



Cheri Dubreuil 1828 1880 Steamer At Sea Under The Moon

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Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Length : 69 x 32 hors cadre

Width : 82 x 45 avec le cadre

Description

Chéri Dubreuil (1828-circa 1880) Vapeur at sea under the moon, 1855 Official painter of the navy In this remarkable nocturnal marine, Chéri Dubreuil captures with rare sensitivity the appearance of a transoceanic steamer the appearance of a transoceanic steamer splitting a troubled sea of the moon. The ship's dark silhouette, highlighted by the luminous foam of its hull, stands out against a cloud-laden horizon. cloud-laden horizon. As a former sailor, Dubreuil excelled at depicting the ships of his time. The precision of the rigging, chimneys and naval architecture testifies to a perfect knowledge of the maritime innovations of the mid-19th century. Here, the artist combines the documentary rigor of ship portraiture with a truly romantic vision of the

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sea. a truly romantic vision of the sea. The palette, dominated by deep blues, pearly greys, pearly grays and luminous accents of foam, lends a mysterious, poetic atmosphere. The vast night sky and the moving sea contribute to the impression of silent grandeur that characterizes the painter's best work.