

Delight

Corvette
Massachusetts Privateer Schooner

Commander Ebenezer Lakeman [Lateman]
18 December 1781-

Commissioned/First Date: 18 December 1781
Out of Service/Cause:

Owners: Ephraim Kendall et al of Ipswich, Massachusetts

Tonnage:
Battery:

Date Reported: 18 December 1781
Number/Caliber Weight Broadside
4/
Total: 4 cannon/
Broadside: 2 cannon/
Swivels:

Crew: 18 December 1781: 11 [total]

Description:

Officers:

Cruises:

Prizes:

Actions:

Comments: Massachusetts Privateer Schooner *Delight* was commissioned on 18 December 1781 under Commander Ebenezer Lakeman [or Lateman] of Ipswich, Massachusetts. She was listed as having a battery of four guns and a crew of ten men. *Delight's* \$20000 bond was signed by Lakeman and by Ephraim Kendall and John Heard, both of Ipswich.¹

¹ NRAR, 267; Allen, *Massachusetts Privateers of the Revolution*, 112