

folk County, 1645–1646; captain, 1651. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: last mentioned in the records in 1654 as a landowner in Lower Norfolk County. **IDENTIFICATION PROBLEMS.** The assumption was made that Edward Windham was a Virginia resident because he was appointed to the Council by Richard Bennett and William Claiborne and because there is no record of his ever having lived in Maryland. Given this assumption, Edward Windham (1616–?) was identified as the councillor because he was the only man with that name who was living in Virginia in 1652.

WINTOUR (WINTER), ROBERT (?–1638). BORN: in England, probably fourth son. IMMIGRATED: in 1637, as a free adult. RESIDED: in St. George's Hundred, St. Mary's County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** FATHER: probably Sir Edward Winter of Sydney, Gloucestershire, England; member of Parliament for Gloucestershire in 1589, 1601. MOTHER: probably Lady Anne Winter, daughter of Edward Somerset, Earl of Worcester. AUNT: probably Blanche Somerset, who married Thomas Arundell, brother-in-law of *Cecilius Calvert, 2nd Lord Baltimore* (1605–1675). BROTHERS: probably Sir John Winter, secretary to Queen Henrietta Maria; probably Edward and Frederick Wintour, both of whom were engaged in the first expedition to Maryland. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate, well educated. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Catholic. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: helped twenty-eight Benedictine nuns to become established in Brussels, 1632/33; authored "A Short Treatise . . . concerning the new plantation now erecting . . . in Maryland," 1635; arrived with five servants in 1637; Esq., on arrival. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: pursued career at sea in the early 1630s; employed by or associated with Lord Baltimore, by October 1633. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Assembly, special writ, 1637/38 (Laws). OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICE: Council, 1637/38–1638. LOCAL OFFICE: justice, St. Mary's County, 1638. MILITARY SERVICE: captain, 1637/38. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: by September 4, 1638. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, at least 12,577 pounds of tobacco (including 7 servants and 40 beaver skins).

WITHERS (VITHERS), SAMUEL (?–1671). IMMIGRATED: by 1653, as a free adult, possibly from Virginia. RESIDED: in Anne Arundel County. MARRIED Elizabeth (?–ca. 1671/72), daughter of *William Durand* (?–1672) and wife Alice. CHILDREN. SON: Samuel, Jr. (?–1697), sheriff of Talbot

County, 1689–1693. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Quaker. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Gent., by death; acquired 200 acres in 1652 or 1653, immediately upon arrival. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter; some mercantile activity. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Parliamentary Commission, 1656/57–1657/58; Lower House, Anne Arundel County, 1669 (Aggrievances). OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICE: justice, Provincial Court, 1656/57–1657/58. LOCAL OFFICE: justice, Anne Arundel County, 1658, 1661–1668 (quorum, 1661–1668). **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: over 1,300 acres in Anne Arundel, Talbot, and Cecil counties. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: will probated on June 2, 1671, in Anne Arundel County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, at least 79,158 pounds of tobacco (including 9 servants). LAND: over 1,300 acres in Anne Arundel, Talbot, and Cecil counties.

WOLSTENHOLME, DANIEL (?–1795). BORN: probably in England. IMMIGRATED: probably by 1750, from England. RESIDED: in Annapolis, Anne Arundel County, by 1750–ca. 1763; Lower St. Mary's Hundred, St. Mary's County, ca. 1763–1795. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** OTHER KINSHIP: in his will Wolstenholme named as a relation Mrs. Judith Hutchinson of Manchester, England. MARRIED after 1763 Deborah (?–1807). In her will Deborah Wolstenholme stated that her brothers were John Green of Annapolis and Edward Baldwin. Her sister was Mary. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, St. Anne's Parish, Anne Arundel County; in his will Wolstenholme directed that money be given to the rector and vestrymen of William and Mary Parish, St. Mary's County, to be used for the repair of the church. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1757. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: merchant; factor for Hanbury and Co., London merchants, probably by 1750–1775; kept store in Annapolis, by 1750–1762; planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, St. Mary's County, 1765–1766 (Grievances 2; Public Offices 3), 1768–1770 (Grievances 1). OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICES: supply agent, appointed under the act of 1756; appointed by Governor Sharpe to treat with the Cherokee Indians at Ft. Frederick, 1757; collector of North Potomac, 1760–1775. LOCAL OFFICES: churchwarden, St. Anne's Parish, Anne Arundel County, 1754–1755; clerk, St. Mary's County, gave bond 1770. STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES: a Loyalist, Wolsten-