

## **CLIC Dickens Project 8w1 research 'A Christmas Carol'**

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**Name:**

**Through use of the 'A Christmas Carol' corpus, I am hoping to be able to find answers to my question/evidence for my hypothesis.**

**My question/hypothesis is:**

**I came up with this question/hypothesis because:**

**The node words/phrases I want to zoom in are:**

**I have chosen these words because:**

## **Findings**

a. I expected to find:

and I found:

b. I expected to find:

but I found:

c. I wasn't surprised to find:

d. I was surprised to find:

## **My question/hypothesis**

I have been able to answer my question/demonstrate that my hypothesis was correct

My evidence for this is:

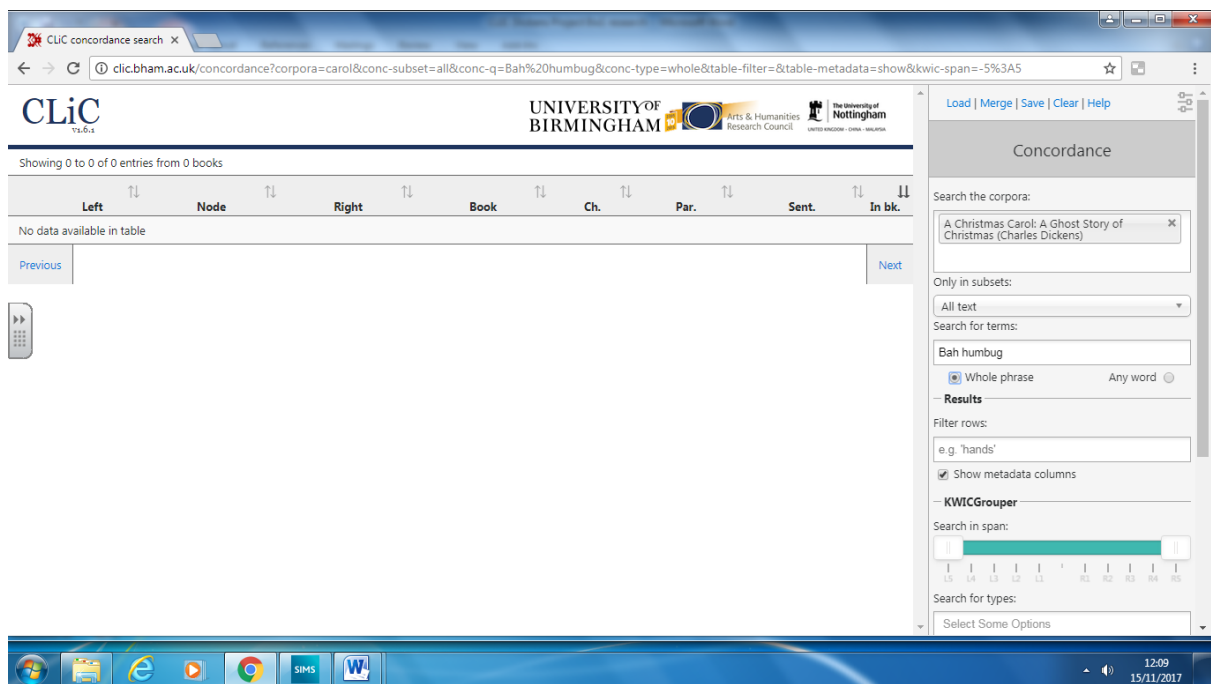


Fig. 1: Results of the search 'Bah humbug' *whole phrase* No entries in the novel

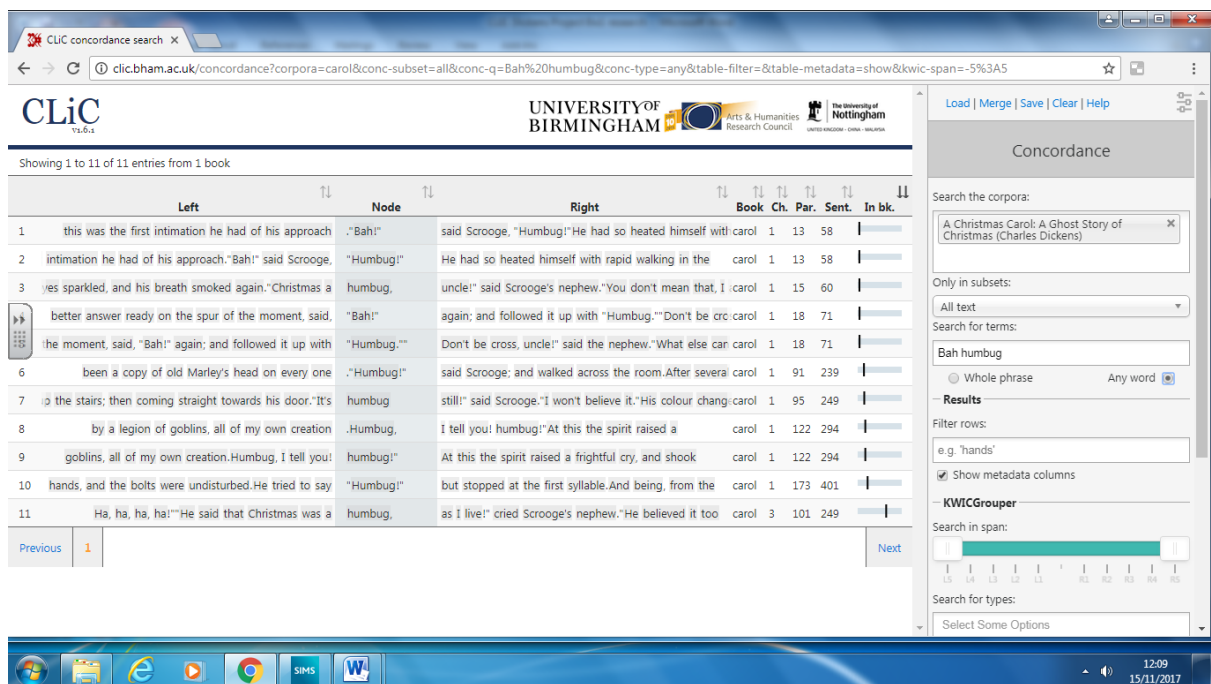


Fig. 2: Results of the search 'Bah humbug' *any word* 11 entries in the novel

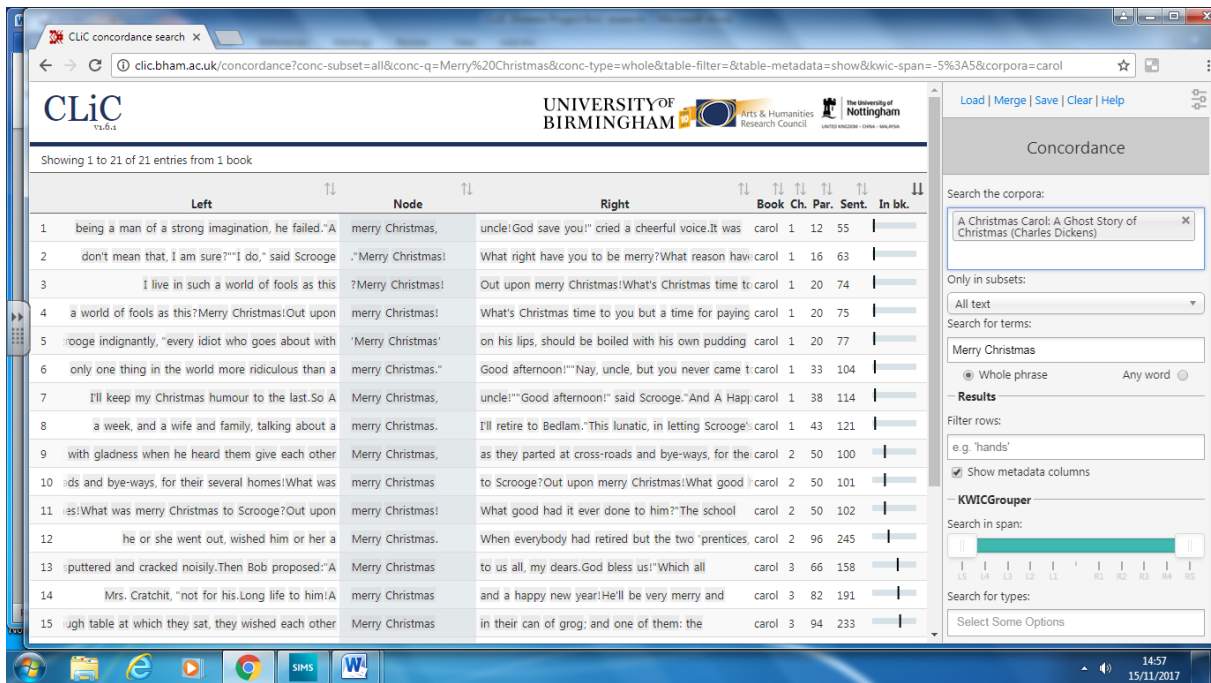


Fig. 3: Results of the search 'Merry Christmas' whole phrase 21 entries in the novel

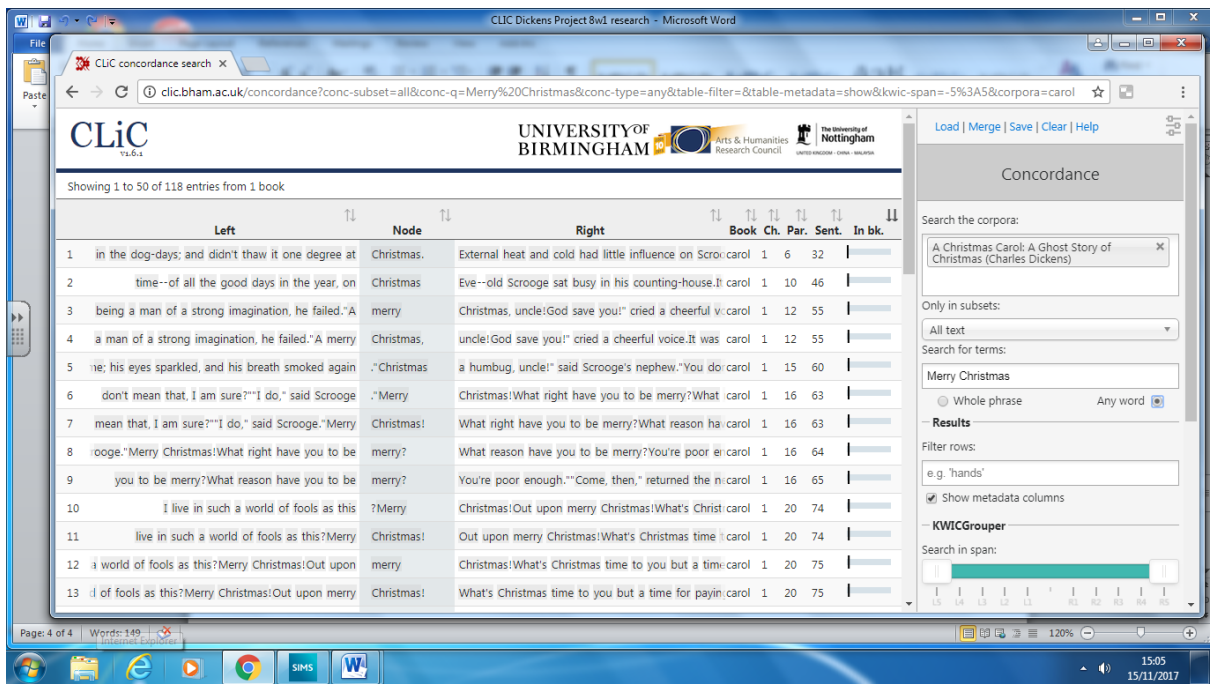


Fig. 4: Results of the search 'Merry Christmas' any word 118 entries in the novel