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**THE IMAGE OF MARIN ST. DRINOV IN THE EARLY WORK OF
PETAR DINEKOV**

(Summary)

The article deals with the scientific contributions of Petar Dinekov to the biography of Marin Drinov, as well as the documents published by him from the archive of the great Bulgarian scientist. A series of articles, studios and books of the then young author, which were published in the 1930s and early 1940s in various scholarly journals and popular magazines and newspapers, are mainly analyzed. With them P. Dinekov appeared in front of the reading audience, established himself as an author and at the same time contributed to the construction of a more complete and documented image of M. Drinov and to the discovery of his place, role and importance in the development of the Bulgarian historical science, linguistics, folklore and ethnography. Dinekov's publications also address important aspects of Drinov's social and political activity.