

SUMMARY

A CONTRIBUTION TO KNOWLEDGE ABOUT PRISON/CAMP MONEY (COUPONS) IN CROATIA IN THE PERIOD OF THE “PEOPLE’S DEMOCRACY”, 1945-1951

After the Second World War money coupons were introduced and used in Croatia for the food and supplies of war prisoners and persons deprived of freedom with forced labour. Coupons for the food and supplies of women prisoners in the Forced Labour Institution in Požega were probably introduced in 1946 (issued by the Požega Institution for Forced Labour), coupons for the food and supplies of prisoners sentenced to forced labour in Fužine were probably introduced in 1950 (issued by the People’s Republic of Croatia, “Hidroelektra” Fužine Administration for Prisoners’ Labour), and coupons for the food and supplies of prisoners sentenced to forced labour in Sisak were probably introduced in 1951 (issued by the Sisak-Predgrađe Administration for Prisoners’ Labour). The prison/camp coupons in Croatia from 1945-1951 are not well known although they are an interesting aspect of knowledge about the repression system and monetary history in the period of the “peoples’ democracy” in Yugoslavia.