

and temple, gash and stab wounds, and one case of decapitation was found.

In the lower part of the ditch (context 737) were the remains of the skeleton of a small child, while in the main accumulation the presence of fire, as well as the disturbed and dispersed skeletons of 13 individuals (3 children, 7 women and 3 men), were found. Only one skull demonstrates traces of cut-marks. The long bones have traces of gnawing by animals, which also partly clarifies the scattered state of some parts of skeletons and individual bones. In total, 33 complete or incomplete human skeletons were unearthed from the ditch, with women of adult age clearly predominating in the group.

In the lower part of the ditch, that is, in context 737, all the interred individuals showed no traces of violence. The situation in the upper part of the ditch, context 734, was different, with more than half of those found having been killed in an deliberate and very brutal manner.

From the Roman Period we have so far no skeletal graves in Moravia. This makes the above described find of 33 individuals burials in unusual manner an important contribution to our anthropological knowledge.

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SURVEY OF RESEARCH BY THE OFFICE OF
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IN BRNO ON FINDS OF ANTHROPOLOGICAL MA-
TERIAL IN 1993 – 1994.

1993:

FINDS FROM PROTO-ÚNĚTICE CULTURE
(EARLY BRONZE AGE):

Slavkov (Cutisin) – two proto-únětice skeletal graves
Research: P. Horáková, A. Štrof. Determination: M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM ÚNĚTICE CULTURE
(EARLY BRONZE AGE):

Podolí – skeletal burial in settlement pit
Research: P. Vitula. Determination: M. Dočkalová.
Slavkov – burial site with 44 skeletal graves (two graves with two burials, one grave with three burials)

– four skeletal graves in settlement's storage pits
Research: P. Horáková, A. Štrof. Determination: M. Dočkalová.

Tvarožná – two skeletal burials in settlement pit
Research: B. Mikulová, P. Vitula. Determination: M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM VĚTEŘOV CULTURE:

Slavkov (Cutisin) – skeletal burial in storage pit
Research: P. Horáková, A. Štrof. Determination: M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM THE 9TH–10TH CENTURIES:

Uherské Hradiště (Hradební Street) – skeletal grave
Research: J. Kohoutek, R. Procházka. Determination: J. Langová.

FINDS FROM FIRST HALF OF 13TH CENTURY:

Brno – Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul. During research in the presbytery graves, were discovered, some of them connected with burials around the church in its first phase (the church was built around 1200), but most with the second phase, with a graveyard exterior to the church (reconstruction around the middle of the 13th century).

Research: J. Unger. Determination: L. Horáková, L. Benešová.

FINDS FROM THE 16TH CENTURY:

Modřice – skeletal graves
Research: P. Kos. No determination.

FINDS FROM THE MIDDLE AGES:

Tečovice – 10 skeletal graves near the Church of St. James the Greater
Research: J. Kohoutek. Determination: J. Langová.



FIGURE 1. View on the unearthed material during excavation of the fortification ditch (Mušov, Roman Period).

**FINDS FROM THE MIDDLE HILL-FORT PERIOD
(FROM 6TH-11TH CENTURY):**

Uherské Hradiště (Havličkova Street) – skeleton without findings in settlement level

Research: P. Vitula. *Determination:* No determination.

FINDS WITHOUT DETERMINATION OF CULTURE:

Komořany – two skeletal graves without findings in the gas line trench

Research: P. Vitula. *Determination:* No determination.

1994:

FINDS FROM ÚNĚTICE CULTURE:

Uherčice – skeletal burial in settlement pit

Research: P. Vitula. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

Vojkovice – 5 skeletal graves

– 1 burial in storage pit

Research: A. Štrof. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM URNFIELDS CULTURE:

Vojkovice – 120 cremations

Research: A. Štrof. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

**FINDS FROM HORÁKOV CULTURE
(HALLSTATT PERIOD):**

Brno (Příkop) – 14 cremations, 1 bi-ritual grave with two skeletal and one cremated burials

Research: K. Geislerová, P. Vitula. *Determination:* J. Langová.

Vojkovice – 19 graves (of which 7 were skeletal, 10 cremations and 2 bi-ritual graves)

Research: A. Štrof. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM THE ROMAN PERIOD:

Pohořelice – 10 skeletal graves from the late Roman period, 2 cremations graves from the early Roman period

Research: J. Unger. *Determination:* M. Dobšíková.

Mušov – 33 human skeletons identified in fortification ditch. In inner area an undated skeletal grave.

Research: M. Bálek, O. Šedo. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

**FINDS FROM THE TIME
OF THE MIGRATION OF PEOPLES:**

Smolín – a child's skeleton in a habitation landfill

Research: J. Unger. *Determination:* No determination.

Vojkovice – 8 skeletal graves

Research: A. Štrof. *Determination:* M. Dočkalová.

FINDS FROM THE MIDDLE AGES:

Brno (Žerotínovo nám.) – around 40 graves salvaged from part of a cemetery

Research: J. Merta, R. Procházka. *Determination:* L. Horácková, L. Benešová.

Jihlava – Church of the Holy Cross (15th – 16th centuries), three skeletons under the church floor

Research: R. Zatloukal. *Determination:* L. Horácková, L. Benešová.

Uherský Brod – part of a cemetery near the Church of St. John the Baptist

Research: J. Kohoutek. *Determination:* J. Langová.

Uherský Brod – 13 skeletal graves from cemetery (Dominican monastery from the mid-13th – 15th centuries)

Velehrad – 12 skeletal graves from cemetery

Research: J. Kohoutek. *Determination:* J. Langová.

Kyjov – Chapel of St. Joseph (former Church of St. Martin) part of charnel house examined

Research: J. Unger. *Determination:* L. Horácková, L. Benešová.

Tvarožná (Rohlenka) – mass military grave from 1805. Parts of around 20 individuals.

Research: P. Vitula. *Determination:* T. Dacík, L. Horácková, L. Benešová.

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