

W. Averell Harriman and His Wife Touring Historic Sites During His 1959 Trip to the Soviet Union



Description

Exterior image with W. Averell Harriman and his wife Marie touring an unidentified historic site. Thought to have been taken while they were touring in 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 negative.

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