

George Drew; Naomi, who married in 1726 William Ghiselin; and Susanna, who married in 1742 Samuel Johnson. Her first cousins were Catherine Griffith (1732–1793), who married *Nicholas Worthington* (1734–1793); Ann Baldwin (?–1776), who married *Samuel Chase* (1741–1811); and Hester Baldwin (?–1823), who married *Jeremiah Townly Chase* (1748–1828). **CHILDREN.** SONS: James Maxwell (1737/38–?); John (1741–?); Roger (1753–?); Aquila (1756–?); John (1757–?); Bennett (1761–?); Carvile (ca. 1769–?); and Josias (Joseph). **DAUGHTERS:** Cassandra (1739–died in infancy); Cassandra (1740–?); Rebecca (1742–?); Mary (1749–?); Hannah (1751–?); Milcah (1759–?); Naomi (ca. 1763–?); and Frances (ca. 1765–?). **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican, St. George's Parish, Baltimore County. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Mr., by 1737; Gent., by 1739; Esq., by death. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Baltimore County, 1751 (elected to the 3rd session of the 1749–1751 Assembly to fill vacancy), 1770 (elected to third session of 1768–1770 Assembly). **LOCAL OFFICES:** churchwarden, St. George's Parish, Baltimore County, elected 1739; St. George's Parish Vestry, Baltimore County, elected 1744, 1750 (declined), 1754, 1757, 1774 (declined because of "infirmities"); justice, Baltimore County, 1749/50–1753, 1757–1759, 1761–at least 1763 (no records for 1764), 1765, by 1767–1769, 1772, Harford County, 1774, appointed 1777; judge, Court of Appeals for Tax Assessments, Harford County, appointed 1778 ("never acted," replaced 1779). **MILITARY SERVICE:** captain by 1748. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** 16 slaves and 1 servant, 1776; assessed value £797.10.0, including 11 slaves and 12 oz. plate, 1783. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 585 acres in Baltimore County (ca. 563 acres received as a gift from his father in 1726, 22 acres probably inherited from his father in 1740), plus control of 553 acres in Baltimore County acquired through his first marriage but given to his son James after the death of first wife (all of this land became part of Harford County in 1774). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** acquired ca. 80 acres in Harford County, formerly part of his father's estate, by 1783; had accepted bonds for the conveyance of unspecified amounts of land in 1769 and 1775, but the transactions were not made by the time of his death. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** will probated on December 3, 1783, in Harford County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:**

TEV, at least ca. £1,300.0.0 current money (including 13 slaves, 15 oz. plate). **LAND:** ca. 670 acres in Harford County.

MATTHEWS (MATHEWS), ROGER (ca. 1685–1740). **BORN:** ca. 1685, in Baltimore County; only son. **NATIVE:** second generation. **RESIDED:** near Rumly Creek, St. George's Parish, Baltimore County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** Rodger Matthews (ca. 1651–1709) of Baltimore County, a planter, who was transported ca. 1676; illiterate. **MOTHER:** Hannah (?–1706/07). **SISTERS:** Hannah, who married in 1698 Thomas Cord (?–1721); Sara, who married in 1698 Samuel Jackson (?–1720). **MARRIED** first, on November 14, 1710, Mary Carvile (?–1718), possibly the daughter of Thomas Carvile (?–1717) and his second wife Susanna Ayres (Eyers). Her half brother was possibly *John Carvile* (ca. 1670–1709). **MARRIED** second, on May 23, 1726, Elizabeth Garrett (?–ca. 1748/49), possibly the daughter of Richard Garrett (?–1709) and his wife Elizabeth. Her brother was possibly Bennett (?–1740). Her nephew was possibly *Amos Garrett* (1723–ca. 1789). **CHILDREN.** SONS: *John Matthews* (1714–1783); Roger (1718–?); James (1727–1760); Aquila (ca. 1733–1742); Levin (1736–?), who married first, in 1761, Mary Hewlings (?–1763), and second, in 1764, Mary Day; and Bennett (ca. 1739–?). **DAUGHTERS:** Hannah (1711–1782), who married first, Asael Maxwell (?–1729), son of *James Maxwell* (1662–1727/28), second, Dr. Abraham Johns (?–ca. 1731), and third, in 1734, *John Hall* (1701–1774); Amelia (Emolia) (1729–?), who married Charles Hynson; and Ann (1731–?), who married in 1754 Maj. William Dallam (ca. 1706–1761). **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican, St. George's Parish, Baltimore County. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Gent., by 1717. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Baltimore County, 1720–1721/22 (elected to the 3rd session of the 1719–1721/22 Assembly to fill vacancy), 1725/26–1727 (elected to the 2nd session of the 1725–1727 Assembly to fill vacancy; Elections 4), 1728–1731 (Aggrievances 1–5), 1732–1734 (Aggrievances 1–Cv), 1734/35–1737 (Aggrievances 1, Cv, 2–4); 1738 (Aggrievances), 1739–1740 (Aggrievances Cv–2; died before the 3rd session of the 1739–1741 Assembly). **LOCAL OFFICES:** justice, Baltimore County, by 1717–1733 (quorum 1727–1733); justice, Court of Oyer and Terminer, Baltimore County, in office 1718, 1722; coroner, Baltimore County, appointed by 1721/