

And this is how it is with us. We envy the riches of others, we praise the orderliness and economic know-how of other countries, we seek credits and try to obtain hard currency. But I fear it will all just be washed away again while we're trying to reach the other shore - the long sought-after market economy.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Semipalatinsk Nuclear Testing to be Halted in 1993

The Defense Council under the president of the USSR has adopted a decision to halt nuclear blasts on the Semipalatinsk Testing Range as of January 1993. For the period 1991 - 1992, 18 underground nuclear explosions of 20 to 30 kilotonnes are planned.

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