

?), who married Ann. DAUGHTER: Amelia (ca. 1748-?), who married Gen. Rezin Beall. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Presbyterian; manager of a lottery for the building fund of the Bladensburg Presbyterian Church, Prince George's County, 1790. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Gent., by 1776. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Conventions, Prince George's County, 1st, 1774, 2nd-3rd, 1774, 4th, 1775, 5th, 1775. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Prince George's County, 1751-1759, 1762-1787 (resigned); sheriff, Prince George's County, 1759-1762; justice, Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, Prince George's County, commissioned 1771 and 1772; justice, Orphans' Court, Prince George's County, 1777-at least 1787. MILITARY SERVICE: captain, Prince George's County troops at Fort Frederick and Fort Duquesne, 1756-1758; colonel, Prince George's County Militia, appointed 1775; resigned from Upper Battalion, Prince George's County Militia, 1776. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: 20 slaves, 1776. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: at least 2,048 acres in Prince George's County (inherited from his father and brothers), plus possibly 135 acres in Prince George's County (acquired through his marriage). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: sold 54 acres in Prince George's County in small parcels between 1776 and 1790. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: will probated on February 17, 1796, in Prince George's County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £1,682.10.3 current money (including 14 slaves and more than 12 books); FB, £1,180.1.4 current money. LAND: probably ca. 2,000 acres in Prince George's County.

BEALL, JOSIAH (?-1768). BORN: of age by 1747; younger son. NATIVE: third generation. RESIDED: in Frederick County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: John Beall (?-1742), son of Alexander Beall (?-1744). MOTHER: Verlinda (?-1745), daughter of *Samuel Magruder* (1654-1711). UNCLE: *John Magruder* (1694-1750). BROTHERS: *Samuel Beall* (ca. 1713-ca. 1778); Basil, who married Lucy; John, who married Mary, daughter of Peter Dent; and Clement (?-by 1794), who married Priscilla. SISTERS: Sarah (?-1779), who married by 1742 James Offutt; Rebecca, who married her first cousin *Nathan Magruder* (ca. 1718-1786); Lucy; Hannah; and Verlinda. FIRST COUSINS: *Nathan Magruder* (ca. 1718-1786); *Zadock Magruder* (1730-1811). CHILDREN. At least seven, including SONS: Thaddeus (ca. 1745-1808), who married

Amelia (ca. 1747-after 1809), daughter of *Samuel Beall* (ca. 1713-ca. 1778); Josiah (?-1805), who married Elizabeth Brooke. DAUGHTERS: Lucy (?-1799); Verlinda (?-by 1799), who married Thomas Beall (1744-1823), son of *Samuel Beall* (ca. 1713-ca. 1778). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Mr., 1754; Gent., 1763. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter, 1741, 1757; agent for Hartly & Sons, of Whitehaven, England, 1763-1768. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Frederick County, 1754-1757 (Bills of Credit 1-6). LOCAL OFFICES: tobacco inspector, Rock Creek warehouse, Frederick County, 1748-1750; coroner, Frederick County, 1748; sheriff, Frederick County, 1752-1753; justice, Frederick County, 1763-at least 1767. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 400 acres in Prince George's and Frederick counties (300 acres inherited from his father; 100 acres by personal acquisition). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: patented 107 acres in Frederick County, 1763; bought 2 partial lots in Georgetown, Frederick County, 1767. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: administration bond granted on October 6, 1768, in Frederick County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £507.8.10 current money (including 9 slaves, 4 books, and plate); FB, £187.5.0. LAND: 482 acres in Frederick County.

BEALL, JOSIAS (ca. 1725-1803). BORN: ca. 1725. NATIVE: third generation. RESIDED: at "Strife," near Piscataway, Prince George's County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: John Beall (?-ca. 1757), son of James Beall (?-1725). MOTHER: Elizabeth, daughter of *John Fendall* (1674-1734). FIRST COUSINS: *Philip Richard Fendall* (?-?); Sarah Fendall (ca. 1732-1793), who married *Thomas Contee* (ca. 1729-1811); and *Samuel Millicent* (1733-1772), daughter of Robert Bradley and wife Ann, of Prince George's County; granddaughter of *Robert Bradley* (?-1724). MARRIED second, in common law marriage, Ann (1750-1781), daughter of John Boswell and wife Elizabeth. Ann resided with Josias from 1774 until her death. CHILDREN. SONS: John Bradley (1760-?); Josias Fendall (1762-ca. 1816), who married in 1804 Ann Middleton Marlowe; James Alexander (1765-?), who married in 1787 Ann Mitchell; Robert Augustus (1767-?), who married Elizabeth; Benjamin Bradley (1771-?); and David Fendall (1775-?). DAUGHTERS: (first name unknown) (1764-1764); Ann Fendall (1768-?); Anna (1777-