

SELECTED RECORDS FROM THE DR. BORIS TSCHLÉNOFF COLLECTION, 1923–1951

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Scope and Content: Contains documents collected by, and pertaining to, Dr. Benzion Boris Arkadevitch Tschlénoff, a Ukrainian-Jewish doctor employed by OSE Geneva. Dr. Tschlénoff's life's work was dedicated to the care of tubercular Jewish patients and to the care and rescue of Jews suffering under Nazi tyranny.

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