

RESEARCHERS H. BARIC, SKOK P., R. KATIQIC, ÇABEJ ON ORIGIN OF ALBANIAN LANGUAGE AND AUTOCHTHONY

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Abstract

This paper will present the views of the researchers: Baric, Skok, Katiqic, Çabej on the origin of albanian language and albanian autochthony, their attitudes that held these scholars, in connection with those important components. Supporters of the trachea theory were the researchers: Skok and Baric. In regard to the origin, Baric concluded that albanian people is a descendant of thracian people, while the albanian language is direct continuing Thracian language, even also he said that this language, albanian one, is so close to armenian and frigish languages. While researchers as the Çabej and Katiqic supported illyrian theory. "... There is no compelling reason that language would force us to exclude the Illyrian origin of Albanian" said prof Cabej. Regarding to the autochthony, these researchers have one similar question: Albanians are autochthonous on their lands, or are coming on it. The prominent balkan's languages, Skok in its depth studies on the Balkan toponomastic including Albania, especially Shkodra with the environs, expressed his opinion that in the ancient period in these regions were not found traces of Albanians. H. Baric thinks the Albanian people is not autochthonous in the areas where lives today, but he came to these lands, something a little before the slavs, and this opinion is trying to argue through linguistic facts. Prof. Çabej supported autochthony of the albanian territories where they lives today, and he argues his opinion through the study that he made with the country's names, who says they have been consistently in the mouth albanian-talkers. R. Katiqic in albanian people see descendants of the Illyrians, formed in these regions, although in a more limited area. He explained that albanian land, in the light of these facts not presented as onomastic mechanical and truncated remnant of something different, but as a creative transformation of the life of an entity that is a permanent element in the historical life and ethnic context of the Balkans. "

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