

# Duke of Leinster

Corvette  
Pennsylvania Privateer Brigantine

Commander Samuel Young

20 January 1781-

Commissioned/First Date:

20 January 1781

Out of Service/Cause:

Owners:

John Barclay & Co. of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Tonnage:

Battery:

Date Reported: 20 January 1781

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

Total: 12 cannon/

Broadside: 6 cannon/

Swivels:

Crew:

20 January 1781: 42 [total]

Description:

Officers:

(1) First Mate John Round, 20 January 1781-

Cruises:

Prizes:

Actions:

Comments: Pennsylvania Privateer Brigantine *Duke of Leinster* was commissioned on 20 January 1781 under Commander Samuel Young of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.<sup>1</sup> John Round,<sup>2</sup> possibly of Philadelphia, served aboard as First Mate. She was listed as having a battery of twelve guns and a crew of forty men. Her \$20000 bond was signed by Young and by James Barclay of Philadelphia.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> NRAR, 278

<sup>2</sup> Claghorn, *Naval Officers of the American Revolution*, 266

<sup>3</sup> NRAR, 278