Neznámý nález bavorských denárů z 10. století ze Sběře (okr. Jičín)

Příspěvek k otázce oběhu bavorských denárů v Čechách v 10. století

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Unknown find of the Bavarian denarii of the 10th century discovered in Sběř (Jičín district). Contribution to the question of circulation of the Bavarian denarii in Bohemia in the 10th century.

Written notes by collector Josef Matějka (1858-1921) preserved recently in the Municipal Museum in Hořice can serve as the only source of information about the find of the Bavarian denarii in Sběř near Nový Bydžov (Jičín district). According to Matějka, the find – discovered probably before 1901 – used to consist of five denarii struck under the Bavarian Duke Heinrich II in Regensburg and Nabburg during his first rule in 955-976. Four of these coins from Regensburg could be easily identified due to the Matějka's description. The denarii had three balls in three angles of cross on their obverse and group of letters below chapel on their reverse (Hahn no. 15, varieties: k4, i1 or 2, f1, j1). The fifth coin struck in Nabburg represents an unknown variety of the same type. Together with the find of Sběř, already eight localities with finds of the Bavarian denarii produced during the 10th century (up to 976) are known in Bohemia. This is another confirmation of the fact, that the Bavarian denarii had been circulating in Bohemia (even in limited quantity) before the local coins started to be struck there.

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