Neznámý moravský denár s opisy SCS PETRVS / SCS IOHANNES.

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A unknown Moravian denier with legends 'SCS PETRVS / SCS IOHANNES'. (Dedicated to Josef Paukert)

An unknown Moravian denier with marginal legends 'SCS PETRVS / SCS IOHANNES' was found in an unknown place in south Moravia. This new type enriches group of six known specimens representing rare Moravian coins. These deniers mostly used to belong to the Rakvice hoard, found in 1886. These coins have been attributed by some scholars as products of the Brno mint struck in 1097–1099, during the so-called 'interregnum'. Other scholars (A. Luschin, J. Bobek) think that they were produced under the bishop John of Olomouc (1063–1085) in the Podivín mint. The author is more inclined to believe, that these coins were struck by secular rulers in favor of religious bodies in the Podivín mint, some time between 1090 and 1100.

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