lying.

And he always escapes to meta-levels, in the way every kook behaves.

That's really funny coming from the person who keeps waving his hands by bringing up killrating and the way his posts are snipped rather than restricting himself to addressing what was said to him.

There are also kooks on the academic side of the fence, as you must have learned meanwhile.

The topic of this thread is the etymology of