

by personal acquisition). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** purchased 32 and one-half acres in Baltimore County in 1777, but gave that plus the lot in Fell's Point and part of his lot in Baltimore Town to his son Samuel in 1779; gave parts of his lot in Baltimore Town to two sons-in-law, 1780–1781; acquired 333 acres in Baltimore County, by 1783; acquired 82 acres in Baltimore County, and probably speculated in leased lots in Baltimore Town, 1781–1794; conveyed to four of his children ca. 400 feet of Smith's Wharf, Baltimore Town, and gave 82 acres in Baltimore County to his son Samuel, 1792. **WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED:** on June 9, 1794, probably in Baltimore Town. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** size of estate unknown. **LAND:** part of 1 lot in Baltimore Town with a dwelling, lots adjoining Baltimore Town, 333 acres in Baltimore County, and land in Pennsylvania and Virginia.

SMITH, NICHOLAS (?–1770). **BORN:** of age by 1724. **IMMIGRATED/NATIVE:** unknown. **RESIDED:** his dwelling plantation was comprised of portions of three tracts (“Vienna,” “Reserve,” and “Tanfield More”), Kent County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND. BROTHER:** William. **MARRIED** first, by 1738, Rebecca, daughter of John Wyatt. **MARRIED** second, on April 14, 1749, Ann, daughter of Joseph Mann. **CHILDREN. SONS:** Nicholas (?–1762), who married Mary; Jonathan (John), who was of age by 1758; Oliver (by 1749–?); Lambert (by 1749–?); and William (1757–?). **DAUGHTERS:** Elizabeth (by 1749–?), who married (first name unknown) Stoops; Rebecca (by 1749–?), who married (first name unknown) Burgis; Isabella (1750–?); and Hannah (1753–?), who married (first name unknown) Blackiston. **PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican, Shrewsbury Parish, Kent County. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Mr., by 1749; Gent., by 1751. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Kent County, 1749–1751. **LOCAL OFFICES:** tobacco inspector, Kent County, 1748; Shrewsbury Parish Vestry, Kent County, 1752–1756; justice, Kent County, 1754–1764 (quorum, 1756–1764); justice, Court of Oyer, Terminer, and Gaol Delivery, Kent County, commissioned May 4, 1761. **STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES:** donated a parcel of land for the new Kent County school, 1763. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 367 acres in Kent County (by purchase and patent). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN**

LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: purchased 850 acres in Kent County between 1753 and 1769; sold 97 acres, 1756–1757, and conveyed 396 acres as a gift to his sons Nicholas and John in 1758 and 1764. **WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED:** will probated on December 24, 1770, in Kent County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, £909.14.9 current money (including 19 slaves and plate). **LAND:** 724 acres in Kent County.

SMITH, PATRICK SIM (1749–ca. 1793). **BORN:** in 1749, probably in Calvert County. **NATIVE:** fifth generation; probably eldest son. **RESIDED:** in Calvert County; moved to Frederick, Frederick County, by April 1784; lived at “Hawkins Merry Peep-a-Day” in Frederick County, probably by 1788. **FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER:** Capt. Clement Smith (1718–1792), deputy commissary and sheriff of Calvert County. **MOTHER:** Barbara, daughter of Dr. Patrick Sim (?–1740) of Prince George's County and wife Mary. **UNCLE:** *Joseph Sim* (?–1793). **BROTHERS:** Dr. Walter (?–1796) of Georgetown, who married Esther Belt; Richard, who married Mary Peter; Lt. Col. Alexander Lawson (1754–1802) of Harford County, who married Martha Griffin; Clement (1756–183?), a physician of Prince George's County; Joseph Sim (?–1822), a physician of Frederick, who married Elizabeth, daughter of *Thomas Price* (1732–1795); and John Addison, a sea captain. **SISTERS:** Mary Sim, who married Henry Huntt of Calvert County; Susanna (?–1824), who never married; and Rachel (?–1824), who never married. **FIRST COUSINS:** *Thomas Sim Lee* (1745–1819); *Benjamin Harrison* (ca. 1754–1825). **OTHER KINSHIP:** great-grandfathers, *Walter Smith* (?–1711) and *Thomas Brooke* (ca. 1659–1730/31). **MARRIED** on December 1, 1768, Anne Trueman, daughter of James Trueman Greenfield and wife Elizabeth. Anne was the granddaughter of *Thomas Trueman Greenfield* (1682–1733). She was the niece of Marianne Greenfield, who by 1728 married *John Stoddert* (?–1767). Her first cousin was *John Trueman Stoddert* (1732–1765). **CHILDREN. SONS:** Walter; James; and Patrick. **DAUGHTERS:** Christiana, who married Anthony Sim; Catherine; Ann; Barbara; Mary; Susanna; and Harriet. Seven of his ten children were under 21 years of age in 1794. **PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION:** literate. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Esq., by 1780. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** merchant by 1785, in partnership with Joseph Sim of Frederick Town. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Conventions, Calvert County, 6th–8th, 1775–1776; Lower