

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements and Rosters

Virginia documents pertaining to Henry Speakman VAS4601
Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris.

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

I do hereby certify that Henry Speakman of the county of Northampton, enlisted a soldier in the ninth Virginia regiment, the latter part of the year 1775, or the fore part of the year 1776; that he was esteemed a good soldier, and that he was killed in the battle of Brandywine the 11th of September 1777.

Jno Cropper [John Cropper W3781] formerly Lt Col
Comm'dt of the 11th Virginia Regiment
of Regulars on Continental Establishment

A black and white image of a handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read "John Cropper". The signature is somewhat faded and has some ink bleed-through or smudges.

I was a Captain of the ninth Regiment during the year 1776, which afforded me the opportunity of knowing the said Henry Speakman very well
Virginia, Northampton County 17 May 1816

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