

Art Postcard with a Lithograph of Imperial Russian Navy Mine Transport Ship Yenisey (Енисей), artist signed, issued for charitable fundraising, c.

early 1900s.

The size is standard 5 1/2" x 3 1/2", postally unused and unmarked. The caption in the upper right-hand corner of the obverse identifies the warship as the Yenisey ("Енисей"), a mine transport ship of the Russian Imperial Navy. It also lists the names of the captain and 2nd lieutenant, Captain 2nd rank Stepanov and 2nd Lieutenant Dresher. The artist's name is printed in the lower right-hand corner on the verso.

The verso features a graphic logo in the lower left-hand corner, inscribed "For the benefit of the St. Evgeniya Society". Evidently, the postcard was issued for charitable fundraising purposes.

In very good to excellent condition. The paper is mildly soiled but only three stains are actually visible above the warship, and can be easily confused as smoke from the ship's smokestacks. Two creases, visible mostly on the verso, are long-since flattened out and are almost unnoticeable on the obverse.

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