* Alexey Andreyevich Antipov was born on May 19, 1910 in the village of Kalinino (now the village of Stolypino), Baltaysky district, Saratov region. His parents were Antipov Andrey Petrovich and Matryona Dmitrievna.
* He was born into a large peasant family. According to his relatives, Alexei grew up a quiet, hardworking boy who loved to make something out of wood.
* In 1928 my great-grandfather married Anastasia Ivanovna Knyazeva. She was born in 1909 in Saratov region Baltai district in the village of Alferievka. They had 5 children, but only three survived. Anastasia and Alexei lived soul to soul and died in 1971.
* He graduated from the parochial church school in the village of Kalinino then graduated from the evening school for working youth.
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* He entered the Bauman Moscow Higher Technical School. He rented a shack in the private sector and walked to the institute, and after his studies he worked part-time unloading railroad cars.
* My great-grandfather was very fond of taking pictures. He had cameras of different manufacturers and formats: wide (101 by 127 mm), medium (60 by 60 mm) and narrow (35 by 24 mm).
* Before the war, he worked as a treasurer, carpenter, clerk, accountant, storekeeper. After training, he began working in «КзылОрдаСтрой», then in the Kyzyl-Orda water industry.
* After the war he worked in the design and survey expedition, which was engaged in the design of water supply channels for collective and state farms in Kazakhstan. At the same time he worked at the hydromeliorative technical school in Kyzyl-Orda. In 1960 the family moved to Shymkent. In this city he started to work as a chief engineer in "ГлавРисСовхозСтрой". He was engaged in the design of reclamation systems, canals for rice and cotton state farms.