

EWES: *Joseph Ennalls* (ca. 1745–1779); *William Ennalls* (?–1785); *John Ennalls* (by 1746–ca. 1778); *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); and *Robert Goldsborough* (1733–1788). **NIECES:** Elinor Ennalls (ca. 1738–1793), who married *Joseph Daffin* (?–1796); Elizabeth Greenberry Goldsborough (ca. 1731–1820), who married *William Ennalls* (?–1785). **MARRIED** by 1720 Anne. **CHILDREN.** **DAUGHTERS:** Mary, who married *Ennalls Hooper* (?–ca. 1763); Ann (ca. 1729–by 1790), who married *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); and Betty, who married John Hicks. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Gent., by 1718. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** merchant, by 1717; yeoman, by 1717. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Dorchester County, 1728–1731 (discharged during the 1st session for “undue election”; reelected to the 2nd session and seated). **MILITARY SERVICE:** lieutenant colonel, by 1725; colonel, by 1728. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 7,980 acres in Dorchester County (3,037 acres inherited from his uncle; 1,109 acres inherited from his father, but sold to his brothers before first election; at least 4,674 acres by purchase or patent). **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:** In 1718 William exchanged 600 acres of the lands in Dorchester County he had inherited from his father for 300 acres that his brother *Bartholomew Ennalls* (ca. 1700–1783) owned in the same county. This transaction is reflected in the total acreage he owned at first election. Ennalls and *John Rider* (1686–1739/40) claimed land which by treaty had been granted to the Nanticoke Indians. In 1723 the Lower House noted that Ennalls and Rider had molested the Indians and had not permitted them to cultivate any part of the disputed land. No further reference was found to Ennalls’s claim, although Rider’s was successfully resolved in favor of his heirs, who ultimately received 1,664 acres in Dorchester County. **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** purchased at least 1,485 acres in Dorchester and Kent counties between 1728 and 1731. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** between October 7 and December 5, 1731, in Dorchester County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, £2,989.15.7 current money (including 47 slaves, 1 servant, books, several articles of gold and silver plate valued at £159.11.0, and fifteen-sixteenths of the brigantine *Mary Anne*); plus 7,275 pounds of pork, 24,418 pounds of tobacco, 1,000 shingles, and 32 barrels of corn, as calculated; FB, £2,740.17.7 current money, plus 7,275 pounds of pork, 21,194 pounds of tobacco, 1,000 shingles,

and 24 barrels of corn. **LAND:** 9,618 acres in Dorchester and Kent counties.

ENNALLS, WILLIAM (?–1785). **BORN:** in Dorchester County, of age by 1749; elder son. **NATIVE:** fourth generation. **RESIDED:** in Dorchester County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** Col. Joseph Ennalls (1702–1759), son of *Joseph Ennalls* (?–1709). **MOTHER:** Mary. **UNCLES:** *Bartholomew Ennalls* (ca. 1700–1783); *William Ennalls* (?–1731). **AUNTS:** Elizabeth Ennalls (?–by 1739), who married *Charles Goldsborough* (1707–1767); Mary Ennalls, who married *Henry Hooper* (ca. 1687–1767). **BROTHER:** *John Ennalls* (by 1746–ca. 1778). **SISTERS:** Mary (?–by 1766), who married David Murray; Elinor (ca. 1738–1793), who married *Joseph Daffin* (?–1796); Elizabeth; and Ann (Nancy) (1750–1803), who married Thomas Muse (?–1776), of Virginia. **FIRST COUSINS:** *Joseph Ennalls* (ca. 1745–1779); *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); *Robert Goldsborough* (1733–1788); Mary Ennalls, who married *Ennalls Hooper* (?–ca. 1763); and Ann Ennalls (ca. 1729–by 1790), who married *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790). **MARRIED** by 1761 his first cousin Elizabeth (Betty) Greenberry (ca. 1731–1820), daughter of *Charles Goldsborough* (1707–1767) and wife Elizabeth Ennalls (?–by 1739); stepdaughter of Elizabeth Dickinson (1723–?); granddaughter of both *Robert Goldsborough* (1660–1746) and *Joseph Ennalls* (?–1709); niece of *William Goldsborough* (1709–1760), *John Goldsborough* (1711–1778), *William Ennalls* (?–1731), *Bartholomew Ennalls* (ca. 1700–1783), and Mary Ennalls, who married *Henry Hooper* (ca. 1687–1767). Her brother was *Robert Goldsborough* (1733–1788). Her first cousins were Elizabeth Goldsborough (ca. 1735–ca. 1786), who married second, *Benson Stainton* (?–ca. 1781); Mary Goldsborough (1755–1796), who married first, *Benedict Brice* (1749–1786); *Robert Goldsborough IV* (1740–1798); *Howes Goldsborough* (1747–1797); *William Goldsborough* (1750/51–1801); Mary Ennalls, who married *Ennalls Hooper* (?–ca. 1763); Ann Ennalls (ca. 1729–by 1790), who married *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); *Joseph Ennalls* (ca. 1745–1779); *John Ennalls* (by 1746–ca. 1778); *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); and Elinor Ennalls (ca. 1738–1793), who married *Joseph Daffin* (?–1796). Her nieces were Rebecca Goldsborough (ca. 1757–?), who married *Howes Goldsborough* (1747–1797); Sarah Goldsborough (ca. 1758–by 1832), who married *Henry Ennalls* (?–ca. 1803). **CHILDREN.** Probably died without progeny. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant. **SOCIAL STATUS AND**