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Date: Tue, 23 Dec 1997 10:01:01 -0800

[Response from moderator follows]

From CNN QuickNews 23 Dec 97:

* HUGE BALLOON PROPOSED TO LAUNCH ASTRONOMY INSTRUMENTS

NASA is planning to build a superballoon taller than a 30-story building to ferry astronomy instruments to the edge of the earth's atmosphere. The balloon would lift about 3,000 pounds to a height of more than 22 miles. The cost will be about \$1 million, much cheaper than expensive rocket launches. Plans call for the balloon to stay aloft more than 100 days, enough time to circle the globe if the winds are right.

-->Instruments can be reused
..... <http://cnn.com/TECH/9712/22/superballoon.ap/>

* U.S. RELEASES FILMS OF COLD WAR ATOMIC TESTS

Images of U.S. nuclear testing were filmed by the government during the Cold War but had never been seen by the public until Monday. Recently declassified, and just released by the U.S. Department of Energy, the films from the 1950s and '60s offer historians a ringside seat at Operation Redwing, Operation Wigwam, Operation Knothole and Ivy Flats -- some of the country's most dramatic Cold War experiments.

-->Animals used in testing
..... <http://cnn.com/US/9712/22/nuclear.films/>

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