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War orphans in Orenburg, Russia, 1923. See more photos from the Soviet Union, c. 1920s-1930s [here](#).



Digitized Oral History Collection reveals compelling perspectives on JDC's global work

An ongoing digitization initiative is bringing to light, for the first time, **the oral histories of JDC senior staff, field personnel, and lay leaders** who shaped JDC's global work.

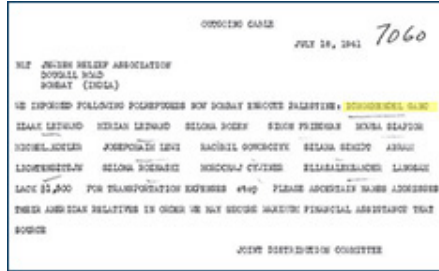
A Scholarly Glimpse



Operation Magic Carpet materials at Alaska Jewish Museum

[Exhibit on rescue of Yemenite Jews](#) features JDC photographs, documents, written testimonies, and rare audio clip.

Family Researchers



Digital records reveal a refugee's flight across three continents

A search in our online database yields Isaac Mendel's name on six documents. [Read more and start your search.](#)

Events and Happenings



Applications now open for JDC Archives Fellowship

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Personal Stories



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Emely Katz [shares her family's experience](#) in Ecuador after their flight from Nazi Germany.

Archives Treasure



A unique artifact: relief with dignity

[Debit cards enable needy clients](#) to purchase food with dignity in Argentina and the former Soviet Union.

Using the Archives



A tribute to JDC staff who perished

[Visit JDC's "In Memoriam" feature](#), which highlights the stories of dedicated JDC staff who lost their lives in service to the Jewish people.

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The JDC Archives houses one of the world's most significant collections of modern Jewish history. Comprising the organizational records of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC), the world's leading Jewish humanitarian organization, the Archives includes over 3 miles of text documents, 100,000 photographs, a research library of more than 6,000 books, 1,100 audio recordings including oral histories, and a video collection.

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

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