


An aerial photograph of a tropical cyclone, showing a well-defined eye and spiral cloud bands over a dark blue ocean. The eye is a bright, circular center, surrounded by a dense ring of white clouds. The outer bands of clouds spiral outwards, creating a swirling pattern. The overall scene is captured from a high angle, looking down at the storm.

Natural disasters

A dramatic night photograph of a city skyline under a dark, stormy sky. Multiple bright, jagged lightning bolts strike down from the clouds, illuminating the scene. The city lights are visible in the foreground and middle ground, creating a stark contrast with the dark sky. The overall mood is intense and powerful.

Thunderstorm

Thunder+ storm

Tornado





Tsunami



Typhoon





Flood







Earthquake

Volcano eruption

A photograph capturing a powerful volcanic eruption. A thick, billowing plume of white ash and steam rises from a mountain, filling the upper two-thirds of the frame. The plume has a textured, cauliflower-like appearance. In the foreground, a dirt road winds through a field of green grass and several tall palm trees. A blue car is driving away from the viewer on the road, providing a sense of scale to the immense volcanic activity. The sky is a pale, overcast grey.





Drought

The image features a blurred background of a city skyline. A prominent skyscraper with a yellow and white facade is visible in the center-right. The text "Anomalous cold" is overlaid in white, sans-serif font across the middle of the image. The overall scene is out of focus, suggesting a wide-angle shot or a video frame.

Anomalous cold

Hurricane

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Disasters do a lot of
damage



Disasters kill people.
A lot of people are hurt.

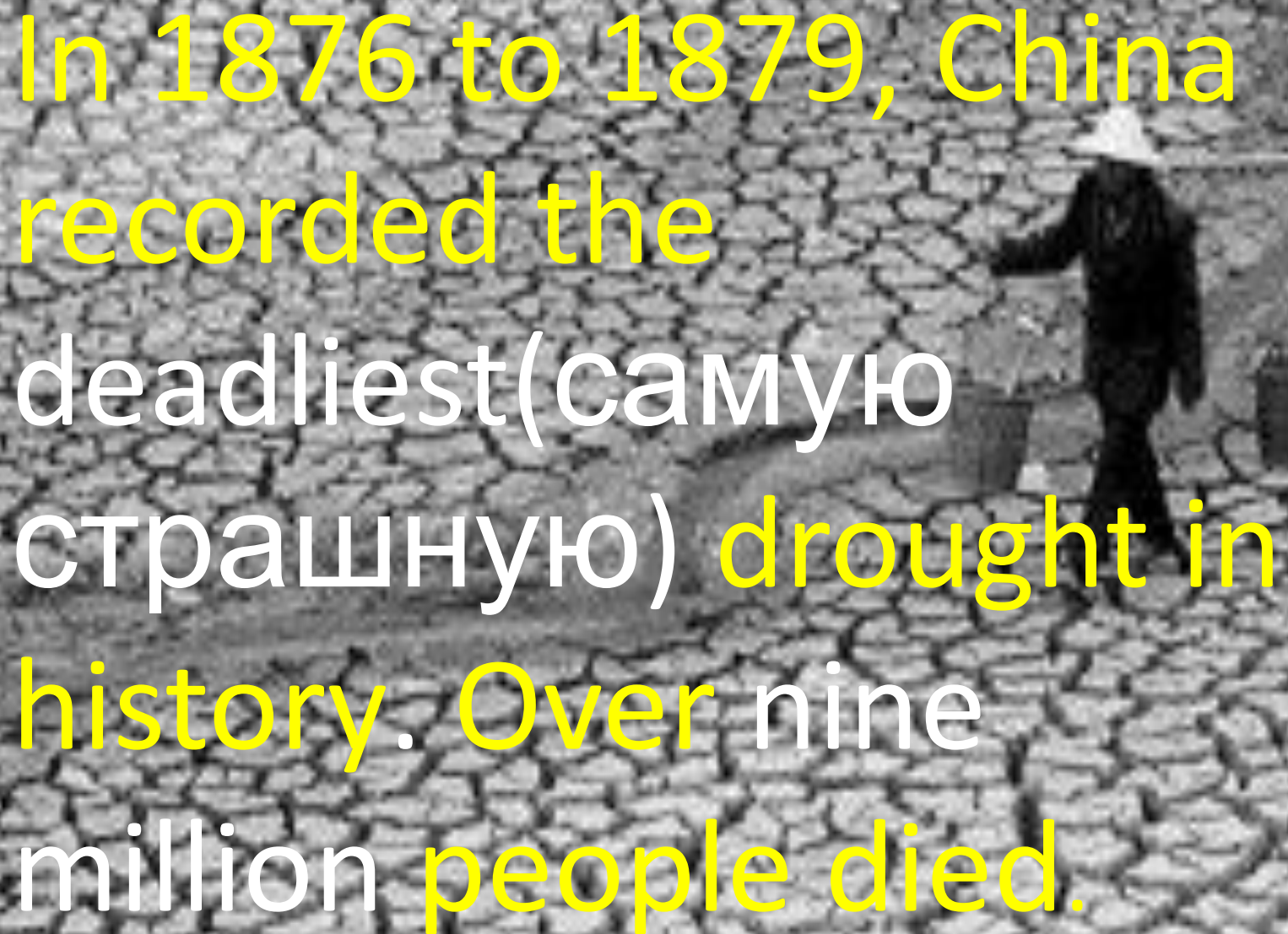


Over(в течение) the centuries there have been many natural disasters that have stolen(унесли) human lives and left destruction and havoc(опустошение) for the survivors (оставшийся в живых). Sometimes these incidents are ranked based on damage, loss (потерю) of lives or the amount(количество) of money that it cost to rebuild.



The bubonic plague or "Black Death"

The bubonic **plague** killed almost 33 percent of the population of Europe when it struck between 1347 and 1350. It also affected millions in Asia and North Africa.



In 1876 to 1879, China recorded the deadliest (самую страшную) drought in history. Over nine million people died.

The Potato Famine.
The Irish Potato Famine of
1845 to 1848 took over a
million lives.

