

13. *Col William Calvert, com. 10 Dec. 1673 and sworn 16 March 1673/4; recom by Charles, the new Lord Proprietary, 5 April 1676 (AM, XV, 31, 74); drowned about 26 May 1682. Under the latter commission he ceased to be Naval Officer; and on 10 June 1676 he was given instead the ordinary license fines and a saddle on attorneys in the Provincial Court (AM, XV, 79).

14. *Maj. Nicholas Sewall of St. Mary's County (Cath., son of Col. Henry Sewall above) and *John Darnall of Anne Arundal County (Cath.), com. and sworn Joint Secretaries, 5 Feb 1682/3 (AM, XVII, 130); Darnall died 14 Dec. 1684.

15. *Maj. Nicholas Sewall remained sole Secretary on Darnall's death.

16. *Maj. Nicholas Sewall and his brother-in-law *Col. William Digges of St. Mary's County (Prot., wife and children Cath.), com. jointly, 12 August and sworn 28 Nov. 1685 (AM, XVII, 433); deprived of office by the Committee of the Protestant Freemen, 1 Aug. 1689. The Secretaryship then fell into abeyance. Digges died in 1697 and Sewall in 1737.

17. Sir Thomas Lawrence of Chelsea, Middlesex, Bart., (Prot.) com by the crown, 5 Sept 1591 and sworn 30 Sept. 1692 (AM, VIII, 289, 366; Prov. Ct Rec, 1. WRC #1, f. 570); suspended from office, 27 March, and imprisoned 8 April 1693; released 22 Sept. 1693 and restored as Secretary on 2 May 1694 (AM, VIII, 499; XIX, 8, 14; XX, 53). Went home to England in October, 1694 appointing Col Thomas Brooke II his deputy; returned to Maryland in Aug 1696; left again for England in May, 1698 and there resigned in favor of his son (AM, XIX, 99; XX, 475; XXIII, 423).