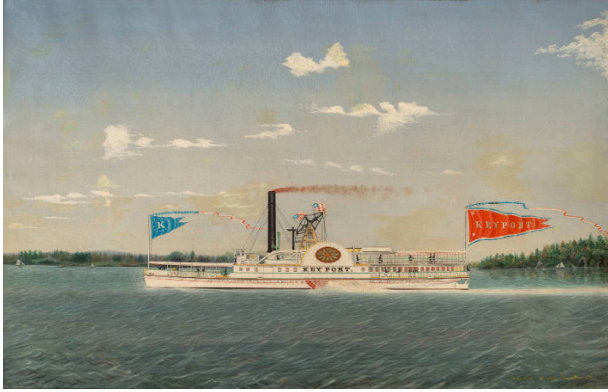


Basic Detail Report



Steamboat Keyport

Primary Maker

James Bard

Medium

Oil on canvas

Description

The Steamboat Keyport, depicted on her port or left side, steams across the canvas from right to left in front of a low-lying coastline possibly along Raritan Bay on a sunny, nearly cloudless day. The white vessel includes details such as a bright green, orange and gilt paddlebox panel, black smokestack, covered open decks fore and aft, bright blue bow flag bearing the letter K, and a red flag with the name Keyport at the stern. Patriotic banners fly from the bow and stern masts, as well as from the walking beam. Passengers wearing black suits are scattered on the upper and lower decks. Smoke pouring from the stack, a representation of splashing water at the bow, and backwash of the paddlewheel give a sensation of movement.

Dimensions

33.1 × 52 in. (84.1 × 132.1 cm)