Meanwhile in the dry, weed-choked ditch of former river, subversive and dangerous naturalists discuss climate change and ways to counteract global warming... 

A little help here please. this peaceful stream is now a muddy quagmire.

Say, that's odd. What sort of bird is that? A turkey? A raven?

That would be the Global Hawk payload-enabled, drone reconnaissance unmanned aerial vehicle, operated from CENTCOM in Florida by a super-caffeinated teen video game junkie with a shaky trigger finger. He's being instructed by speaker phone that the domestic wiretap program has found you to be unenthusiastic consumers with dubious values. A majestic creature!

Using fuzzy logic the hawks generate vague, secret 'INTEL' to justify future resource liberation wars.

What is an actionable target? Can a think tank sustain a direct hit from a smart bomb?

Naturalists is dangerous fanatics!
Polluted skies are clear because coal is clean... invasion is infinite justice because occupation is liberation. Conservation is communism. Deadly weapons are smart. Guilt is assumed. Isolation is freedom. Nuclear energy is safe. War is permanent and patriotic. Justice is blind but swift. Have a nice day.