

3. John Leeds of Talbot County (Prot.), entered office 7 March 1754 (Ibid., b. 816, r. 1061); served to end of colonial period (Md. Hist. Mag., XXVII, 239); died in 1790.

d. Riding Surveyors.

1) Riding Surveyor of Bohemia and Sassafras.

1. Daniel Pearce of Cecil County (Prot.), com. by Governor, 5 March 1695/6 (AM, XI, 389); commission vacated, 30 Dec. 1697 (AM, XXIII, 356).

2. William Wyvill of Cecil County (Prot.), com. by Edward Randolph, 24 Dec. 1697 (AM, XXIII, 356); died 5 Aug. 1702.

3. William Dyer of ---- County (Prot.), com. by Pres. Tench, 12 Oct. 1702 (AM, XKV, 130); transferred to office of Surveyor and Searcher of Delaware Bay, 10 May 1704 (Audit Office, b. 779, r. 943).

4. Capt. Thomas Seymour (Prot., brother of Gov. John Seymour), succeeded Dyer, 10 May 1704; transferred to Collectorship of North Potomac at Christmas, 1705 (Ibid., b. 778, r. 940; b. 779, r. 946).

5. Thomas Wood of Cecil County (Prot.), succeeded Seymour at Christmas, 1705 (Ibid., b. 779, r. 946).

6. Stephen Knight of Cecil County (Prot.), entered office 15 March 1706/7 (Ibid., b. 780, r. 949); resigned in December, 1743; died in 1744/5.

7. Col. Benjamin Tasker, Jr. of Annapolis (Prot.), succeeded Knight at Christmas, 1743 (Ibid., b. 810, r. 1049, 1050); died 17 Oct. 1760.