Usage Hints

Quick Search

The search box for quick search is displayed on the left-hand side. Enter a search term and click the magnifying glass to start your search. The quick search is a full text search.

Advanced Search

Click on the text "Advanced Search" or the arrow next to it to open the advanced search. Three entry fields are given by default, each of them is preset with a search option. You can select different search options from the list and add further fields. Click the *Search* button to start your search.

Search criteria

Full Text
Search through the full text of all entries in the database. With this search option you will receive a multitude of hits, because you always search through the full entries. To perform a more targeted search for an entry, please use one of the other search criteria or combine several search terms. It suggests search terms while you type (find-as-you-type).

Heading
Searches within all headings of the diary entries, similar to a title search. Suggests headings while you type (find-as-you-type).

Person
Searches within all person keywords, that is, all occurring and normalized person names in the entries. Suggests keywords as search phrases while typing (find-as-you-type). Notation is „Surname, Given name".

Footnotes
Searches within all footnotes. Suggests search terms that occur in the footnotes while typing (find-as-you-type).

Entry Year
Searches for entries from one certain year.

Combination of search fields
You can combine all search terms with the boolean operators "AND", "OR" or "NOT".

Filter

Entry Year
Choose years to perform a period search.

Diary Entries
This chronological sorting of the diary entries gives an overview and entry point for search at the same time. The number in brackets gives the amount of entries on the corresponding level.

Combination of "Filter" and "Search"

Filters and search fields can be combined by using first the search fields and then the filters to refine the search.

Entry Year		
1918 ▾ — 1921 ▾		UPDATE

Diary Entries	
— 1918–1932	(1,645)
✚ 1918	(29)
✚ 1919	(197)
— 1920	(167)
✚ Januar	(14)
✚ Februar	(19)
▬ März	(10)
03.03.1920	(1)
07.03.1920	(1)