Children sing and dance together in a Joint-supported summer camp. Lodz, 1960. View more photos from “Rescue, Relief, and Renewal: 100 Years of ‘the Joint’ in Poland” in two new Google Cultural Institute exhibits.

JDC Jerusalem Collection from Post-World War II Digitized

Records of JDC's Jerusalem Office’s postwar relief efforts in Middle East and Balkans now available.

Family Researchers

Recent Additions to the JDC Names Index

Latest additions include post-World War II lists from JDC's Emigration Service.

Events and Happenings

JDC Dedicates New Archives Center in Jerusalem
Long-awaited JDC Archives Center inaugurated in February.

A Scholarly Glimpse

New Book on World War I and the Jews

How did the Great War affect the Jews?

Archives Treasure

“He Remembered My Voice After 25 Years”

Oral history of JDC staffer recalls assisting Oskar Schindler and meeting one of the Schindlerjuden.

Using the Archives

2018 JDC Archives Fellows Announced

Supporting cutting-edge research in the JDC Archives.

Personal Stories

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Israeli President Rivlin’s personal connection to JDC revealed.

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