

IRELAND, WILLIAM (ca. 1742–?). BORN: ca. 1742 in Calvert County. NATIVE: at least fourth generation. RESIDED: in Calvert County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: William Ireland (ca. 1714–1775), clerk of Calvert County, 1749–1775. BROTHERS: Joseph; Gilbert (?–1784), who married Eleanor. She later married Rezin Estep. SISTER: Margaret. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: probably literate. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Calvert County, 1783. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Calvert County, 1773–1787 (declined to serve); subscription officer, Continental Loan Office, Calvert County, appointed 1779; justice, Orphans' Court, Calvert County, commissioned 1781; judge, Court of Appeals for Tax Assessment, Calvert County, appointed 1786. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: assessed value £993.15.0, including 29 slaves and 27 oz. plate, 1783. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 615 acres in Calvert County, including a water mill (probably inherited 295 acres from father, bought 320 acres). WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: date and place unknown. Ireland was living in Calvert County in 1787.

JACKSON, GEORGE (1758–1798). BORN: in 1758, probably in Kent County; eldest son. NATIVE: probably, if so at least second generation. RESIDED: Upper District, Queen Anne's County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: probably Benjamin Jackson (?–1774), of Kent County. MOTHER: Mary (?–1784), of Kent County. BROTHER: William, a cabinetmaker of Queen Anne's County. HALF BROTHER: Thomas Murphy, of Queen Anne's County. HALF SISTER: Elizabeth Taylor. MARRIED by 1791 Ann (?–ca. 1797), daughter of *Isaac Perkins* (1743–1791). Her brothers or half brothers were Ebenezer (1767–?); William. Her sisters or half sisters were Araminta (1765–by 1798), who married *Josiah Johnson* (?–1804); Sarah; and Mary (ca. 1781–?). CHILDREN. SON: Isaac (ca. 1796–1832), who married Sarah Elizabeth (last name unknown). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1784. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: mentioned as storekeeper in 1784; merchant by 1783 to his death. Jackson's will specifically mentions his partnership with George Vansant Mann, and the companies of Mann & Jackson and George Jackson & Co. In 1780–1781 warrants were issued for the arrest of both Jackson and Mann, who were accused of selling grain to the British. George Jackson was acquitted of the charges, but

George Vansant Mann was sent to prison in Baltimore. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Queen Anne's County, 1785, 1786–1787 (Claims 1), 1787–1788 (Claims 1). LOCAL OFFICES: trustee of the poor, Queen Anne's County, 1788; commissioner to build courthouse and jail, Queen Anne's County, 1788; justice, Queen Anne's County, 1789 to at least 1794. STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES: in his will he specified that two slaves be freed when they reached the ages of 25 and 28 respectively. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: 4 slaves, 1790. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: ca. 200 acres in Queen Anne's and Kent counties (owned 3 acres in Queen Anne's County, 1783; purchased unspecified amount of land at the head of the Chester River and possibly lots in Sandtown, Queen Anne's County, 1784; inherited 190 acres of land in Kent County from his mother, 1784). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: purchased unspecified amount of land in Queen Anne's County, 1789. Sold 2 lots in Sandtown, Queen Anne's County, 1795. Probably inherited a plantation in Kent County, Delaware, from his father-in-law, 1794. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: by November 9, 1798, in Kent County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, \$2,439.86 (including 9 slaves and a parcel of books); FB, \$113.69. LAND: at least 200 acres in Queen Anne's and Kent counties, and a plantation in Kent County, Delaware.

JACKSON, HENRY (?–1794). BORN: in England. IMMIGRATED: by 1771 from Workington, England. RESIDED: probably at "Beckford," on the eastern shore of the Manokin River across from Princess Anne Town, Princess Anne Hundred, Somerset County, 1771–1793; "Workington," on Back Creek, Somerset County, 1793–1794. FAMILY BACKGROUND. BROTHER: Robert. NEPHEW: John Jackson. MARRIED by 1779 Elizabeth (1745–?), daughter of Capt. Samuel Wilson (?–1750) and wife Martha Woolford. Elizabeth was the niece of *David Wilson* (1704–1750). Her brothers were *Levin Wilson* (1735–1791); Thomas Wilson (1737–ca. 1766); George Wilson (1739–1779); and Samuel Wilson (1747–?). Her cousin was *Samuel Wilson* (1735–1790). CHILDREN. SONS: George Wilson; Robert. DAUGHTERS: Eleanor (Elinor) Wilson, who married John Dennis (1771–1806), son of *Littleton Dennis* (ca. 1728–1774); Ann Wilson, who married Arnold Elzey Jones (1785–1839) of "Elmwood" on the Manokin, Somerset County; and Leah, who married Levin