

Immigration

Observe the building of the nation. How have immigrants shaped this land?

<http://memory.loc.gov/learn/features/immig/introduction.html>

The Chinese in California, 1850-1925

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/award99/cubhtml/cichome.html>

Immigration/Migration: Today and During the Great Depression

<http://memory.loc.gov/learn/lessons/98/migrate/intro.html>

Interviews with Today's Immigrants

[http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/presentationsandactivities/presentation
s/immigration/](http://www.loc.gov/teachers/classroommaterials/presentationsandactivities/presentations/immigration/)

First Thrill of Liberty

<http://www.loc.gov/exhibits/treasures/trm169.html>

Arrival of emigrants [i.e. immigrants], Ellis Island / American Mutoscope and Biograph Company.

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Emigrants [i.e. immigrants] landing at Ellis Island / Thomas A. Edison, Inc.

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Final discharge from Ellis Island

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U.S. inspectors examining eyes of immigrants, Ellis Island, New York Harbor

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View of Ellis Island, N.Y., looking across water toward immigration station

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Doctor's examination - stopping an emigrant suspected of defective eyesight. He will be detained for further examination, to ascertain if this defect would prevent him from earning a living

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Doctor's inspection of suspects for skin diseases

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Immigrants waiting to be transferred, Ellis Island, October 30, 1912

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Arriving at Ellis Island

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Barges [i.e., ferry boats] at Ellis Island

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Immigrants - Ellis Island

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Ellis Island, N.Y. - one of the "1000 marriageable girls" on the "Baltic"

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Awaiting examination, Ellis Island

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Final discharge from Ellis Island

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Detention pen--on roof of main building, Ellis Island, where emigrants held for deportation may go in fine weather

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Scandinavians leaving for Europe, going home to Norway

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Girl sitting on stacked trunks belonging to Norwegians going home to Norway

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Ellis Island and harbor, New York

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