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The article studies the history of Russian word for 'eye'. Until about the XVI century Russian used the common Slavic word *oko*, plural *oči* but, as the examples from the texts dated by the end of XVI – beginning of the XVII centuries show, there was a stage when the borrowed word *glaz* (whose initial meaning was 'little glass or stone ball') was used for 'eye' in singular while for plural it was still the word *oči*.