

2 56PM SPACE-MONKEY DIES
WASHINGTON, TUESDAY:

ABLE, THE LITTLE FEMALE MONKEY WHICH
TRAVELLED INTO OUTER SPACE WITH A COMPANION MONKEY AND RETURNED TO
EARTH LAST WEEK, DIED LAST NIGHT WHILE UNDERGOING AN OPERATION.

AN ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT SAID THE DEATH OF THE SEVEN-POUND
RHESUS MONKEY WAS NOT THE RESULT OF THE FLIGHT. THE OPERATION
WAS BEING PERFORMED TO REMOVE A RECORDING INSTRUMENT.

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