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Description

1963

Exterior view with author and former diplomat Charles W. Thayer standing on the right in white jacket. Others not identified but believed to be a part of the Thayer Mongolian traveling party are in view as well as unidentified Mongolian men. Exact location not known. Diplomat and author Charles Thayer headed a party of fourteen Americans who traveled to Mongolia on a vacation in the summer of 1963, probably in June. They arrived at Ulan Bator and during the trip visited the Gobi Desert as well as the steppes of Mongolia and the site of the ancient capital of Karakorum. Thayer states the group travelled through the provinces more than 1000 kilometers by bus and jeep and another 600 kilometers by air. Date(s)