SHR BIOGRAPHIES

Sherwood (1697-1735), son of Daniel Sherwood (ca. 1669-1738), STEPFATHER: John Davis (?-1740). MOTHER: Mary (?-1748), daughter of Michael Russell and wife Rebecca; stepdaughter of Perry Benson (1694-1751). HALF BROTHER: William Davis, STEPBROTHER: John Davis, SISTERS: Rebecca, who married James Wrightson; Mary (?-by 1748). STEPSISTERS: Ann Davis; Sybilla Davis; and Susanna Davis, who married John Garey, MARRIED by 1753 Mary (ca. 1732-1810), daughter of Francis Money (?-ca. 1736) of Dorchester County and wife Mary. Her sisters were Elizabeth, who married in 1749 Hugh Spencer (?-1760); and Ann. CHILDREN. At least SON: Hugh Sherwood, of Huntington (ca. 1752-1807). PRI-VATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, St. Michael's Parish, Talbot County. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1769. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Talbot County, 1778 (resigned during the 1st session of the 1778-1779 Assembly). LOCAL OF-FICEs: churchwarden, St. Michael's Parish, Talbot County, 1755-1756; St. Michael's Parish Vestry, Talbot County, elected 1765, 1771, 1777. 1784, term ended 1788; sheriff, Talbot County, 1768-1771; coroner, Talbot County, appointed 1771; justice, Talbot County, 1777-1779; commissioner of the tax, Talbot County, appointed 1777, 1778, 1779, 1781, 1782, January 1783, December 1783, 1785, 1786, 1790, 1792; judge, Court of Appeals for Tax Assessments, Talbot County, appointed 1778; trustee of Alms and Work House, Talbot County, in office 1782; trustee of the poor, Talbot County, appointed 1786; organizer of charity school, Talbot County, 1787. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME, PERSONAL PROPERTY: heir to twothirds of his father's land, which was in the control of John Davis in 1740. The property included the dwelling of Daniel Sherwood (ca. 1669-1738), a brick storehouse, 6 outbuildings (all with rotten roofs), 350 apple trees, and a small farm with a dwelling and tobacco house in poor condition. Thomas's share of the yearly rent on the property was 1,000 pounds of tobacco. Value of personal property assessed at £615.0.0, including 13 slaves and 24 oz. plate, 1783; 15 slaves, 1790. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: probably 947 acres in Talbot and Dorchester counties (525 acres in Talbot County inherited from his parents and paternal grandfather, ca. 222 acres of his mother's land in Talbot County received from his sister Rebecca, and probably 200 acres in Dorchester County acquired through his marriage). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: By 1783 he had given his son, Hugh Sherwood, of Huntington (ca. 1752-1807), the ca. 222 acres of land in Talbot County he had received from his sister Rebecca, and probably sold his wife's 200 acres of land in Dorchester County. Charged with 525 acres in Talbot County, 1783. Purchased ca. 130 acres, including lot 14, all in or near the town of St. Michael's, Talbot County, 1785 and 1791. Acquired 152 acres in Talbot County adjoining his home plantation and resurveyed several tracts into one large tract with a net loss of 60 acres, 1791. Purchased two tracts (possibly ca. 100 acres) in 1792 and 8 acres in 1794, all in Talbot County. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: probably between September 29, 1794, and July 24, 1798. However, Thomas could have been dead by May 7, 1796, when his son sold the two tracts of land purchased by Thomas in 1792. LAND: probably 854 acres in Talbot County.

SHRIVER (SCHREIBER, SCHRIVER, SHRI-GER), DAVID (1735-1826). BORN: in 1735 near Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. IMMIGRATED: ca. 1760 from Conewago, Pennsylvania, RESIDED: in Pipe Creek, Westminster District, Frederick (later became part of Carroll) County. FAMILY BACK-GROUND. FATHER: Andreas Schreiber, son of Andreas Schreiber (?-1723), who immigrated with his parents from the Palatine area of Germany before 1723 and resided near Philadelphia. MOTHER: Ann Maria Keiser, MARRIED by 1762 Rebecca (ca. 1741-1812), daughter of Abraham Ferree (Ferrie) of Pequea, Pennsylvania, and wife Elizabeth Eltinge (?-after 1784) of Esopus, New York. Rebecca was the stepdaughter of John Cerekus of Strousburgh Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. She was the granddaughter of Philip Ferree. Her brothers were Israel; Cornelius. Her sisters were Rachel, who married David Muskimmins; Elizabeth, who married William Miller; and Mary, who married first, (first name unknown) Graff, and second, Griffith Willett. OTHER KIN-SHIP: great-grandmother, Mary Warrinbuer Feree (?-1716) of Conestoga Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. CHILDREN. SONS: Andrew (1762-1847), who resided in York County, Pennsylvania; David (1769-1852), who resided Pipe Creek, Frederick County, and was elected to the Lower House in 1807; Abraham (1771-1848), who married Ann Margaret (last name unknown) (1777-1840); Isaac (1777-1856), who married Anna Mary (last name unknown); and Jacob (1779-1841), who married Anneva (last name