Good news: According to a number of architectural pundits in a Newsday report, the "superb mayhem" of a changing Manhattan skyline and a passion for tall buildings will endure; and the airports-for-Ground-Zero land-swap idea gains momentum. Bad news: Bemoaning a landmark turned into a warren for bureaucracy. Housing affordability is demanded, and Australian construction "cowboys" will be liable for quality. David Rockwell is into "extreme shag" for his set design for "Hairspray." Moscow has a touch of Manhattan in a new office tower. Constantin Boym adds a twist to iconic souvenirs. They're experimenting with tea and mud to "age" new additions to the Parthenon. The Center for Land Use Interpretation has lofty goals (and a cool Web site)...and much more.

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