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Satellite Will Carry Hopes of UW Scientists

Firing of a weather satellite from Cape Canaveral this month will climax years of painstaking research, planning and engineering by University of Wisconsin staff members on our cover: below, Prof. Verner Suomi, meteorologist who heads the team working on the earth circling sphere, which will measure radiation received on the earth and that lost, and Project Associate Harry H. Miller; and above, Electric Engineering Profs. Robert J. Parent and Wayne B. Swift. Accurate measurement of the earth’s heat budget should prove helpful to weather forecasters. The “Wisconsin satellite” will be lofted by a NASA Vanguard rocket.

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