

W. Averell Harriman on 1959 Tour of the Soviet Union



Description

Exterior view with W. Averell Harriman standing on the left next to an unidentified woman. Thought to have been taken while W. Averell Harriman and party were touring in Uzbekistan, perhaps at a cotton farm near Taskent. 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. Has original 35mm negative.

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

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