

W. Averell Harriman At Historic Building During 1959 Tour of the Soviet Union



Description

Full view of W. Averell Harriman standing on the left next to an unidentified man. Appear to be viewing a historic ruin or building and the location is believed to be Samarkand, Uzbekistan. Charles W. Thayer accompanied W. Averell Harriman as a guide and confidant on the trip which took place May 12 - June 26, 1959. Harriman went as a special foreign correspondent for the North American Newspaper Alliance (NANA). Trip visits included Moscow, Leningrad, Kiev, Yalta, etc., as well as areas in Siberia and the Urals, and ended with a meeting with Nikita Khrushchev. Original 35mm negative.

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People Pictured Harriman, W. Averell (William Averell), 1891-1986

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