

1700 Assembly was challenged and referred to the 4th session, when it was ruled invalid because the election was not conducted according to law). LOCAL OFFICE: justice, St. Mary's County, 1699—at least 1703/4. STANDS ON PUBLIC/PRIVATE ISSUES: opposed Revolution of Protestant Associators in 1689. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 250 acres in Resurrection Hundred, St. Mary's County, which Nuthall purchased in 1696. He had inherited 4,200 acres in St. Mary's County from his father in 1668, but had sold it all by 1688. From 1668 to 1673, he leased 1,000 acres from the proprietor. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: between November 22, 1713, and September 28, 1714, in St. Mary's County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, at least £184.12.6 (including 6 slaves). LAND: 250 acres, which was part of "Resurrection Manor," in Resurrection Hundred on the south side of the Patuxent River in St. Mary's County.

O'BRYON, JAMES (?–1797). BORN: probably in Queen Anne's County. NATIVE: at least third generation. RESIDED: in Queen Anne's County. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: Thomas O'Bryon (?–1758), of Queen Anne's County, son of Patrick O'Bryon (?–1732), of Queen Anne's County, and wife Catherine. MOTHER: Joanna (?–1767). BROTHERS: Thomas; Solomon; John; and Patrick. SISTERS: Mary, who married William Emory; Hannah, who married Caleb Sparks; Ann (?–1768), who married Robert Seniner; and Rebecca, who married Solomon Sinnott. MARRIED Elizabeth (?–1802). Her brother-in-law was Robert Walters of Queen Anne's County, farmer. CHILDREN. SONS: Thomas; James; William; and Benjamin. DAUGHTERS: Ann, who married (first name unknown) Wallers; Elizabeth, who married John Carradine (?–by 1802). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, St. Paul's Parish, Queen Anne's County, by 1765–1775; St. Luke's Parish, Queen Anne's County, 1776–1797. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1783. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Queen Anne's County, 1789, 1790 (elected, but did not attend), 1791–1792, 1792, 1793, 1794 (elected, but did not attend), 1795. LOCAL OFFICES: tobacco inspector, Hopper's Warehouse, Queen Anne's County, elected 1765, 1768, and 1775; churchwarden, St. Luke's Parish, Queen Anne's County, elected 1776; justice, Queen Anne's County, 1777–1779; militia recruiting officer, Queen Anne's County, ap-

pointed 1777; justice, Orphans' Court, Queen Anne's County, 1778–1794; sheriff, Queen Anne's County, 1785–1788; St. Luke's Parish Vestry, Queen Anne's County, elected 1785 and 1791; collector of the tax, Queen Anne's County, in office 1786. MILITARY SERVICE: colonel, Queen Anne's County Militia, elected 1776; major, 20th Battalion, Queen Anne's County Militia, commissioned 1777. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. PERSONAL PROPERTY: assessed value £915.13.9 current money, including 21 slaves and 36 oz. plate, 1783. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: 741 acres in Queen Anne's County (inherited 185 acres from father, probably purchased the remainder). SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH: acquired by patent, purchase, and deed of gift 273 acres in Queen Anne's County, 1789–1797; sold 34 acres in Queen Anne's County, 1791–1794. WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: will proven on June 16, 1797, in Queen Anne's County. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, at least £3,354.16.0 current money (including 46 slaves, books, silver, and 7 shares in the Bank of Baltimore). LAND: 980 acres in Queen Anne's County.

OGLE, BENJAMIN (1748/49–1809). BORN: on January 27, 1748/49, in Annapolis, Anne Arundel County; only surviving son. NATIVE: second generation. RESIDED: in Annapolis and on his plantation "Belair" in Prince George's County; at school in England, 1761–1767. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FATHER: *Samuel Ogle* (ca. 1694–1752). GUARDIAN: *John Ridout* (1732–1797). MOTHER: Anne (1723–1817), daughter of *Benjamin Tasker* (ca. 1690–1768). UNCLE: *Benjamin Tasker, Jr.* (1720/21–1760). AUNT: Rebecca Tasker (1724–1822), who married *Daniel Dulany, Jr.* (1722–1797). BROTHER: Samuel (1747–1748). SISTERS: Anne (1743–1747); Mary (1746–1808), who married *John Ridout* (1732–1797); and Meliora (1750–ca. 1775), who married James Anderson of Hertfordshire, England. FIRST COUSINS: *Benjamin Tasker Dulany* (1752–1816); Rebecca Lowndes (1757–1802), who married *Benjamin Stoddert* (ca. 1751–1813). MARRIED on September 13, 1770, in All Hallows Parish, Anne Arundel County, Henrietta (Henry) Margaret (1751–1815), daughter of Henry Hill (?–1752) and wife Mary Thomas (1730/31–ca. 1762), stepdaughter of Robert Pleasant of Virginia. Henrietta was the granddaughter of both Joseph Hill (?–1761) and *Philip Thomas* (1693/94–1762). Her brother was Joseph (1750–?). Her half sister was Ann Thomas Pleasant. CHILDREN. SONS: Samuel (1773–died in