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Rachel Dickson: The Ben Uri Art Society and Emigré Artists, 1933-1945
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Andrea Hammel: The Kindertransport in 21st-Century Public Discourse
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Jennifer Taylor: ‘The Outsider Inside?’ The Interaction of Three German-speaking Emigrés (Paul Bondy, Hermann Sinsheimer and Bruno Adler) with British Institutions: The Post-War Years
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Sarah MacDougall: Refugee Sculptors
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Charmian Brinson: ‘A Camp Full of Once and Future Very Important Persons’: Fred Uhlman and Kurt Schwitters in Internment
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