Komárovský poklad. Revize dochované části torza depotu¹

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The Komárov hoard. Description and the preserved part of the hoard revised In autumn 1881, coins and jewels were found during regulation of the Moravice River, at its influx to the Opava River, at the edge of two land registers: Opava-suburb and Komárov. The board was discovered in time of excavating of the new river-bed, at the maximum depth, when water was already passing through the river-basin. Before the workers spotted the hoard, probably the larger part of it had already been splashed by water. Smaller part of the hoard was saved, but immediately after, it was divided among the workers. Based on the oral testimony, the hoard used to consist of small statues with chains and coins. These (and various other) data are known via the owner of the company working at the site. Thank to him and his son, probably a very small part of the hoard (12 coins, plus one animal statuette) found its way to the National Museum in Prague and to the Silesian Land Museum in Opava. The coins have been lost later, but recently re-discovered again. The hoard was published in the past, but separately: the coins and the statuette called "Agnus Dei". Re-discovery of one part of the hoard – six deniers of large flan (Bohemia – Boleslav I, Bavaria – Heinrich II, Swabia - Otto III, plus three deniers of the Otto-Adelheid type) and new numismatic and iconographic information led the authors to the revised description of the preserved coins and the animal statuette.