

chased 9 acres in Worcester County, 1792. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: between January 31 and February 14, 1809, in Worcester County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, \$4,186.44 (including 11 slaves, 4 oz. old silver, and books); FB, \$2,820.69. **LAND:** 129 acres in Worcester County.

HOWARD, CORNELIUS (?-1680). BORN: ca. 1630s, probably in Virginia; probably third son. IMMIGRATED: in 1659 as a free adult from Virginia. RESIDED: in Anne Arundel County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** FATHER: probably Matthew Howard, of Lower Norfolk County, Virginia. MOTHER: probably Ann. BROTHERS: Samuel; John; Matthew (ca. 1640-1692/93), who married Sarah Dorsey; and Philip, who married Ruth Baldwin. SISTERS: Elizabeth, who married *Henry Ridgeley* (?-1710); Ann; and Mary, who married *John Hammond* (1643-1707). NEPHEWS: *Charles Hammond* (ca. 1670-1713); *Thomas Hammond* (?-ca. 1724/25); *John Hammond* (ca. 1665-1742/43); and *Matthew Howard* (ca. 1675-1750). NIECES: Sarah Howard, who married first, *John Worthington* (1650-1701), and second, *John Brice* (?-1713); Hannah Howard, who married first, *Charles Hammond* (ca. 1670-1713), and second, *Edmond Benson* (1687-1734). ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: a relationship to Matthew Howard and wife Anne, who were in Virginia in the early 1630s is almost certain; when the family was living in Virginia they had close ties to *Edward Lloyd* (ca. 1620-1696) of Maryland. MARRIED Elizabeth. CHILDREN. SONS: Cornelius (ca. 1670-1717), a member of the Middleneck Parish Vestry, Anne Arundel County, from 1693 to 1697, who married Mary, daughter of *John Hammond* (1643-1707); Joseph (1676-1736), a member of the St. Anne's Parish Vestry, Anne Arundel County, in 1713, who married first, Hannah, daughter of *Edward Dorsey* (?-1705), second, Anne, and third, Margery. DAUGHTERS: Sarah; Mary; and Elizabeth, who married first, Andrew Norwood, second, Andrew Wellsley, and third, Charles Kilbourne. **PRIVATE CAREER.** EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Protestant. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: transported two others on his arrival in Maryland in 1659, two more in 1661, and another in 1662; no title on arrival in the colony. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Anne Arundel County, 1671-1674/75. LOCAL OFFICE: justice, Anne Arundel County, 1679. MILITARY SERVICE: ensign, 1661. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: ca. 1,300 acres. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** DIED: will probated on October 15, 1680. **PER-**

SONAL PROPERTY: TEV, 53,515 pounds of tobacco (including 2 servants). **LAND:** over 1,370 acres.

HOWARD, EPHRAIM (1745-1788). BORN: on December 3, 1745, in Queen Caroline Parish, Anne Arundel County; fifth child, second son. NATIVE: fifth generation. RESIDED: at "Talbot's Resolution Manor," Elk Ridge Hundred, Anne Arundel County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** FATHER: Henry Howard (1707-1773), son of Joseph Howard (?-1736). MOTHER: Sarah (?-1791), daughter of John Dorsey. BROTHERS: James (1744-?); John Beale (1748-1788), who married Rebecca Boone; Vachel Denton (1751-1778), captain of a cavalry unit in the Continental Army of Virginia; and Joshua (1752-?). SISTERS: Rachel (1732-?), who married in 1751 Dr. Joshua Warfield (?-1759); Sarah (1733/34-?), who married first, (first name unknown) Green, and second, (first name unknown) Nelson; Onner (1740-?), who married first, (first name unknown) Warfield, second, (first name unknown) Davidge, and third, (first name unknown) Wilkins. MARRIED Achsah (1746-1799), daughter of John Dorsey (1708-1765) and wife Elizabeth Dorsey (?-1803); granddaughter (paternal) of Caleb Dorsey (1685-1742); niece of both *Edward Dorsey* (1718-1760) and Mary Dorsey (1725-ca. 1787), who married *John Ridgely* (?-1771). Her brothers were Caleb (1740-1795), who married first, Sophia Dorsey, and second, Rebecca Hammond; John (1751-1796), who married Margaret Boone; and Richard (1756-1826), who married Ann Wayman. Her sisters were Elinor (1743-?), who married Richard Stringer; Ann (1748-?), who married Philemon Dorsey; and Elizabeth (1753-?), who married (first name unknown) Burgess. Her first cousins were *Thomas Dorsey* (?-1790); *Harry Dorsey Gough* (ca. 1745-1808); Eleanor Dorsey (ca. 1739-1805), who married *John Hall* (1729-1797); Rebecca Dorsey (1739-1812), who married *Charles Ridgely* (1733-1790); Mary Dorsey (?-1816), who married *John Weems* (1727-1794); *Charles Ridgely, of John* (?-ca. 1787); Deborah Ridgely (1749-1817), who married *John Sterrett* (1750/51-1787); Mary Ridgely (?-1804), who married *Benjamin Nicholson* (?-1792); and Eleanor Dorsey, who married *Upton Sheredine* (1740-1800). CHILDREN. SONS: Henry (?-1817), a physician, who married in 1803 Rebecca Bond; Brutus (?-1816); Cincinnatus (?-by 1799); and Ephraim (after 1783-1811), who died without progeny. DAUGHTERS: Sarah, who married Charles Elder; Achsah (?-1788); and Elizabeth (?-1826), who was described by her sister in 1820 as having been in a "deranged state for many years past." **PRIVATE**