

acres by purchase or patent). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** purchased or patented 2,742 acres in Dorchester County between 1746 and 1773; sold at least 724 acres in Dorchester County between 1760 and 1771; gave by deed of gift 532 acres in Dorchester County to his son James, 1774. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** by January 20, 1783, probably in Dorchester County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** size of estate unknown. **LAND:** 2,037 acres in Dorchester and Caroline counties.

SULIVANE (SULLIVAN, SULLIVANE, SULLIVANT), DANIEL (1745/46–1799). **BORN:** on March 10, 1745/46, in Dorchester County; younger son. **NATIVE:** at least third generation. **RESIDED:** in Transquakin Hundred, Dorchester County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** *Daniel Sulivane* (ca. 1708–by 1783). **MOTHER:** Sarah Anderton. **BROTHER:** James (1737–?). **SISTERS:** Mary (ca. 1738–?), who married *Thomas Ennalls* (?–by 1783); Sarah (1741–?). **NIECE:** Sarah Ennalls (1761–1842), who married *Henry Waggaman* (1753–1809). **OTHER KINSHIP:** step-grandfather, *Peter Taylor* (1680–ca. 1747/48). **MARRIED** by 1773 Susannah (Susan) Orrick. **CHILDREN.** **SONS:** James Bennett (1773–1818), probably a physician, member of the Medical and Chirurgical Faculty of Maryland; Robert; and Clement. **DAUGHTER:** Elizabeth, who married James Birckhead. Another child, sex and name unknown (?–1780). **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Anglican. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Gent., by 1777. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** physician, by 1771. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Dorchester County, 1780–1781, 1783. **OTHER STATE OFFICE:** Constitution Ratification Convention, Dorchester County, 1788. **LOCAL OFFICES:** sheriff, Dorchester County, 1770–1773; justice, Dorchester County, 1788–1791 (declined); justice, Orphans' Court, Dorchester County, 1789–at least 1790. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** 12 slaves, 1776; assessed value £751.18.4, including 13 slaves and 25 oz. plate, 1783. **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 220 acres in Dorchester County (the remainder of 620 acres purchased before first election). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** inherited at least 863 acres in Dorchester County from his father, by 1783; resurveyed 620 acres of the land he inherited from his father for a net gain of 28 acres in Dorchester County, 1793. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** funeral held on January 16, 1799,

in Great Choptank Parish, Dorchester County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** size of estate unknown. **LAND:** 933 acres in Dorchester County.

SUTTON, JOSIAH (?–1728). **BORN:** of age in 1719. **IMMIGRATED/NATIVE:** unknown. **RESIDED:** in Cecil County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **OTHER KINSHIP:** nearest relation, Joseph Sutton. **MARRIED** Mary Overstock. **CHILDREN.** **SON:** John, who married Mary. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** probably literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** carpenter; owned a water mill. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, Cecil County, 1722–1724. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** 110 acres in Cecil County. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** in November 1728 in Cecil County; killed in an accidental cave-in while digging gravel to repair his mill dam. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, at least £43.17.4 (including books). **LAND:** 110 acres in Cecil County.

SWAN, JAMES (?–1745/46). **BORN:** probably in St. Mary's County. **NATIVE:** probably, if so at least second generation. **RESIDED:** in Choptico Hundred, St. Mary's County. **FAMILY BACKGROUND.** **FATHER:** probably Capt. James Swan (?–1707) of St. Mary's County. **STEPFATHER:** *Samuel Williamson* (1658–1729). **MOTHER:** Judith. **AUNT:** Susannah Swan, who married *Philip Briscoe* (?–ca. 1724/25). **SISTER:** Susannah, who married first, Thomas Hatton, and second, John Attaway. **MARRIED** Mary. **CHILDREN.** **SONS:** probably John (ca. 1722–?); probably James (ca. 1726–?). **DAUGHTER:** probably Judith. **PRIVATE CAREER.** **EDUCATION:** probably literate. **RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION:** Protestant. **SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES:** Gent., by 1744. **OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE:** probably planter. **PUBLIC CAREER.** **LEGISLATIVE SERVICE:** Lower House, St. Mary's County, 1738, 1739–1741, 1742–1744. **LOCAL OFFICES:** justice, St. Mary's County, 1730–at least 1744 (quorum, 1736–at least 1744); coroner, St. Mary's County, appointed 1744. **WEALTH DURING LIFETIME.** **LAND AT FIRST ELECTION:** at least 150 acres in St. Mary's County (acquired by patent). **SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN LAND BETWEEN FIRST ELECTION AND DEATH:** patented 90 acres in St. Mary's County, 1738; leased 121 acres of Choptico Manor, on a three-life lease from the proprietor, St. Mary's County, 1742. **WEALTH AT DEATH.** **DIED:** administration bond issued on March 6, 1745/46, in St. Mary's County. **PERSONAL PROPERTY:** TEV, £317.3.4 (including 3 slaves, 2 servants, and books);