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THE IDEAS OF BORIS YOTSOV IN THE JOURNAL *RODINA* (1938–1942)

Abstract:

The article follows the ideas of Boris Yotsov reflected in his publications in the journal *Rodina*. Jointly published with Bogdan Filov, *Rodina* was determined as “a journal for Bulgarian historical culture”. In the introductory texts symptomatically titled as *Nation of the Ideal*, *Longing for Justice*, *Historical Storm*, etc., Boris Yotsov stated his ideas of “enlightened nationalism”, for overcoming the dramas and the misunderstandings in a moment critical for the European history, declaring that the intention of the editors is “to be close to the Bulgarian people”.

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