

George's County. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant; his wife was Catholic. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** his wife's connections with both the Calverts and the Carrolls undoubtedly assisted his political and officeholding career. Esq., by 1743; Hon., by 1754. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** officeholder; planter; lawyer, admitted to the following courts: Provincial Court, 1732; Prince George's County, June 1733; Charles County, August 1733; Anne Arundel County, November 1734; Court of Chancery, by May 1741. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Upper House, 1745, 1745/46–1748, 1749–1751, 1751–1753 (died before 4th session of the 1751–1754 Assembly). **ADDITIONAL COMMENT:** ordered on May 15, 1744, to hear a complaint against him exhibited to the Committee of Grievances of the Lower House for fee extortion in the office of examiner-general. **OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICES:** justice, Provincial Court, 1735–1754 (quorum 1743–1754); appointed in 1735 to fill the new office of examiner and master in Chancery, resigned ca. November 1744 and the office was then abolished; justice, Assize Court, Eastern Shore, 1736, Western Shore, 1735, 1737, 1738, 1743; examiner general, 1738–1748; commissioner of the Paper Currency Office, 1738–ca. 1746; justice, Court of Admiralty, 1742–1754; appointed by Lord Baltimore as surveyor general of the Eastern Shore, 1745–1747, in appreciation for his resignation from the controversial office of examiner and master in Chancery; Council, 1744/45–1754 (qualified February 26, 1744/45); register, Land Office, 1746–1754. **LOCAL OFFICES:** clerk of Indictments, Prince George's County, March 1735/36, Anne Arundel County, November 1734; justice, Court of Oyer, Terminer, and Gaol Delivery, Anne Arundel County, 1736, 1738/39, Baltimore County, 1738. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: at least 1,800 acres in Prince George's County (through marriage), and possibly an additional 1,851 acres in Charles County that may have been acquired either before or after his first election. **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** patented a 600-acre tract in Prince George's County with George Scott, 1744; purchased lot 47 in Annapolis from *Charles Carroll* (1691–1755), 1746, and resold it immediately to *Nicholas Maccubbin Carroll* (1750/51–1812). **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: on February 8, 1754, of the gout at his seat on the Potomac. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, £708.7.7 sterling, £1,051.4.5 current money, and 17,048 lbs. to-

bacco (including 6 slaves, books valued at £34.9.6, 78 oz. plate, and 4 French plate candlesticks); FB, estate overpaid £119.2.11 sterling, £15.10.6 current money, and 8,162 pounds of tobacco. **LAND:** ca. 4,200 acres in Prince George's and Charles counties.

YOUNG, JACOB (?–1805). BORN: possibly in Prince George's County; of age by 1762. **NATIVE:** possibly; if so at least second generation. **RESIDED:** in Elizabeth Hundred, Frederick County; may have had an alternate residence in Frederick Town, Frederick County. **MARRIED** first, by 1763, Eleanor, daughter of William Beatty. Her sister was Mary, who married John Cary (?–1777), a physician of Frederick Town. Her nephew was *John Dow Cary* (?–?). **MARRIED** second, by 1798, Catherine, daughter of John Karhn of Frederick County and wife Madaline. **CHILDREN.** SONS: Jacob (1761–?), who married by 1789 Francy (last name unknown); Isaac (1763–?); and John, a minor in 1805. **DAUGHTERS:** possibly two, including Mary Ann (?–by 1812), who married *George Scott* (1736–1809). **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Mr., by 1770; Gent., by 1777; Esq., by 1787. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** innholder from 1762 until at least 1770; farmer from 1763. **PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Frederick County, 1777–1778. **LOCAL OFFICES:** justice, Frederick County, 1775–1799 (quorum); chief justice, Frederick County, by at least 1800; Committee of Observation, Frederick County, elected January 24, 1775; commissioner of the tax, Frederick County, 1777; justice, Orphans' Court, Frederick County, 1782–1784; served on a commission established by an act of Assembly that was empowered to levy a tax for grading and paving the streets in Frederick Town, 1786. **MILITARY SERVICE:** captain, Frederick Town, February 21, 1776. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY:** 4 slaves in 1790. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 619 acres in Frederick County (purchased 546 acres and patented 73 acres), plus 575 acres in Frederick County received as a gift and owned jointly with his brother-in-law John Cary. **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** purchased 100 acres in Frederick County in 1777, and a lot in Hamburg, Prince George's County, in 1783; purchased a lot in Frederick Town with his son-in-law *George Scott* (?–1809), 1787; sold 711 acres in Frederick County between 1779 and 1791 and sold his interest in the lot in Frederick Town in 1791; between 1777 and 1790