

Nadler Collection To Be Incorporated Into Main Library

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The S. S. Reva West docked today at the Port of Houston, carrying in her hold seventy-two crates destined for the Rice Library. These crates contain the eagerly awaited Nadler collection, purchased by Rice this summer.

The collection's journey began in Vienna, where it was crated, insured against any possible damage, and sent by freight to Bremenhafen. There it was put on the Bloomfield Steamship Company's ship, which carried it to Houston.

ON THE books' arrival at Rice, they will be catalogued, and a complete list made. The entire collection will then be placed in the library, where its volumes will be available to all Library patrons. The Nadler Library will be of special interest to German students, as the books are in German, and their subject is German literature.

Various libraries in this area have shown interest in any duplicates which may be found in the collection. After a careful cataloguing has been made the possibility of the sale of these duplicates will be looked into.

DR. ROBERT L. Kahn, Rice's representative in Vienna at the bidding for the Nadler Library, praises the cooperation which resulted in the acquisition of the books. "In my opinion, based on experience at several large state universities, the successful purchase of this library represents the best type of teamwork by all divisions, departments, and individuals connected with it."

Some of the people who had a part in the steps leading to the purchase are President K. S. Pitzer; Chancellor Carey Croneis; Rice's lawyer, Mr. Ewell E. Murphy, Jr.; and Dean W. H. Master-son. Others are Dr. Hardin Craig and Mrs. E. K. Zingler of the Library, Dr. J. R. Sims and his associates, Dr. R. J. Rath, and Dr. H. H. Lehnert.