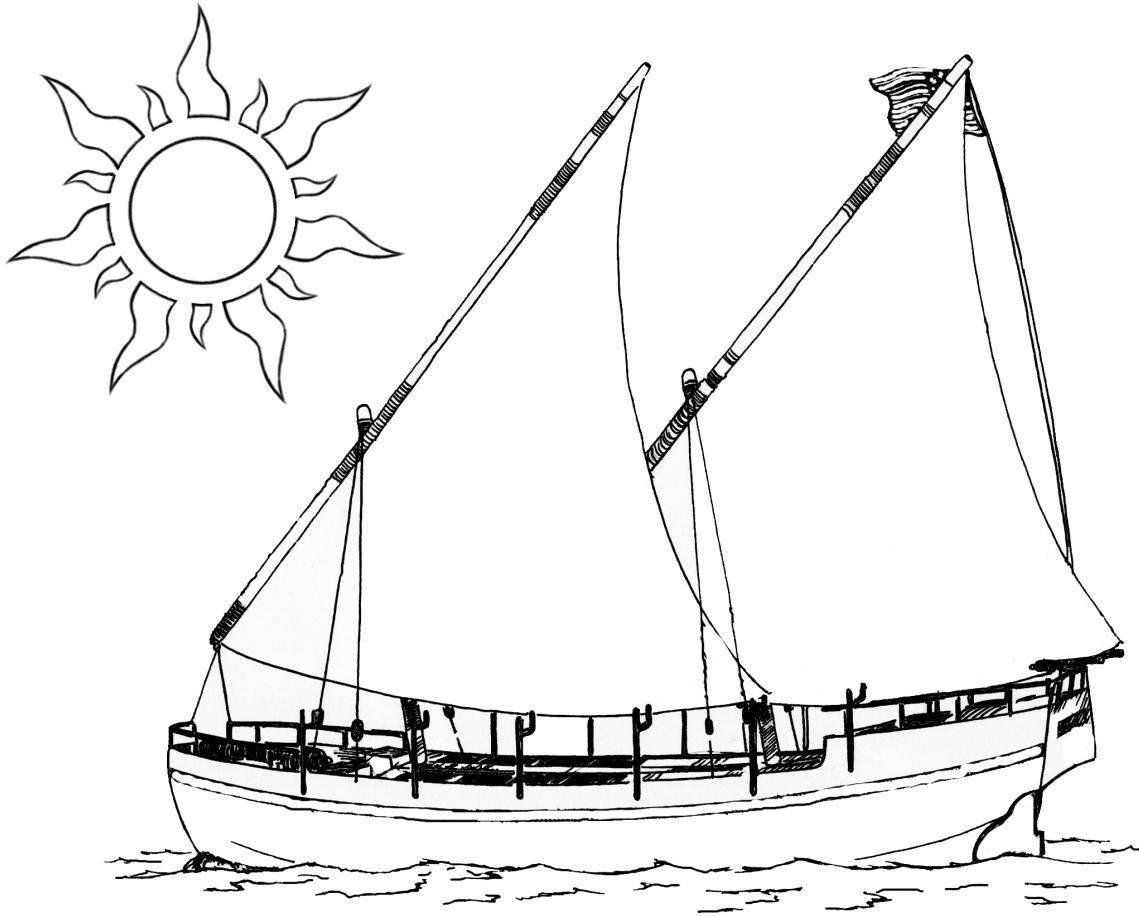


# GALLEY SAVANNAH



LAUNCHED on 29 September 1798, galley SAVANNAH provided coastal defense from marauding privateers from France, Britain, and Spain. She was equipped with two lateen sails, 25 oars, and one 24 pounder gun. SAVANNAH was funded and armed by the US Navy but the crew was made up of local volunteers. Her career was brief. In 1800, orders were sent to lay up the galley. SAVANNAH was sent to haul live oak from the sea islands and in 1802, she was sold to Arnold Sweet & Co.

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