

Main research topic of this bachelor work is the reputation of Czech and Slovak soldiers in exile in World War II in the British Army in the British, therefore the English, Scottish and Welsh press. Range of research involves the Battle of Britain, combat in North Africa and the Second siege of Dunkirk. Work takes in account only direct fighting, not actions of the Intelligence Service like Operation Anthropoid, on the so-called “Western Front”.

The first and the shortest part of this scientific work is about basic informations, that are needed to understand certain sections of the work, that are for example history of researched newspaper and daily newspaper, relations of Czechoslovakia and Great Britain before and in World War 2, or more detailed description of fights of which the Czechs and Slovaks were a part of within service in armed formations of Commonwealth.

Second part of the work is about closer information about the research, and about the goals I want to achieve in my work and lastly more information about laid out hypotheses that I want to use to verify my research.

The third and fourth part of the work are about results of research and what were the outcome of laid out scientific questions. These are: “What was the British Press assessment about Czech and Slovak soldiers?” and the second question was “What British stereotypes appeared about Czechoslovaks in newspaper articles?” There is also relevance assessment about certain statements of British commanders, which took place in combat in North Africa and the Near East.