

(Elections 1, 3), 1778–1779 (Grievances 3; Claims 1), 1779 (elected, but did not attend; died before the 2nd session of the 1779–1780 Assembly). LOCAL OFFICES: standard keeper, Cecil County, 1759; justice, Cecil County, 1764—at least 1774 (quorum, 1773—at least 1774); chairman, Committee of Observation, Cecil County, 1776. MILITARY SERVICE: colonel, Bohemia Battalion, Cecil County Militia, elected 1776. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: leased 145 acres (part of Bohemia Manor), Cecil County, 1753; purchased 328 acres in Cecil County, 1765, which he sold in 1768. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: testamentary bond dated January 18, 1780, in Cecil County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £79,186.12.1 current money (including 14 slaves and books); FB, £75,813.16.1. LAND: lease on 145 acres in Cecil County.

VEAZEY, JOHN, III (?–1777). BORN: probably in Cecil County. NATIVE: probably, if so, fourth generation. RESIDED: in Cecil County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: probably *John Veazey, Jr.* (1722–ca. 1780). MOTHER: probably Ann. BROTHERS: probably Edward (?–1776); Samuel; George; Robert; and William. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: lawyer, admitted to the following courts: Baltimore County, August 1765; Queen Anne's County, August 1765; Cecil County, by March 1769; Harford County, August 1774. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: 4th Convention, Cecil County, 1775. LOCAL OFFICES: register of wills, Cecil County, by June–November 1777; justice, Cecil County, 1777; justice, Orphans' Court, Cecil County, 1777. MILITARY SERVICE: captain, Cecil County Militia, by 1776–1777. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: no evidence of land ownership. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: between November 25 and December 24, 1777, in Cecil County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £276.12.11 current money (including law books); FB, £109.16.1.

WADE, JOHN (?–1658). BORN: in England. IMMIGRATED: in 1648, as a free adult. RESIDED: in Newtown Hundred, St. Mary's County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. BROTHER: William, of Cecil, Warwickshire. MARRIED Mary. CHILDREN. SON: Edward. NATURAL SON: John (whose mother was Anne Smith). DAUGHTER: Mary. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Protestant. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Wade's sons, minors at his death, held no known

offices. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: surgeon. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Assembly, Potomac (St. Mary's County), 1654 (elected during the session to fill vacancy). WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: at least 100 acres. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: at sea; will probated on September 4, 1658, in St. Mary's County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: size of estate unknown. LAND: at least 100 acres.

WADE, ZACHARY (ca. 1627–1678). BORN: ca. 1627, probably in England. IMMIGRATED: in 1641, as an indentured servant. RESIDED: in Kent County; St. Mary's County; Charles County, by 1659/60. MARRIED Mary, daughter of Richard Hatton and wife Margaret; stepdaughter of *Richard Banks* (ca. 1612–ca. 1667). Mary was the niece of *Thomas Hatton* (?–1654/55). Her brothers were *William Hatton* (?–1712); Richard, who married by 1674 Ann (1659–?), daughter of *John Price* (ca. 1607–1660/61). Her sisters were Elinor (1642–1725), who married first, *Thomas Brooke* (1632–1676), and second, *Henry Darnall* (ca. 1645–1711); Elizabeth, who married first, *Luke Gardiner* (1622–1674), and second, *Clement Hill* (?–1708); and Barbara, who married *James Johnson* (?–?). CHILDREN. SONS: Richard; Robert (by 1657–1713/14), a justice of Prince George's County, 1697–1705, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Sprigg (1630–1704) of Calvert County. DAUGHTERS: Theodosia, who married *William Stone* (1666–1731); Jane, who married Richard (1659–1710), son of *Joseph Harrison* (ca. 1623–1673); and Marie (1661–?). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: probably Protestant. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: arrived as a servant to Margaret Brent (ca. 1600–1670/71); marriage brought upward mobility. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: servant, 1641; planter; merchant. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Newtown Hundred, St. Mary's County, 1658, Charles County, 1659/60, 1662, 1666. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Charles County, 1660, 1663–1664, 1667–1678 (quorum, 1672–1678); sheriff, Charles County, 1664–1665. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: at least 900 acres. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: will probated on May 25, 1678, in Charles County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, 88,762 pounds of tobacco (including 4 servants and 1 slave); FB, 61,510 pounds of tobacco. LAND: 4,120 acres.

WAGGAMAN, HENRY (?–ca. 1761). BORN: probably in Accomack County, Virginia. IMMI-