

## **DOMINICAN CHURCH (D. ZEMBIN)**

The town of Zembin known from written sources of XVI century was in Borisov Starostvo of Lithuania and belonged to the Intestines. In the XVII century Zembin belonged to Sakovich. In 1640 Adam Matej sakovic and his wife Maria founded a Dominican monastery here. In 1790, the wooden Church burned down and in 1809, in its place of brick was erected a new monumental structure. The Church was consecrated in honor of the most Holy virgin Mary. The monastery had a school, there was a large library, which was later destroyed by the French during the Patriotic war of 1812. In the XIX century the Church was confiscated in the Treasury, and then restored in the early XX century. In 1932, the Soviet government banned the services and the Church was closed. The monument of architecture of the late Baroque.