



Digitization of "Great War" Documents

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Key issues

- mutual history of "Visegrad" countries
- K. u. K (Imperial and Royal) Army x Legionary Army
- huge amount of various types of documents stored in libraries:
 - e. g. newspapers, lists of killed soldiers, photographs, diaries, maps
- general public wants it...:
 - e. g. "My grandfather was killed somewhere by Somme..."
- various institutions should be involved in these digitization activities
 - Military Institutes, Archives, Museums, Personal Archives, etc.
- deliminination to other projects targeted to "Great War"

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Personal Data

- lists of killed soldiers issued by the Austrian Ministry of War
 - Verlustliste ausgegeben am...
 - Schematismus f
 ür des Kaiserliche und K
 önigliche Heer und die Kaiserliche Kriegs-Marine (1870-1914) etc.
 - Ranglisten der K. K. Landwehr und der K. K. Gendarmerie 1916-1918
 - Verordnungsblatt f\u00fcr das k. u. k. Heer : Personalangelegenheiten 1914-1919
 - Verordnungsblatt für die k. k. Landwehr : Personalangelegenheiten 1914-1919.



Legionnaire Literature

- monographs, periodicals, regimental chronicles
 - Táborita (1917)
 - Československý legionář (1919-1938)
 - Hlídka zajatců (1917)
 - Regimental Chronicles collection
 - Heimat (1919-1920)



Official Historical Resources

- great possibility to follow the journey of the specific regiments of the Austro-Hungarian Army troops
 - Österreich-Ungarns letzter Krieg
 - Österreich-Ungarns Seekrieg 1914-18
 - Troop Chronicles:
 - Za svobodu! (Legionary in Russia)
 - V boj! (Legionary in Italy)



Memoirs and Autobiographies

 rich memoir literature archive, both from the Czechoslovak's Legionnaires and soldiers of the Austro-Hungarian Armed Forces

Contemporary visual publications

 their contribution would be grounded primarily as the visual resource, which is used frequently for publication outputs or as open evidence of war propaganda