

teers during the American Revolution. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Conventions, Charles County, 1st, 1774 (appointed, but did not attend), 2nd, 1774, 4th, 1775, 5th, 1775, 6th–8th, 1775–1776 (Claims 6th; Claims 7th; Claims 8th), 9th, 1776 (Claims). LOCAL OFFICE: deputy surveyor, Charles County, appointed 1766; Committee of Observation, Charles County, elected 1774. MILITARY SERVICE: lieutenant colonel, Twelfth Battalion, 1776; colonel, by 1781. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: ca. 556 acres in Charles County. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: on March 16, 1809, in Alexandria, Virginia; size of estate unknown.

HOOPER, ENNALLS (?–ca. 1763). BORN: probably of age by 1735. RESIDED: in Dorchester County; Virginia, 1753; apparently returned to Dorchester County sometime in the 1750s. MARRIED by 1739 Mary, daughter of *William Ennalls* (?–1731); ward and niece of Maj. Joseph Ennalls (1702–1759); granddaughter of *Joseph Ennalls* (?–1709); niece of *Bartholomew Ennalls* (ca. 1700–1783), Elizabeth Ennalls (?–by 1739), who married *Charles Goldsborough* (1707–1767), and Mary Ennalls, who married *Henry Hooper* (ca. 1687–1767). Her sisters were Anne (ca. 1729–by 1790), who married *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); Betty. Her first cousins were *Joseph Ennalls* (ca. 1745–1779); *William Ennalls* (?–1785); *John Ennalls* (by 1746–ca. 1778); *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790); *Robert Goldsborough* (1733–1788); Elinor Ennalls (ca. 1738–1793), who married *Joseph Daffin* (?–1796); and Elizabeth Greenbery Goldsborough (ca. 1731–1820), who married *William Ennalls* (?–1785). Her nephew was *William Ennalls Hooper* (?–1795). CHILDREN. SONS: Henry (?–1771); James. DAUGHTERS: Ann; Mary. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, Cambridge Church, Dorchester County. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Gent., by 1744. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: probably a planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Dorchester County, 1751–1752 (resigned and left the province before the 3rd session). LOCAL OFFICES: deputy commissary, Dorchester County, in office 1744–1748, 1750–1751; sheriff, Dorchester County, 1746–1749; justice, Dorchester County, 1749–at least 1751. MILITARY SERVICE: major, by 1746; colonel, by 1751. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** PERSONAL PROPERTY: sold 28 slaves, livestock, and all of his implements of household and husbandry, and other personalty to *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790) and Joseph Ennalls in 1752. They were to dispose

of this property to pay the debts Ennalls Hooper owed to various people amounting to £1,062.16.3 current money, plus 70,800 pounds of tobacco. He sold 3 additional slaves and his interest in a church pew, between 1755 and 1757. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** at least 2,576 acres in Dorchester County (3,660 acres through his marriage, of which 1,184 acres were sold before his first election; 100 acres by patent). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** sold 2,129 acres in Dorchester County between 1753 and 1758; his wife sold 245 acres in Dorchester County, 1762. By 1752, when he gave power of attorney to *Henry Hooper, Jr.* (ca. 1727–1790) and Joseph Ennalls to schedule payment of his debts, he was in financial difficulties. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: by June 1763, possibly in Dorchester County, probably insolvent. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** administration bond was in the amount of £500.0.0 sterling. **LAND:** 202 acres in Dorchester County, all of which he had leased out for his lifetime.

HOOPER, HENRY (ca. 1643–1720). BORN: ca. 1643, probably in England; probably oldest son. IMMIGRATED: in 1651 as a minor with his parents and three siblings. RESIDED: in Calvert County; Dorchester County, by 1667. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** FATHER: Henry Hooper (?–ca. 1676), who was illiterate, accorded the title Mr. on arrival and who served as a justice of Calvert County from 1658 to 1661, and was a captain in 1658. MOTHER: Sarah. BROTHERS: Richard (?–1673); Robert. SISTERS: Elizabeth; Sarah. MARRIED first, in 1669 Elizabeth, daughter of Levin Denwood (ca. 1602–after 1663). Her brothers were Thomas; Luke; and Levin. Her sisters were Sarah, who married *Thomas Hicks* (1659–1722); Mary, who married *Roger Woolford* (?–ca. 1701/2); Susanna; and Rebecca. MARRIED second, Mary, daughter of *Roger Woolford* (?–ca. 1701/2). Her brother was *Roger Woolford* (1670–1730). Her sisters were Sarah (1672–by 1730), who married *Govert Lookerman* (ca. 1681–1728); Elizabeth (1664/65–1739), who married first, *Thomas Ennalls* (?–1718), and second, *William Holland* (?–1732). CHILDREN. SONS: Richard, who married Anne, daughter of William Dorrington; John (?–1754); Roger, who married (first name unknown) Hicks; *Henry Hooper* (ca. 1687–1767), who married Mary, daughter of *Joseph Ennalls* (?–1709); Thomas; and James (1703–1789). DAUGHTERS: Mary (1674–1745), who married *Henry Ennalls* (1675–1734); Priscilla, who married John Stevens; Elizabeth, who married *Matthew Travers* (ca.