Abstract (in English):

In my work I tried to describe genesis and progress of Prague december riots in 1897. Uprising took place in days between 29. 11. – 2. 12. and they were marked by their violence, antisemitism and rapid growth. Their end was caused by declaration of martial law in afternoon of 2. december. Except the description of events of every of four days was I looking for their common and different tendencies, and I tried to portray the spread of the demonstrations to surrounding districts and find out, if they had a leader, or were just uncontrolled masses.

Further I´ve been trying to process the reflections of december riots in 1897 in political press. For this part I´ve been using Prague Czech and German liberal, realistic and social democratic newspapers. Specifically I´ve examined daily press Národní listy, Prager Tagblatt, Bohemia, Právo lidu and weekly press Čas. I supplied my work with illustrations from Pražský ilustrovaný kurýr as well as with caricatures from Šípy.