

grant's land. Perhaps this explains the discrepancy between the 640 acres (if married) and 320 acres (if single) given him as a conditional grant and the 320 and 160 acres mentioned in his German Immigration Contract.

A photostatic copy of one of the land transfer contracts (that of Heinrich Staats) is shown in Plate 12. It was witnessed by Henry F. Fisher and notarized by DeCordova for the State of Texas.

## Appendix III

### SHIP LISTS

The names of immigrants on sixty-one ships from Europe and fourteen ships from ports in the United States were indexed in an effort to get as complete a list as possible of the Germans who came to Texas during the years 1844-1847. Of the ships that sailed from Bremen, all reached Texas except the *Nahant* which was shipwrecked on the coast of England. Its passengers continued their voyage on other Verein ships, most of them coming to Texas on the *Timoleon*. A list of these ships has been compiled from two main sources:

#### A. in Texas, from

1. The Colonization and Fisher-Miller Papers in the State Archives.
2. Microfilm records of ship lists of the U. S. Bureau of Customs.
3. Ship lists in the *New Braunfels Zeitung Yearbook for 1936*.
4. Ship lists in the *New Braunfels Zeitung* issue for August 18, 1938 and the 100th Anniversary issue of the *New Braunfels Zeitung*, 1952.

#### B. in Texas, from

1. German records in the Solms-Braunfels Archives.
2. German records in the "Verein zum Schutze deutscher Einwanderer in Texas" Collection in the University of Texas Archives.

Important information to be found about an immigrant in a ship list includes: port and date of departure, port and date of arrival in Texas; his residence in Europe, often his age and profession, the maiden name of his wife and names of his chil-

dren, if known, and sometimes the record of his death when this occurred en route.

A copy of the German list (partial) of passengers on the *Riga* and also a copy of the Republic of Texas list (partial) may be found in Plates 14 and 15.

## List of ships from Europe with Verein immigrants to Texas, 1844-1847

N.B.—In a date, Roman numeral indicates month. Name of ship is in boldface. Date named is date of ship's arrival at Galveston. Gal. = Galveston; imm. = immigrants.

- Albatross**—from Hamburg; Gal. XII.1847
- Andacia**—from Antwerp 5.XII.1845; Gal. 29.III.1846; 188 imm.
- Anna**—from Bremen 5.IV.1846; Gal. 25.VI.1846; 65 imm.
- Anthony**—from Hamburg; Gal. 1.IX.1846 and 27.XII.1847
- Apollo**—from Bremen; Gal. 20.XII.1844; 62 imm.
- Apollo**—from Bremen 3.XI.1845; Gal. 20.I.1846; 94 imm.
- Arminius**—from Bremen 18.VIII.1845; Gal. 15.X.1845; 124 imm.
- Auguste Meline**—from Bremen 16.IX.1845; Gal. 9.XII.1845; 150 imm.
- Bohemia**—from Antwerp 4.VIII.1846; Indianola 9.XII.1846; 115 imm.
- B. Bohlen**—from Bremen 9.X.1845; Gal. 22.XII.1845; 188 imm.
- B. Bohlen**—from Bremen 2.XI.1846; Gal. 2.I.1847; 133 imm.
- Carl Wilhelm**—from Bremen; wrecked at Gal. 23.V.1846
- Colchis**—from Antwerp 1.IX.1846; Gal. 29.X.1846; 167 imm.
- Chas. N. Cooper**—from Hamburg; Gal. 23.X.1847
- Cranstadt**—from Antwerp; Gal. 3.VI.1846; 107 imm.
- Creole**—from Bremen 13.XI.1845; Gal. 23.IV.1846; 122 imm.
- Diamant**—from Antwerp 19.I.1846; Gal. 20.IV.1846; 116 imm.
- Dyle**—from Antwerp 18.XI.1845; Gal. 15.III.1846; 134 imm.
- Dr. Syntax**—from Antwerp; Gal. 24.IV.1846; 58 imm.
- Element**—from Antwerp; 25.VIII.1846 Gal. 22.X.1846; 170 imm.
- Emily**—from Hamburg; Gal. 24.VIII.1847
- Elisa & Charlotte**—from Bremen 26.VIII.1846; Gal. 20.X.1846; 120 imm.
- Everhard**—from Bremen 27.IX.1845; Gal. 9.XII.1845; 287 imm.
- Ferdinand**—from Bremen 7.X.1844; Gal. 21.XII.1844; 61 imm.
- Ferdinand**—from Bremen, 1845; Gal. 24.VI.1845
- Flavius**—from Bremen 2.X.1846; Gal. 26.XII.1846; 118 imm.
- Franziska**—from Bremen 28.X.1845; Gal. 11.I.1846; 107 imm.
- Friedrich**—from Bremen 13.VIII.1846; Gal. 24.X.1846; 129 imm.
- Fyen**—from Bremen; Gal. 1.X.1846.
- Garonne**—from Bremen 21.VIII.1845; Gal. 6.XII.1845; 131 imm.
- George Delius**—from Bremen 21.IX.1845; Gal. 25.XI.1845; 140 imm.
- Gerhard Hermann**—from Bremen 13.XI.1845; Gal. 10.I.1846; 153 imm.
- Gesina**—from Bremen 15.X.1845; Gal. 2.I.1846; 89 imm.
- Hamilton**—from Antwerp 22.XII.1845; Gal. 8.IV.1846; 159 imm.
- Harriet**—from Antwerp 31.X.1845; Gal. 18.I.1846; 186 imm.
- Henry**—from Antwerp 1846; Gal. 10.IX.1846; 112 imm.
- Hercules**—from Bremen 25.VIII.1845; Gal. 23.XI.1845; 170 imm.
- Herschel**—from Bremen 23.IX.1844; Gal. 5.XII.1844; 102 imm.
- Herschel**—from Bremen 14.VIII.1845; Gal. 16.X.1845; 138 imm.
- Israelio**—from Antwerp; Gal. 18.X.1845.
- James Edward**—from Antwerp 17.IX.1846; Gal. 30.XI.1846; 172 imm.
- Johann Dethardt**—from Bremen 16.IX.1844; Gal. 23.XI.1844; 129 imm.

**Johann Dethardt**—from Bremen 18.IV.1845; Gal. 20.VI.1845; 115 imm.  
**Johann Dethardt**—from Bremen 25.IX.1845; Gal. 18.XII.1845; 140 imm.  
**Johann Dethardt**—from Bremen 18.IX.1846; Gal. 23.XI.1846; 101 imm.  
**Johanna**—from Bremen 12.X.1846; Gal. 22.XII.1846; 125 imm.  
**Karl Ferdinand**—from Bremen 1.IX.1846; Gal. 20.XII.1846; 122 imm.  
**Leo**—from Bremen; Gal. 25.VI.1846; 70 imm.  
**Leontine**—from Bremen 22.X.1844; Gal. date?  
**Louise**—from Bremen 8.IX.1846; Gal. 2.XI.1846; 118 imm.  
**Louise Friedrike**—from Bremen 4.XI.1846; Gal. 8.I.1847; 73 or 99 imm.  
**Margaretha**—from Bremen 1.VIII.1845; Gal. 25.XI.1845; 129 imm.  
**Margaretha**—from Bremen 21.VIII.1846; Gal. 21.X.1846; 90 imm.  
**Mathilda**—from Bremen 1.VIII.1846; Gal. 3.X.1846; 114 imm.  
**Matador**—from Bremen 1.X.1845; Gal. 22.XII.1845.  
**Mercur**—from Bremen 27.VIII.1846; Gal. 26.X.1846; 66 imm.  
**Natchez**—from Hamburg; Gal. 26.X.1847  
**Nahant**—from Antwerp 25.XI.1845; wrecked on English coast 18.III.1846; 130 imm.  
**Neptune**—from Bremen 2.X.1845; Gal. 23.XI.1845; 214 imm.  
**Neptune**—from Bremen 15.X.1846; Gal. 23.XII.1846; 43 imm.  
**Orient**—from Bremen 30.IX.1846; Gal. 31.XII.1846; 85 imm.  
**Richard**—from Antwerp; Gal. 6.I.1846.  
**Riga**—from Antwerp; 11.XI.1845; Gal. 8.I.1846; 138 imm.  
**St. Pauli**—from Hamburg; Gal. 4.VII.1847; ca 100 imm.  
**Sarah Ann**—from Hamburg; Gal. 9.XII.1845; 127 imm.  
**Sophie**—from Bremen 23.VIII.1846; Gal. 31.X.1846; 80 imm.  
**Strabo**—from Antwerp 11.IX.1845; Gal. 20.XI.1845; 169 imm.  
**Talisman**—from Antwerp 2.I.1846; Gal. 18.IV.1846; 143 imm.  
**Timoleon**—from Antwerp 25.XI.1845; 167 imm.; left Torbay, England 5.V.1846 after taking on board passengers from ship wrecked Nahant; arr. Gal. 8.VIII.1846  
**Washington**—from Antwerp 25.IX.1845; Gal. 25.XI.1845; 187 imm.  
**Weser**—from Bremen 10.V.1844; Gal. 8.VII.1844; 85 imm.  
**Weser**—from Bremen 8.IX.1845; Gal. 27.XI.1845; 93 imm.  
**York**—from Antwerp 14.VIII.1846; Gal. 23.X.1846; 136 imm.

### List of ships from the United States with Verein immigrants to Texas, 1844-1847

**Agnes**—from New Orleans; Gal. 1.1846  
**Alabama**—from New Orleans; Gal. 4.I.1845  
**Bryan**—from New Orleans; Indianola 15.III.1845  
**Cincinnati**—from New Orleans; Gal. 7.II.1846 and 15.X.1846  
**Constitution**—from New Orleans; 1845  
**Galveston**—from New Orleans 22.I.1846 and 15.VI.1846  
**Lone Star**—from New Orleans 3.IV.1846  
**Mary**—from New Orleans; Indianola XII.1845 and VIII.1847  
**Matamoros**—from New Orleans: Corpus Christi 11.XII.1845  
**New York**—from New Orleans; Gal. 26.XI.1843; VIII.1844; 21.IV.1845  
**Robert**—from New Orleans IX.1844  
**Sam Ingham**—from New Orleans; Gal. 29.V.1844; 31.I.1846; 15.XII.1845  
**Star Republic**—from New York; Gal. II.1845; 15.III.1846

### List of ships sent by Henry Castro to Texas

**Heinrich**—from Strassburg 28.XI.1843; Gal. 8.IV.1844  
**Jean Key**—from Antwerp 25.X.1843; Gal. 2.I.1844  
**Ocean**—from Antwerp 9.IV.1844; Gal. 29.V.1844