



Eliza, 1853

An original name retained by the Lighthouse Establishment.

Tender History:

Eliza was a wooden hulled, 140-foot privately owned schooner chartered by the Lighthouse Establishment in 1853 for use as a supply tender. She ran aground off Florida in January of 1853 but was safely pulled off and re-floated. The Lighthouse Establishment then purchased her outright. She ran aground and was lost off Long Island in March of 1857.

Sources:

Douglas Peterson. *United States Lighthouse Service Tenders, 1840-1939*. Annapolis: Eastwind Publishing, 2000.