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Photographer: DEDE, Bruxelles, Belgium

Young girl on the beach reaching towards the sky. Belgium, late 1940s. See more photos of JDC-supported Children's Homes in Belgium in our [Belgium photo gallery](#).



Photographer: Romina Handlin

Inaugural JDC Archives Documentary Film Grant Awarded

Forgotten Jewels. A Haven in Havana tells the story of Jewish refugees who created a diamond polishing industry in Havana during World War II.



Family Researchers



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Events and Happenings



Special Film Viewing Rare Archival Footage from JDC’s Work with Refugees and Stateless Persons

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A Scholarly Glimpse



JDC Photos Showcased in AP’s In-Depth Review of its Coverage of Nazi Germany

An in-depth report by Associated Press on its work in Nazi Germany features the work of photographer Willi Jacobson, who shot photos for JDC after World War II.

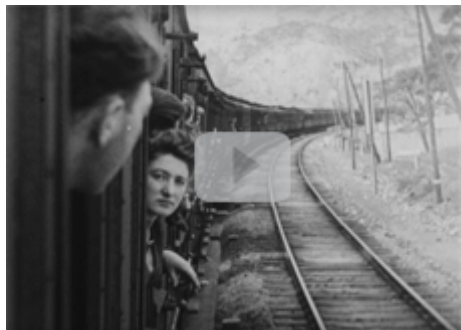
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Using the Archives



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Personal Stories



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With records of activity in more than 90 countries dating from its founding in 1914 to the present, the JDC Archives has two centers, located in New York City and Jerusalem, and is open to the public by appointment. For more information, visit archives.jdc.org. For more information on JDC Archives Fellowships, [visit the Fellowships page](#).

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