Mihailo Petrović and his contribution to the development of mathematics in Serbia

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This talk is prepared on the occasion of the 150th anniversary of Mihailo Petrović birth.

It is well known that Mihailo Petrović, among other things, very successfully dealt not only with mathematics as a science, but also by raising young mathematical scientific researchers in Serbia. His contributions was very important in development of mathematical teaching, too.

The aim of this talk is to emphasize the work of Mihailo Petrović:

- in mathematics as a science;

- on the development of teaching courses and writing textbooks;

- on founding a mathematical seminar;

- on raising young mathematical scientific researchers.