

W. Averell Harriman While Touring the Soviet Union in 1959



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Description

Interior view with W. Averell Harriman on the left surrounded by unidentified men. They appear to be touring in some type of Soviet factory or plant, exact location not given. 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.

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