WarVictimSampo 1914-1922: A Semantic Portal and Linked Data Service for Digital Humanities Research on War History

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A data service and a semantic portal based on Linked Open Data

Information about Finnish wars of the early 20th century, most notably the Finnish Civil War

More than 40000 war victims and 1000 battles

User interface based on the Sampo-UI framework

Open since November 2019, with more than 10000 users on the first day

Used by researchers to study history and by the general public

Faceted Search and Various Tools to Visualize the Data

Portal in use: https://sotasurmat.narc.fi/en
Dataset: http://www.ldf.fi/dataset/siso
Sampo-UI: https://seco.cs.aalto.fi/tools/sampo-ui/