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*Legation of the Kingdom of Serbia and the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenes in  
Sweden, Stockholm, 1918-1920*

*Summary*

The first Legation of the Kingdom of Serbia in any of the Scandinavian countries was opened in Stockholm, Sweden, at the beginning of 1918, i.e. in the period of the First World War and the Bolsheviks' coming to power in Russia. These events influenced the main course of activities of the Legation. The Legation organized and delivered aid to Serbian diplomats and citizens in Russia. In addition to that Legation provided to Serbian captives and internees in Turkey, with the courtesy of the Swedish Ministry of Foreign Affairs which represented Serbian interests in that country. Legation repulsed the enemy propaganda against Serbia and the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, after unification. It intensively observed the political and social situation in Russia, Finland and Sweden and regularly informed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs about it. Financial reasons caused the Legation to be closed by the end of 1920. Shortly before the Second World War it would reopen.