

die without lawful issue, to his elder daughter Louisa in fee, subject to a charge of £20,000 in favor of his younger daughter Caroline. In 1762 the Hon. Louisa Calvert married John Browning of Horton Lodge, Epsom (who died 13 May 1792). By him she had a son and heir, Charles Browning, Esq., of whom more anon.

5. Frederick Calvert, 6th and last Baron Baltimore and 5th Proprietary, b. 6 Feb. 1731/2, d. at Naples 4 Sept. 1771; as guardians he chose Arthur Onslow, Speaker of the House of Commons, and John Sharpe, Esq. However, he was chiefly guided until 1765 by his uncle, the Hon. Cecilius Calvert, his Principal Secretary, and thereafter by Hugh Hamersley, Esq., Calvert's successor. Feeble in body, conceited, frivolous, and dissipated, but withal generous and sympathetic, the last Baltimore gave himself up to a life of pleasure, took little part in the government of his province, and preferred the Continent to England. He sold Woodcote Park and his other estates in Great Britain but determined, despite his father's will, to leave Maryland to a natural son, ~~one~~ Henry Harford. Twice, in 1761 and 1767, he endeavored to dock the entail on his province. He then by will devised it all to Harford subject to the payment of £20,000 between his (Baltimore's) sisters, Louisa Browning and Caroline Eden, should they consent to the will.

6. Henry Harford, Esq., 6th and last Proprietary, b----1760, d. Dec. 1835; chose for guardians Dr. John Moore, Dean of Canterbury, Hugh Hamersley, the Principal Secretary, and his own step-father, Peter Prevost, Esq. He married and had issue, but, with the death of its present representative, Maj. Frederick Reginald Harford of Broadfield, Beaconsfield, Bucks, his family will become extinct. He enjoyed the revenues of Maryland only two or three years.