

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Benjamin Gavin VAS3692  
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[The following is from [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia.](#)]

I do certify that Benjamin Gavin did on the fourteenth day of February one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven enlist as a private Soldier in a company which I then Commanded in the Eighth Virginia Continental Regiment for the term of three years which Term he served and was discharged by Colo. Febiger [Christian Febiger VAS675], which discharge I have frequently seen but he informs me he has lost it. Given under my hand this 14<sup>th</sup> August 1784

D. Stephenson [David Stephenson BLWt2057-400]  
late major Virg'a Con'l Line

[several illegible words]

A handwritten signature in cursive script, likely reading "D. Stephenson", written in dark ink on a light background.