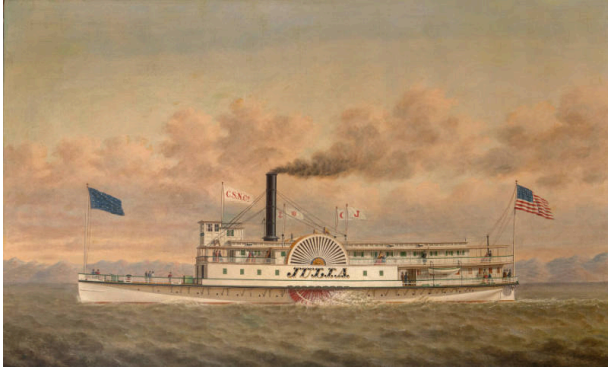


Basic Detail Report



The Steamboat Julia

Primary Maker

Joseph Lee

Medium

Oil on canvas

Description

Ship portrait of the Steamboat Julia taken from the port side, bow to the left and stern to the right. The vessel, painted white with green trim, has an elaborate paddle box lunette of a sun face above the name JULIA painted on the siding of the lower deck. A blue flag with thirty stars flies from a bow flagpole, and an American flag flies from a stern flagpole. The house flag lettered "C.S.N.Co" for the California Steam Navigation Co. flies from a flagpole above the wheel house. A black-painted smoke stack is positioned just in front of the paddle boxes. Four other small flags fly from small flagpoles amidship, one of which is lettered "J" for the boat's name. Small groups of people are shown distributed on the first and second decks. The vessel is sailing in choppy water under a setting sun sky. The mountain ranges in the distant background resembles the landscape as seen from San Francisco Bay.

Dimensions

31.3 × 51.6 in. (79.5 × 131.1 cm)