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SPACE PROBE: With a new space research tool, a 16-inch former naval gun, a team from McGill University in Montreal, Canada, is carrying out a high-altitude probing project on the coast of Barbados in the West Indies. After firing test shots with dummy slugs from the former United States Navy gun, the team shot a series of special space projectiles to carry data-gathering instruments. Members of McGill's High Altitude Research Project stood beside the 142-ton gun, modified to carry the space projectile. The project has the support of the United States Army Research Office.

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