

Summary

The Adriatic Guard in Niš (1923 - 1941)

In the years after uniting in 1918, there was a need to form a sole naval organisation following the examples in the world. The Adriatic Guard was founded in Split in 1922 and one of the major boards was formed in Niš, as well, in 1923. The Adriatic Guard was maybe the only organisation which had an equal number of members among the Serbs, Croats and Slovenians in the period between the two World Wars. From the time of its foundation to the Second World War, The Adriatic Guard had its advertising activities tending to attract more members and find the financial support for enabling its member to get to know the coast towns better.