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Jewish children learn dance in summer colony, Vilna, Poland, 1920's. [View](#) JDC photos from interwar years in Poland.



Rare JDC Archives Treasures Digitized

Noted photographer Ardon Bar-Hama's digital photographs of **rare JDC materials** bring extraordinary finds to researchers worldwide.

A Scholarly Glimpse



Research on JDC's Role in FDR's War Refugee Board

Archivist at U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum defends dissertation on [War Refugee Board](#), for which JDC was the primary funder.

Family Researchers

COMITE D'ASSISTANCE POUR LES ENFANTS VENANT D'ALLEMAGNE & DE L'EUROPE CENTRALE		
First list of Jewish refugee children in France.		
NAMES	DOB	RELATIVES OR FRIENDS IN U.S.A.
ABRAHAM Dix Daugh. of Hanna	Irbee 9-6-1905 Templeburg	
ALEXANDER (Arthur) Son of Bernstine	Reins 22-3-1907 Seestadt a.d. Reinsstr.	H. Paul Alexander 3054 Wayne Avenue London City N.C. H. Mable Kern 1200 North Avenue N.E. Atlanta (Georgia)
APPENZELER (Israel) C/o a. etc.	Ernst 9-5-1906 Vienna	

New Records Added to Names Index

New lists of clients assisted in Australia, France and Sweden are now available. See [inventory of Names Database records](#).

Events and Happenings



JDC Archives Showcased at Conferences Worldwide

JDC Archivists present papers and [connect with users](#) on three continents.

Personal Stories



Granddaughter of Refugees from Europe Seeks Family History

Miranda Carson finds [JDC records of grandparents](#), providing framework for family's Holocaust narrative.

Archives Treasure



Opening a New Chapter of JDC's Work

How Ralph Goldman's 1991 visa for Soviet Union [opened new possibilities](#) for JDC to reconnect with Soviet Jews.

Using the Archives



JDC and the SS *St. Louis*

[Explore](#) primary sources on JDC assistance to 907 Jewish refugees in 1939 after SS *St. Louis* was turned back from Cuba.

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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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