

Dandy

Corvette

Connecticut Privateer Brigantine

Commander George House

16 October 1781-

Commissioned/First Date:

16 October 1781

Out of Service/Cause:

Owners:

Clarkson & Co.

Tonnage:

Battery:

Date Reported: 16 October 1781

<u>Number/Caliber</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Broadside</u>
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12/

Total: 12 cannon/

Broadside: 6 cannon/

Swivels:

Crew:

16 October 1781: 31 [total]

Description:

Officers:

Cruises:

Prizes:

Actions:

Comments: Connecticut Privateer Brigantine *Dandy* was commissioned on 16 October 1781 under Commander George House of New London, Connecticut. She was listed as having a battery of twelve guns and a crew of thirty men. *Dandy's* \$20000 bond was signed by House and by Nathaniel Shaw and John Deshon, both of New London.¹

¹ NRAR, 262; Middlebrook, *Maritime Connecticut During The Revolution*, II, 66