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THE CREATION OF THE MONTENEGRIN MONETARY SYSTEM

– Silver Perper coins minted in 1909 –

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ABSTRACT:

The article explains the process of creation of the Montenegrin monetary system through the introduction of the first Montenegrin monetary coin- silver Perper. The reason why Montenegro decided to introduce its own monetary system was in order to free itself from the influence of neighbouring countries whose money circulated in Montenegro at the beginning of the 20th century. The authentic archival sources from that period were used in the research, located in the State Archives of Montenegro, in the Fund of the Ministry of Finance of the Principality of Montenegro, for the period 1908 - 1909, as well as the relevant literature.

KEY WORDS:

Monetary system, Montenegro, Perper, finance, annexation

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SAŽETAK:

U članku se objašnjava proces stvaranja crnogorskog monetarnog sistema, kroz uvođenje prve crnogorske novčane monete-srebrnog perpera. Objašnjavaju se razlozi zbog kojih se Crna Gora odlučila na uvođenje sopstvenog monetarnog sistema, kako bi se oslobodila uticaja susjednih država čiji je novac početkom 20. vijeka cirkulisao u Crnoj Gori. U istraživanju su korišteni autentični arhivski izvori iz tog perioda, koji se nalaze u Državnom arhivu Crne Gore, u Fondu Ministarstva Finansija Knjaževine Crne Gore, za period 1908 – 1909. godine, kao i relevantna literaturu u kojoj je o tome pisano.

Ključne riječi:

Monetarni sistem; Crna Gora; Perper; finansije; aneksija;