

by 1803); and Ann Elizabeth (1781-?). **PRIVATE CAREER.** **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Gent., 1786. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Prince George's County, 1758-1761 (Bills of Credit 1, Cv 2, 2, Cv 3), 1762-1763 (Bills of Credit 1, 2; Grievances 2), 1765-1766 (Bills of Credit 2, 4; Public Offices 3), 1768-1770 (Claims 1, 2, 4; Public Offices 2; Grievances 4), 1771 (Claims; Grievances), 1773-1774 (Claims 1, Cv, 2; Laws to Expire 1, Cv, 2; Grievances 1, Cv, 2, 3); Conventions, Prince George's County, 2nd, 1774, 4th, 1775 (elected, but did not attend), 5th, 1775, 6th-8th, 1775-1776 (Manufactories 8th); Lower House, Prince George's County, 1778-1779 (Laws to Expire 2; Tax Commissioners 3), 1779-1780 (speaker 1-3), 1781-1782 (elected, but did not attend; resigned during the 2nd session). **LOCAL OFFICES:** trustee, Charlotte Hall, appointed 1774. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** paid taxes on at least £100, 1756; paid taxes on at least £300, 1757; 21 slaves, 1776; assessed value £1,076.7.5, including 42 slaves and 107 oz. plate, 1793-1794; assessed value £1,266.1.8, including 49 slaves and 107 oz. plate, 1802. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 297 acres in Prince George's County (all by purchase). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** he inherited 1,632 acres in Prince George's County plus 1,142 acres in Frederick County from his father and his uncle James Beall between 1768 and 1772. He purchased 266 acres in Prince George's County between 1774 and 1795. He also purchased 311 acres in Charles County, 1788-1792. He sold at least 700 acres, including 100 acres in Frederick County in 1768 and 600 acres in Prince George's County in 1788. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** will probated on March 12, 1803, in Prince George's County. **LAND:** at least 2,721 acres (ca. 1,268 acres in Prince George's County, 1,142 acres in Montgomery County, and 311 acres in Charles County).

BEALL, SAMUEL (ca. 1713-ca. 1778). **BORN:** ca. 1713; eldest son. **NATIVE:** third generation. **RESIDED:** at "Kelly's Purchase," Frederick County (later became part of Washington County). **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** John Beall (?-1742), son of Alexander Beall (?-1744). **MOTHER:** Verlinda (?-1745), daughter of *Samuel Magruder* (1654-1711). **UNCLE:** *John Magruder* (1694-1750). **BROTHERS:** *Josiah Beall* (?-1768); Basil, who married Lucy; John, who married Mary, daughter of Peter Dent; and Clement (?-by 1794), who married Priscilla. **SISTERS:** Sarah (?-by 1779), who

married by 1742 James Offutt; Rebecca, who married her first cousin *Nathan Magruder* (ca. 1718-1786); Lucy; Hannah; and Verlinda. **FIRST COUSINS:** *Nathan Magruder* (ca. 1718-1786); *Zadock Magruder* (1730-1811). **MARRIED** ca. 1734 Eleanor (1718-?), daughter of *Thomas Brooke* (1683-1744); granddaughter of both *Thomas Brooke* (ca. 1659-1730/31) and *Walter Smith* (?-1711); niece of Ann Smith (1694-1759), who married second, *Thomas Trueman Greenfield* (1682-1733), Elinor Smith, who married *Thomas Addison* (1679-1727), Rebecca Smith, who married *Daniel Dulany* (1685-1753), Sarah Brooke (?-1724), who married first, *William Dent* (ca. 1660-1704) and second, *Philip Lee* (ca. 1681-1744), and Priscilla Brooke, who married *Thomas Gantt* (?-1765). Her brothers were Thomas (1706-1749); Walter (1707-1740/41); Nathaniel (1712-?); *Richard Brooke* (1716-1783); Isaac (1722-1756); Daniel (1726-1735); Charles (1727-1727); Robert (1728-1777); and Rev. Clement (1730-1800). Her sisters were Mary (1709-?); Anna (1711-?); Lucy (1714-1718); Rachel (1719-1789); Lucy (1721-?); Rebecca (1722-?); and Elizabeth (1724-1794). Her first cousins were *John Addison* (1713-1764); *Richard Lee* (ca. 1707-1787); *Arthur Lee* (?-1760); *Francis Lee* (?-1749); *Thomas Gantt* (ca. 1710-1785); *Fielder Gantt* (?-1807); *Edward Gantt* (?-by 1783); Ann Addison (1711/12-?), who married *William Murdock* (?-1769); probably Ann Gantt, who married *John Brome* (1703-1748); *Daniel Dulany, Jr.* (1722-1797); *Walter Dulany* (?-1773); Margaret Dulany, who married first, *Alexander Hamilton* (1712-1756), and second, *William Murdock* (?-1769); and Marianne Greenfield, who married *John Stoddert* (?-1767). **CHILDREN.** **SONS:** Samuel; Richard, who married Sarah Brooke; Walter, who married Rebecca Tanyhill; Thomas (1744-1823), who founded Cumberland, Maryland; Brooke (?-1796), who married Margaret Johns; Isaac, who married Margery White; Daniel, who married Martha Peyton; Basil, who married Ariana Beall; and Jeremiah (?-by 1777). **DAUGHTERS:** Verlinda, who married William Dent; Amelia (ca. 1747-after 1809), who married Thaddeus Beall (ca. 1745-1808), son of *Josiah Beall* (?-1768); Eleanor; Ann; Rebecca; and Frances. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** planter, 1755; steward of Conegocheaque Manor, 1762; ironmaster, 1765. On October 31, 1765 an agreement was executed among Beall and his three partners, *Joseph Chapline* (1707-ca. 1769), David Ross, and Richard Henderson, of Prince George's County, for the purpose of purchasing land in Frederick County,