


# Vojenská známka z počátku 19. století?

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## ***Military token dated back to the beginning of the 19th century?***

*In 2007, group of roughly 25 brass tokens was discovered in the eastern part of Nakléřov near the local Jílovenský creek. The tokens have been mixed together with Prussian small change of the 18th century. This coincidence dates the tokens to the time of the battle of Chlumec (Varvažov), 29–30 August 1813, when the French army corps led by general Vandamm were defeated and almost destroyed by the Austrian-Russian-Prussian troops of the sixth anti-French coalition. The Prussian corps took part in the second day of the battle near the Nakléřov pass, while the French cavalry fought their way through the opposite direction. The token is not registered in the numismatic literature focused on the historical metal tokens, and there is even no analogy in the Lexicon of tokens by W. Hasselmann. It is possible to assume, that this unknown military token has been used by some tradesmen accompanying the armies.*

 *military token; find; Nakléřov, Teplice district [CZ]; battle; 1813.*



 *známka vojenská; nález; Nakléřov, o. Teplice; bitva; 1813.*