

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Henry Rains VAS4159
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

[From [bounty-land records in the Library of Virginia](#) in two files.]

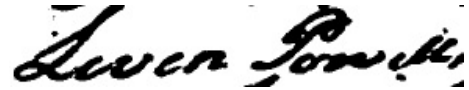
I do hereby certify that Henry Rains a Soldier in Colo Gists [Nathaniel Gist BLWt1874-500] detachment of the Virginia line has served the full time for which he was inlisted & is hereby discharged the service, that he has rec'd his pay in Continental currency up to the last day of Nov'r 1779 since which he has only rec'd Two Dollars in Specie of the D. C. Gen'l. [Deputy Commissary General] of prisoners at Charles Town [Charleston SC, surrendered 12 May 1780] Given under my and at Williamsburg the 28th day of July 1781.

Signed Thos. Fox Lt Com'd detached [Thomas Fox BLWt765-300]
D Stephenson Maj'r [David Stephenson BLWt2057-400]
[undeciphered] Virg'a line

The original of the above discharge lodged with the auditor
April 18th 1783 B Stark/ Boush

I do hereby Certifie that Henry Rains and James Rains [S32600] were enlisted as soldiers to serve in Colo Wm Graysons [William Grayson BLWt1366-500] Regim't of Continental Troops some time in August 1777, that they continued in the service of the United States untill the 28th of July 1781, when they were discharged by David Stephenson Major in the Virg'a line and that the said Henry Rains and James Rains were at the time of their enlistments & still are Citizens of the state of Virginia. Certified under my hand this 19th day of April 1783.

Leven Powell, Late Lt Colo
of said Reg't



Sir, Please to deliver the bearer hereof a Certificate for the land that I am intitled to for services in the American Army. Witness my and this 26th day of April 1783.

