

Anna Ulik's Mother, Mina Ulik



My mother, Mina Zakharyevna. The photo was made in 1910 in Lutsk.

My mother's name was mina Zakharyevna Papish.. My mother, Mina Zakharyevna, was born in 1895.

My mother had musical education; she met my father in a musical college. It was in Zhitomir. There they began to work as musicians. They worked at a drama theater; my mother also acted in films when she was asked, and taught. She worked 45 years at the Franko Theater, starting from 1926, as a concertmaster of the theater.

After my father's death, my mother continued to work in the theater for some time. But she was older and many things changed. She was not as spectacular when she came to the stage. Besides, her eyesight was getting worse, so she retired on pension. She died in my presence in December 1984.