

# W. Averell Harriman While on Tour of the Soviet Union in 1959



## Description

Exterior view with diplomat and journalist W. Averell Harriman on the right and shown shaking the hand of a native woman. Other women and a child are also in view as well as two other people. Exact location not identified. 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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