

Summary

Photographs dating back to the visit of Andrić to Niš, in 1965 and 1968

As a supplement to the illumination of Andrić's cultural mission in Niš during his visits in 1965 and 1968. Although the occasions were different, the writer's support to the effort of the city of Niš to intellectually and culturally elevate itself was of extremely great importance. He supported the newly-founded University of Niš in 1965, he talked to the students and young people about literature and the sense of the artistic engagement for the sake of the personal and common progress. He talked to the workers in factories and grammar school students and invited the young to get out of the indifference and devote themselves to learning in order not to have a poor life. These Andrić's visits, having the far-reaching significance, are a part of the cultural history of the city of Niš. His words and speeches uttered then experience new reading in the modern times.