

Steve Chervinko

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|---|----------|---------|--------|
| Name | Position | Bats | Throws |
| Chervinko, Steve | | | |
| Born-Place | Date | Married | |
| Address | Height | Weight | |
| Teams Played With | | | |
| Watertown 5/21-Rel. 7/21-Madison 7/21-Redfield 8/21-Fargo 5/22-Aberdeen 1922-Rel. 4/23-Fort Smith 5/23-Springfield, Mo. 7/23-Rel. 6/24- Terre Haute 1/25- Springfield, Ill. 2/26-Rel. 5/26- | | | |

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Steve Chervinko

Position: Catcher

Bats: Unknown • Throws: Unknown

Full Name: Steve Chervinko

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Teams Played For

| Year | Age | Tm | Lg | Lev | Aff | Stint | From | To |
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| 1922 | -- | Fargo Athletics | Dakota League | D | | | | |

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Chervinko

Position: Catcher

Bats: Unknown • Throws: Unknown

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Teams Played For

| Year | Age | Tm | Lg | Lev | Aff | Stint | From | To |
|------|-----|---------------------|---------------------|-----|-----|-------|------|----|
| 1923 | -- | Fort Smith Twins | Western Association | C | | | | |
| 1923 | -- | Springfield Midgets | Western Association | C | | | | |
| 1924 | -- | Okmulgee Drillers | Western Association | C | | | | |
| 1924 | -- | Topeka Senators | Western Association | C | | | | |
| 1924 | -- | Springfield Midgets | Western Association | C | | | | |

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Fargo Looks Good.

The Fargo Athletics look good on paper, the only weak spot being at short, and "Pepper" Whiting has three youngsters, Brovold, Callahan and Hagen, working for that assignment.

A complete list of the players who have signed Athletic contracts follows:

Catchers, **Steve Chervinko**, Henry Wingfield, Harry Thompson; pitchers, Walter Buckley, Jack Gipson, Fred Hagar, Jud Lewis, O. L. Peterson, R. G. Shanks, Fisher and Gilbert Wieson; infielders, Eddie Aaron, Lee Fairchild, Morris Brovold, Richard Callahan, Roy Hagen, Frank Gurney; outfielders, Bobby Lee, John Waldt, Joe Weidell, Bert Level, Harry LaRoss, E. C. Whiting.

1922 with Fargo

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up.

The team to represent Nokomis will be picked from Maurice Archdeacon, **Steve Chervinko**, Resco, Koval, Mickey Hughes, Mizeur, Jocko Hughes, Bill Barnes and Billy Cole. Bill Barnes, a Nokomis boy, will probably pitch, with Chervinko, a Witt boy, catching him. Chervinko is a Dakota leaguer. Roscoe, a Mount Olive man, and a Piedmont leaguer, will probably play first; Koval, another Mt. Olive man, who played in the Texas league, short;

Steve Chervinko from Witt, IL

Absence of Marr and Wimbush from Line-Up Felt by Local Crew—Steve Chervinko Covers First Base—Dan Beal Continues Rampage.

THE BOX SCORE

| SPRINGFIELD | | | | | | | | | | ENID | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. | AB. | R. | H. | PO. | A. | E. | | | | | | | | |
| Austin, lf..... | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Worth, lf..... | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Hufft, 3b..... | 5 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Heck, 3b..... | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| McGee, rf..... | 5 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | Smith, ss..... | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Beal, cf..... | 4 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | McDaniel, rf..... | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Chervinko, 1b..... | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | Froman, 1b..... | 5 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Mitchell, ss..... | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 | Reiger, c..... | 5 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 0 | | | | | | |
| White, 2b..... | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | Phillips, cf..... | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Malone, c..... | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Savage, 2b..... | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Anderson, p..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Killeen, p..... | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Beck, p..... | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Totals..... | 38 | 7 | 10 | 24 | 13 | 5 | Totals..... | 37 | 11 | 12 | 27 | 13 | 2 | | | | | | |

Score by innings:
Springfield..... 002 201 002—7
Enid..... 800 110 01x—11

Summary: Home runs—Mitchell, Yuna, Hufft, Froman, McDaniel.
Three-base hit—Smith. Two-base hits—Austin 2, Heck, Worth. Double play—Smith to Froman. Struck out—By Beck 1; by Killeen 11. Base on balls—Off Anderson 1; off Beck 4; off Killeen 1. Wild pitch—Beck. Losing pitcher—Anderson. Hits and runs—5 and 6 off Anderson in 2-3 inning. Left on bases—Springfield 4; Enid 6. Time of game—1:40.
Umpires—Brandon, balls and strikes; Donohue, bases.

1923 with Springfield

MIDGETS READY FOR FLAG RACE.

A Heavy Hitting Club Will Represent Springfield in W. A.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 1. — The Springfield Midgets of the Western Association, are ready for the opening of the season. This was announced today by Charley Schmidt, manager, when Catcher **Steve Chervinko**, the last of the hold-outs, reported. Chervinko is in the pink of condition.

"I believe Springfield will have the

1924 with Springfield

STEVE CHERVINKO HAS JOINED OKMULGEE TEAM

Steve Chervinko, catcher, who was released Tuesday night by officials of the local Western association entry, has been taken into the Okmulgee club, by Manager Troy Agnew. Catcher Kay, second string receiver for Okmulgee, sustained a fracture to two fingers on his right hand yesterday during the Okmulgee-Midget game and will be out of the game for about 10 days. Manager Agnew had to have a substitute catcher and he signed Chervinko. The former Midget may break into the lineup during the present series.

1924 with Okmulgee

STEVE CHERVINKO IS AGAIN LOOKING FOR JOB

Steve Chervinko, former Midget player, is again out of a job. "Cherry", who was signed by the Okmulgee Drillers when released by Springfield, was released yesterday by Topeka, along with three other Senators.

"Chief" Bowles, pitcher Stout

1924 with Topeka

Seibert Eases Up

Eddie Seibert held Witt to one hit in the four innings, but he weakened in the fifth and the visitors scored three runs. Auld doubled to right center field while Hanisko drew a life at first base on Dooley's error, George Chervinko sent a long double to left field, scoring Auld and Hanisko. Steve Chervinko scored his brother from second with a single to center. Seibert tightened up with the tying run on the sacks and struck out Christian and Vavrak to end the inning.

Then came the big rally of the

Brother George with High Point in 1932

Special to The Charlotte Observer

HIGH POINT, April 2.—Completion today by Manager Buddy Tanner of the High Point baseball club of arrangements for the services of a half dozen players formerly property of the Fort Worth club of the Texas league gave Pointer stock for 1932 a boost.

The sextet of players, including some veterans of excellent standing in that higher company, will report the latter part of next week to join the two-score players ordered to be on hand Monday morning at 10 o'clock when Tanner launches a vigorous spring training routine in preparation for the initial exhibition game with Williamsport, Pa., here April 11.

The men sent to Hight Point: Parker Perry, outfielder; Virgil Gilliland, outfielder; Neal Stover, infielder; George Chervinko, infielder; Donald Scott, catcher.

George Chervinko with High Point in 1932

| Name | Position | Bats | Throws |
|---|----------|---------|--------|
| Chervinko, George | SS | R | R |
| Born-Place | Date | Married | |
| | 1909 | Yes | |
| Address | Height | Weight | |
| Witt, Illinois | 5'6" | 160 | |
| Teams Played With | | | |
| Waynesboro 7/28-rel. 7/28- | | | |
| Cedar Rapids 5/30-31-Ft. Worth 10/31-32-Sold to | | | |
| High Point 3/32-rel. to Nashville 6/32-rel. 7/ | | | |
| 32-Cedar Rapids 8/32-rel. 9/32-Wilkes-Barre 12/ | | | |
| 32-33-Nashville 1/33-opt. to Durham 3/33-Knox- | | | |
| ville 5/33-34-rel. to Hazleton 5/34-rel. 6/34- | | | |
| Harrisburg 7/34-35-Ft. Wayne /35-rel. 7/35- | | | |
| Bloomington 7/35- | | | |
| Married Beulah Williamson, August 8, 1934. | | | |

George from Witt, IL

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George Chervinko

Positions: Catcher, Shortstop and Third Baseman

Bats: Unknown · Throws: Unknown

Full Name: George Chervinko

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| Year | Age | Tm | Lg | Lev | Aff | Stint | From | To |
|------|-----|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----|-----|-------|------|----|
| 1930 | -- | Cedar Rapids Bunnies | Mississippi Valley League | D | | | | |
| 1931 | -- | Cedar Rapids Bunnies | Mississippi Valley League | D | | | | |
| 1932 | -- | Cedar Rapids Bunnies | Mississippi Valley League | D | CIN | | | |
| 1933 | -- | Knoxville Smokies | Southern Association | A | | | | |
| 1934 | -- | Harrisburg Senators | New York-Pennsylvania League | A | BSN | | | |
| 1934 | -- | Hazleton Mountaineers | New York-Pennsylvania League | A | PHI | | | |
| 1935 | -- | Rock Island Islanders | Western League | A | | | | |
| 1935 | -- | Fort Wayne Chiefs | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | | | | |
| 1935 | -- | Bloomington Bloomers | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | STL | | | |

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Chervinko

Position: Second Baseman

Bats: Unknown · Throws: Unknown

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| Year | Age | Tm | Lg | Lev | Aff | Stint | From | To |
|------|-----|---------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|-------|------|----|
| 1932 | -- | High Point Pointers | Piedmont League | B | | | | |

Chadwick ID: 6637e5d8

Brothers Stephen, George and Paul Chervinko.

Stephen Chervinko

BIRTH 6 FEBRUARY 1899 • Pennsylvania

DEATH 7 MARCH 1960

George Chervinko

BIRTH 28 JAN 1908 • Pennsylvania

DEATH 11 NOVEMBER 1966 • Witt, Montgomery, Illinois, United States of America

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| <p>Wednesday.</p> <p>CHERVINKO, Steve, 61, Cicero, formerly of Witt, died 4:30 a.m. Monday in Hines Veterans Hospital; leaves wife, Mary; son, Gene, Shelbyville; daughter, Mrs. Joanne Huebner, Berwyn; sisters, Ann, Witt; brothers, Andrew, Joseph and Nicholas, Witt; John and George, Chicago; Paul, Danville; services 9 a.m. Thursday in St. Barbara's Church, Witt; burial Calvary Cemetery; call after 7 p.m. Wednesday at Stiehl-Dawson Funeral Home, Witt.</p> | | |
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Paul Chervinko

BIRTH 7-23-1910 • MT. Pleasant, Westmoreland, Pennsylvania, USA

DEATH 6-3-1976 • Danville, Vermilion, Illinois, United States of America

| Name | Position | Bats | Throws |
|--|-------------------|--------|--------|
| Slovak Chervinko, Paul | C | R | R |
| Born-Place | Date | Height | Weight |
| Trauger, Pa. | 7-23-10 | 5'7½" | 184 |
| Address | Teams Played With | | |
| Box 296 Witt, Ill. | Univ. of Illinois | | |
| <p>Elmira 6/33-34-rel. to Rochester 12/34-35-opt. to Bloomington 4/35-opt. can. 7/35-rel. to Columbus 9/ 35-36-rel. to St. Louis NL 9/36-37-opt. to Columbia 4/37-rel. to Brooklyn by St. Louis 8/37-res. for 38- rel. to Montreal 6/38-res. for 39-opt. to Elmira 5/ 39-rec. by Montreal 10/39- kn. as Mgr. 6/40-rec. by Montreal 8/40-41-rel. to Reading 5/41- Durham 9/42- service list 12/3/45-rel. to Danville, Ill. 5/46-</p> | | | |



Paul Chervinko

Positions: Catcher and Third Baseman

Bats: Right • **Throws:** Right

5-8, 185lb (173cm, 83kg)

Born: [July 23, 1910](#) in Trauger, [PA](#) 

Died: [June 3, 1976](#) (Aged 65-316d) in Danville, [IL](#)

Buried: St. Barbara Cemetery, Witt, IL

High School: [Witt HS \(Witt, IL\)](#)

School: [University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign \(Champaign, IL\)](#)

Last Game: [July 9, 1938](#) (Age 27-351d)

[vs. PHI](#) 2 AB, 0 H, 0 HR, 0 RBI, 0 SB

Full Name: Paul Chervinko

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Teams Played For

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| Year | Age | Tm | Lg | Lev | Aff | Stint | From | To |
|----------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|--|-----|-----|-------|------------|------------|
| 1933 | 22 | Elmira Red Wings | New York-Pennsylvania League | A | STL | | | |
| 1934 | 23 | Elmira Red Wings | New York-Pennsylvania League | A | STL | | | |
| 1935 | 24 | Bloomington Bloomers | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | STL | | | |
| 1936 | 25 | Columbus Red Birds | American Association | AA | STL | | | |
| 1937 | 26 | Columbus Red Birds | American Association | AA | STL | | | |
| 1937 | 26 | Brooklyn Dodgers | National League | Maj | BRO | 1 | 1937-05-30 | 1937-10-03 |
| 1938 | 27 | Montreal Royals | International League | AA | PIT | | | |
| 1938 | 27 | Brooklyn Dodgers | National League | Maj | BRO | 1 | 1938-04-19 | 1938-07-09 |
| 1939 | 28 | Elmira Pioneers | Eastern League | A | BRO | | | |
| 1940 | 29 | Montreal Royals | International League | AA | BRO | | | |
| 1940 | 29 | Newport Dodgers | Northeast Arkansas League | D | BRO | | | |
| 1941 | 30 | Reading Brooks | Interstate League | B | BRO | | | |
| 1942 | 31 | Dayton Ducks | Middle Atlantic League | C | BRO | | | |
| 1946 | 35 | Danville Dodgers | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | BRO | | | |
| 1947 | 36 | Danville Dodgers | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | BRO | | | |
| 1948 | 37 | Danville Dodgers | Illinois-Indiana-Iowa League | B | BRO | | | |

Three other Chervinkos...

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|-------------------|----------|------|---------|
| Name | Position | Bats | Throws |
| Chervinko, Mike | | | |
| Born-Place | Date | | Married |
| | | | |
| Address | Height | | Weight |
| | | | |
| Teams Played With | | | |
| Moline 1/25- | | | |

Mike Chervinko from Witt, IL

Michael Chervinko

BIRTH 28 JAN 1897 • Trauger Pennsylvania

DEATH 1957

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Floyd Hill, Decatur, Ill.

Second Basemen.
Robert Riley, St. Louis.
Edward Ehrhardt, Toledo, O.
Edward White, Creston, Io.
Edward Tryban, DuQuoin, Ill.

Shortstops.
George Young, Cincinnati.
Mike Chervinko, Witt, Ill.

Third Basemen.
Merle Makeever, Cedar Rapids, Io.
Edward Wagner, Glenco, Mo.

Outfielders.
Edwin Peth, Toledo, O.

John Chervinko

| Name | Position | Bats | Throws |
|--|----------|---------|--------|
| Chervinko, John | | | |
| Born-Place | Date | Married | |
| | | | |
| Address | Height | Weight | |
| | | | |
| Teams Played With | | | |
| Univ. of Ill. Springfield, Ills. 6/33- rel. 7/33- | | | |

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John Chervinko

BIRTH 12 APR 1907 • Illinois
DEATH 12 DEC 1988 • Cicero, Cook, Illinois, USA

Not an immediate relative as best I can tell;
not positive this is the correct John Chervinko.

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------|--------|
| Name | Position | Bats |
| Chervinko, Nicholas | | |
| Born-Place | Date | |
| Address | | Height |
| Teams Played With | | |
| McCook 3/30- rel. 6/30- | | |

There is a brother Nicholas...

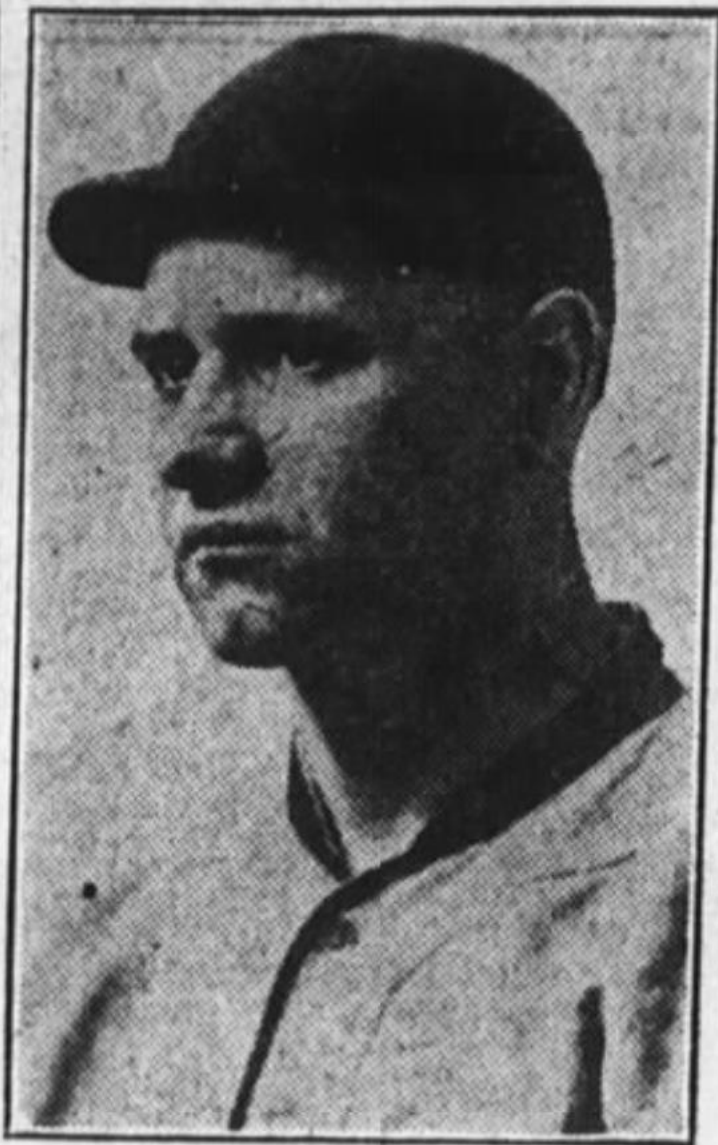
Nicholas Chervinko

BIRTH NOVEMBER 6 1905 • Trauger, Pennsylvania

DEATH 11-28-2001 • Witt, Montgomery, Illinois, United States of America

The Springfield News-Leader

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STEVE CHERVINKO

[Siblings](#) ^



Mary Chervinko

1891–1948



John Chervinko Jr.

1892–1965



Andrew Chervinko

1894–1975



Michael Chervinko

1897–1957



Joseph Chervinko

1901–1978



Anna Chervinko

1903–1980



Nicholas Chervinko

1905–2001



George Chervinko

1908–1966



Paul Chervinko

1910–1976