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[note by Henry Bruce Jr. on first excavation for Suspension Bridge]

Sept 2d 1856 [September 2, 1856] The excavations for the Towers of the Covington and Cincinnati great suspension bridge was this day commenced

Oct 2d 56 [October 2, 1856] The first log forming the timber foundations was laid