

Aug^r & Sep^r: 1755

The King

Ludwick Metc
& Mil^e Becker

Mid^d

True Bill

Wm. Willson

Lancaster County to wit

The yeare Inquest for our Sovereign Lord the King that now is for
Lancaster County aforesaid

upon their oath and affirmation respectively do averre that
Lodowick Metz and Mich^r: Becker of Rapto Township
in the County aforesaid

Were and Continued overseers of the Kings roads and publick Highways in the
said Precinct and township duly Constituted and appointed from the
twenty fifth Day of March in the ^{eight} twenty fifth year of the
reign of our said Sovereign Lord George the second King of Great Brittain France
and Ireland Defender of the faith: untill the fifth Day of August
in the twenty ninth Year of the reign of our same Sovereign Lord
the King to wit at the precinct and township aforesaid and within the
Jurisdiction of his Court and that the said Lodowick Metz and Mich^r:
Becker

During all the time aforesaid the Duty of their office aforesaid requiring
did not summon all the inhabitants of the said township to come to any
place or places within the same township to work upon amend and repair
the said roads and Highways by reason whereof one Highway and road leading
thro the ^{said} Precinct and township ^{of Rapto} from the township of Donnegal
in the said County to the township of Hempfield in the same
County became so decayed and still is so decayed for want of repairing the
same that the Lige Subjects of our said Lord the King by thro and upon the same
road and Highway going travelling and passing cannot with their Horses carts &
Carriages by through and upon the same road and Highway so safely go pass
and travell as of right they ought to the great Damage of the said Lige Subjects
of our said Lord the King, Contrary to the form of the act of assembly in such case
made and provided and against the peace of our said Lord the King his Crown
and Dignity &c

Witness
John W. Gwin

Benjamin Chew Att Gen