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## КАТАЛОГ НА МОНЕТИТЕ

Султан Мустафа III (1171 – 1187 х. = 1757 – 1774 г.). (Табло XXIII. 1 1а, 1), 15

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Султан Махмуд I (1143 – 1168 х. = 1730 – 1754 г.), (Табло XXIII. 2 2а, 2), 15

(Pere, 1968, 578)

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Султан Абдул Хамид I (1187 – 1203 х. = 1774 – 1789 г.), (Табло XXIV. 3 и 3а, 3), 15

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Султан Мустафа III (1171 – 1187 х. = 1757 – 1774). (Табло XXIV. 4 и 4а, кат. № 4), 15

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- Табло XXIII. 1а-б.
- Табло XXIII. 2а-б.
- Табло XXIV. 3а-б . . . . .
- Табло XXIV. 4а-б.

RELIQUARY FROM THE REVIVAL PERIOD  
FROM THE DEPOT OF NIAM-BAS

Bisera TOMOVA

(*Summary*)

The depot of NIAM – BAS houses a silver reliquary box decorated with the image of St. George on horseback and a six-pointed star (Inv. N 4500). It is shaped as a parallelepiped made by casting. Its measures are as following: 4,5 cm in length; 3,4 cm in width; 0,9 cm in thickness; and 33,35 grams in weight. There is no information about its provenance. The opening of the box is at the top, set up horizontally. It was closed by a groove. The cover and one of the pendants have not survived.

Five rings are soldered on the narrow side holding on chains four Turkish coins of Sultans Mahmud I (1730-1754) minted in Constantinie; Mustafa III (1757 – 1774) – 2 coins, one struck in Egypt and the other one – in Istanbul; and Abdul Hamid I (1774 – 1789) struck in Constantinie.

A piece of cloth or cotton soaked in chrism was put in the opening of the reliquary. Most likely, they were wearing the box fastened on a robe or belt. Judging by its shape and workmanship, as well as by the Turkish coins, it may be dating from the late 18<sup>th</sup> – early 19<sup>th</sup> c.



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