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# Reveal Reds Tried U. S. Tourist as Spy

MOSCOW, Oct. 17 (AP).—An American tourist expelled from the Soviet Union was convicted of spying.

The Soviet news agency Tass said the tourist, Mark I. Kaminsky, 26, a teacher from Jefferson Township, Mich., was sentenced to seven years imprisonment but was expelled after he had pleaded for clemency and showed "sincere . . . repentance."

The report, issued last night, said Mr. Kaminsky confessed before the Military Tribunal that he had collected intelligence information.

It specified that Mr. Kaminsky had photographed military installations and carried a notebook containing "coded notes about the location of an artillery base, radar installations and a military airfield."

### ENTERED BY CAR

Mr. Kaminsky entered Russia last July 27 by automobile with another American tourist.

Harvey C. Bennett, 26, of Tracy, Calif. About three weeks later they disappeared. Nothing further was heard of them until the U. S. State Department announced last Friday that they had been expelled for being in a forbidden area.

The two were said to have been ousted at the Soviet-Czechoslovak border town of Uzhgorod. So far they have made no contact with U. S. embassies on the Western side of the Iron Curtain.

Tass said Mr. Kaminsky had been financed as a spy by an American organization it called the Fair Craft Fund. It said he told the court at Kiev that he "wanted to make some money."

### CONFESSION CITED

He was quoted as having admitted that he gathered information on troop concentrations, the location of radio and power stations, military camps and their approach roads, and details about bridges, railway stations and heavy industrial complexes.

He reportedly said he was going to submit a report to the Fund once he got back to the United States and planned to write a "slanderous book" about the Soviet Union and illustrate it with pictures he had taken.

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