Resources for Early New England Naturalization Records

Genealogy Notes A Gold Mine of Naturalization Records in New England

Great article which explains why the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) holds these records and how to use them. By Walter V. Hickey: Mr. Hickey is a former archives specialist with the National Archives at Boston

http://www.archives.gov/publications/prologue/2004/fall/genealogy-2004-fall.html

New England, Petitions for Naturalization Index (FamilySearch.org Historical Records)

The index consists of 3x5 inch cards arranged by state then by Soundex coded names of petitioners. Familysearch.org has made the index searchable by name. This site is free to use

https://familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/New_England,_Petitions_for_Naturalization_Index_%28FamilySearch_Historical_Records%29

United States, New England, Petitions for Naturalization, 1787-1906

This collection consists of naturalization documents filed in the National Archives Northeast Region which includes: Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont, NARA ARC Identifier 4752894. The majority of the records cover the date range of 1787–1906 but there are a few pages of outlying records from 1921, 1923, and 1932. This site is free to use

https://familysearch.org/search/collection/2064580

Research Guide to Naturalization Records from the State of Connecticut

Website provides background and search tips for locating naturalization records from the State of Connecticut

http://www.cslib.org/natural.htm

Finding U.S. Naturalization Records a genealogy guide

Excellent resource which can help locate naturalization records

http://www.germanroots.com/naturalizationrecords.html

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New England Naturalization Petitions 1791-1906 for German Immigrants

Excellent resources for those conducting German genealogy

http://daddezio.com/genealogy/german/surnames/nenp.html

Know Your Records: Early Naturalization Records from New England States, 1790–1906

Broadcast from the National Archives at Boston, archivist, Joseph Keefe discusses how to use naturalization proceedings—from federal, state, county, and local courts—from Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont between 1790 and September 26, 1906.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dxna797Mkqg

Resources for Jewish Genealogy in Boston

This page is a brief summary and update of the contents of Resources for Jewish Genealogy in the Boston Area. This site has great information on naturalization documentation

http://www.jewishgen.org/jgsqb/bostres.html

<u>USCIS: United states Citizenship and Immigration Service: Genealogy</u> <u>Search</u>

Have many records related to citizenship which can be helpful for genealogy

http://www.uscis.gov/history-and-genealogy/genealogy/genealogy-notebook/why-request-uscis-c-file

New England Historical Genealogy Society naturalization guides

Website has many how to and research guides

<u>http://www.americanancestors.org/education/learning-resources/read/naturalization-quide</u>