

# DEVELOPMENT OF TEACHING OF ASTRONOMY WITH SERBS, Part I

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**Abstract.** The material is divided: a) *according to time*: Origins of literacy; Before the school year 1917/8; From the school year 1918/9. until to - day; b) *according to the rank of the school*: elementary schools, secondary schools; c) *according to region*: because the teaching plans and programs, as well as textbooks, were not unique for the all regions where our people lived.

Origins of literacy include all regions and all kinds of „schools“. For the period before the school year 1917/8. only northern parts of our population have been considered. Elementary and secondary schools in general and the Serbian Orthodox Great Gymnasium in Sremski Karlovci have been separately treated, by making use of Programs (annual reports) for particular school years, teaching plans and programs, professors and textbooks. The concluding part incorporates astronomy popularization in that school.

It is expected that this paper will be only the first in a series.