

mitted at age 25; pledged funds to help defray the expenses of the American army during the campaign of 1781. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY:** assessed value £400.18.4, including 6 slaves and 7 oz. plate, 1783; 3 slaves, 1790. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** unknown; had sold 96 acres in Cecil County, which he had inherited from his father, in 1774. **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** patented 452 acres in Cecil County, 1787–1796 (including 391 acres of confiscated British property patented in 1787); purchased a tract of unspecified acreage, 1808, and 2 lots in Elkton, 1794–1802; obtained 691 acres in Cecil County in exchange for debts owed to him, 1806 and 1807; sold at least 738 acres in Cecil County, 1800–1809; acquired 4 lots in Charlestown, Cecil County, by 1813. **WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED:** between September 13, 1813, and January 7, 1814; will probated in Cecil County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** size of estate unknown. **LAND:** 4 town lots in Charlestown, Cecil County, and 1 lot in Elkton mentioned in his will; possibly ca. 445 additional acres in Cecil County.

SMITH, HENRY (ca. 1634–by 1703). **BORN:** ca. 1634, probably in England. **IMMIGRATED:** in 1669, as a free adult from Accomack County, Virginia, where he had settled by 1666. **RESIDED:** on the Manokin River, Somerset County. **MARRIED** first, by February 1668/69, Joanna. **MARRIED** second, Anna. **CHILDREN. SONS:** Henry; William (1676–?); and John (1680–?). **DAUGHTER:** Tomasen (1682–?). **PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** noted in Virginia for his cruel treatment of servants; wife Joanna petitioned for separation because of Smith's unsavory conduct, 1668/69; Mr., by 1671; found not guilty of the murder of Henry Hardy, but called "man of ill fame and Behavior," 1686. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** merchant during 1670s, involved in trade with New England; attorney, admitted to Somerset County Court, 1672; described as "chirurgion," 1678; contracted to build Somerset County courthouse in 1680s; owned ship *Henry and Anne*, 1690. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Somerset County, 1681–1682 (elected to the 3rd session of the 1676–1682 Assembly), 1682–1684 (Accounts 1–3; Elections 2; Laws 3). **LOCAL OFFICES:** justice, Somerset County, 1669/70–1672 (quorum; dismissed at his own request), 1679/80–1684 (quorum); justice, Worcester County, 1672 (quorum). **MILITARY SERVICE:** captain, by 1682–

1689. **STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES:** signed petition supporting Protestant Associators in November 1689, but had been removed from his militia rank by the new government in September 1689. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** ca. 3,000 acres acquired by patent (1,500 acres now in Kent County, Delaware, 800 acres now in Worcester County, ca. 700 acres in Somerset County). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** patented an additional 3,550 acres (800 acres now Worcester County, 500 acres now Sussex County, Delaware, and 2,250 acres in Somerset County). **WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED:** by October 28, 1703, in Somerset County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** partial inventory totaled £39.8.6; FB. estate overpaid £2.3.11. **LAND:** ca. 6,550 acres in Somerset County. **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:** Smith apparently was in considerable financial difficulty at the time of his death; an act of Assembly in 1704 authorized the sale of his land to help meet debts. The sale raised £225.8.8.

SMITH, HENRY (?–ca. 1712/13). **IMMIGRATED:** by 1672, as a free adult with wife. **RESIDED:** in St. Mary's County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND. OTHER KINSHIP:** probably related to John Smith (?–1677) of St. Mary's County, who patented in 1670 "Smith's Purchase," a tract later owned by Henry Smith. **MARRIED** first, Sarah. **MARRIED** second, Ann. **CHILDREN. DAUGHTERS:** Sarah, who married in 1694 Isaac Paine; Mary, who married Thomas Griffin. **PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, St. Mary's County, 1697 (elected to the 8th session of the 1694–1697 Assembly). **LOCAL OFFICE:** justice, St. Mary's County, 1694. **MILITARY SERVICE:** captain, by 1698. **STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES:** In 1698 *Philip Clarke* (?–1699) testified that Smith "was dissatisfied and disaffected" with the revolution of 1689 and that some Papists had helped to elect him. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND:** ca. 200 acres. **WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED:** will probated on February 7, 1712/13, in St. Mary's County. **LAND:** ca. 200 acres.

SMITH, JAMES (identity questionable). **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Frederick County, 1765–1766; Conventions, Frederick County, 2nd, 1774, 4th, 1775 (elected, but did not attend). **IDENTIFICATION PROBLEMS.** There were at least two men named James Smith who were of age and eligible to serve in the leg-