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Object:	Studio portrait of Malta Stanchova
Description:	Vignetted medium close-up profile shot of a young woman wearing a dark high-necked dress with puffed sleeves.
Comment:	Malta Stanchova was the sister of Poliksenia Stanchova. Poliksenia was married to Stefan Stambolov in 1888. Stefan Stambolov (1854 - 1895) was a Bulgarian politician, a deputy at the Bulgarian Founding Assembly of 1879, Vice Chairman and later Chairman of the Bulgarian Parliament. In 1886 Stambolov became Regent until the proclamation of Ferdinand of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha as Knyaz of the autonomous Principality of Bulgaria in 1887. He was also Prime Minister for seven years (1887 - 1894). Stambolov was assassinated in July 1895.
Date:	Not before 1888
Location:	Sofia
Country:	Bulgaria
Type:	Photograph
Creator:	Karastoyanov, Ivan Anastasov, (Court photographer)
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