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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Stephen Young VAS1602

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[From [bounty land records in the Library of Virginia](#)]

[Note: the following papers are included in the file indexed under the name "James Gassaway". The page numbers refer to pages in that file.]

[p 1]

Stephen Young, not drawn – Captain

John Davenport, Chief Clerk

Lay in Office

December 24, 1813

[p 2]

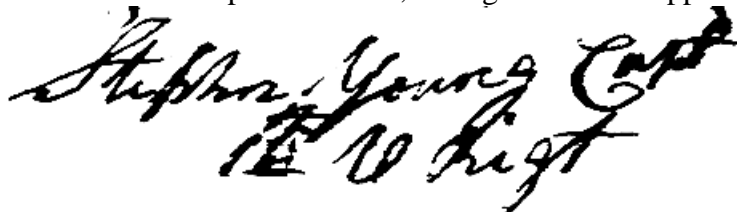
I do Certify that I knew Stephen Young as a Captain in the Virginia line in the Revolutionary War with Great Britain I know he was in service in the year 1778 and he continued upwards of 3 [years] in the 14 Virginia Regiment on Continental Establishment. Given under my hand this 2 day of November 1813

Richard M Owen

[Attested in South Carolina, Laurens District]

[p 3]

[illegible certificate given in Mecklenburg County North Carolina on September 21, 1813, by Captain Stephen Young of the 14th Virginia Regiment. Although the body of the certificate cannot be read as posted online, his signature does appear very legibly as follows



Stephen Young Capt
14th Virginia

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[Note: the following documents are found in the file indexed under the name of Thomas Hopper VAS1606]

[Attested in Chester District South Carolina June 15th, 1813]

I do hereby Certify I knew Stephen Young¹ as a Captain in the Revolutionary War with Great Britain. I knew he was in service sometime in the year 1778 and he continued upwards of three years in Service in the fourteenth Virginia Regiment on Continental Establishment. Given under my hand this 19th May 1813

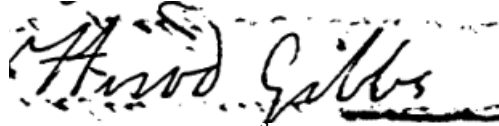
S/ William Thaxton

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William Thaxton".

[Attested in Chester District South Carolina May 19, 1813]

I do Hereby Certify that I knew Stephen Young as a Captain in the 14th Virginia Regiment in the Revolutionary War with Great Britain. He went into the service in the year 1778 and continued upwards of 3 years on the Continental establishment. Given under my hand this 7th day of September 1813

S/ Herod Gibbs² Lt. 15th V. Regt.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Herod Gibbs".

[Attested in Chester District South Carolina September 7th, 1813]

¹ VAS1602

² [Harod \(Herod\) Gibbs W17947](#)