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Noril'sk Gets Medical Syringes and Consumer Goods in Exchange for Waste Paper

Disposable medical syringes and consumer goods - such will be the "payment" for waste paper supplied by Noril'sk. The fair exchange is guaranteed by a joint venture established by the "Stalker" cooperative of the "Noril'skremontazh" Trust and the Yugoslav firm "Kemikalia".

In addition, the Yugoslav partners will receive for processing the tailings from the main reduction unit of the Noril'sk mining and metallurgical combine, a part of whose output will go to Taimyr.

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Scrap Metal Recovery Program at Tiksi

The arctic coast of the Yakut Republic is sometimes called a second Magnitogorsk on account of the countless thousands of tons of metal rusting in the dumps around settlements, cities, polar stations, and drill holes.

Fortunately, there are now good reasons to believe that the tundra will be cleaned up. In the settlement of Tiksi, a team of the Yakut Republic's industrial enterprise "Vtorchermet" has started work.