

A TRIP OUT WEST

By J. V. Snipes

We now leave the zoo and take a car back down in the busy section of Cincinnati; here we decide to walk leisurely along and take in more of the sights, finally drifting back to our hotel where we had left our baggage, and this is where we get tangled up in so large a city. We thought surely we were going in our homeward direction, but the streets everywhere were full of people and we still have to keep an eye peeled every minute to prevent getting run down by a street car or auto, with a policeman at every corner trying to protect the people from mishaps. We are seeing something of interest every minute, and as night is drawing near we wonder if we are almost to our hotel; begin to make inquiry and we find that we are going directly in the opposite direction—that we are some five or six miles from our headquarters—so we turn about and catch the first car going in that direction, and by getting two or three transfers we finally reach our hotel about an hour late. We had happened to get a room where we could look out across the Ohio river, where steamboats were going all the time up and down, loaded with people. Upon inquiry we learned that there was a place called Coney Island some ten miles up the river, which was a place full of amusements after the fashion of the real Coney Island at New York, and the boats were doing a land office business carrying people to this place where they could spend their money. We look across the river into the state of Kentucky; the river is the dividing line between Ohio and Kentucky and three great bridges span it. They are all toll bridges owned by corporations, and a man is at each end of them collecting fares every minute; a constant stream of people going all the time, and yet we learned that the cost and up-keep of these bridges was so much that the owners had never gotten the interest on the money invested. We next take a car and go through several cities on the Kentucky side; will speak of that next week.

(To be continued)

As a usual thing when a man gets in hot water he has to be bailed out.

OUR CHURCH DIRECTORY

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. O. B. Mitchell, Pastor.
Preaching every third Sunday at 11 o'clock.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. L. H. Joyner, Pastor.
Preaching every first and third Sunday at 11:00 A. M. and 7:00 P. M.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
Epworth League every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. M. D. McNeill, Pastor.
Preaching every second Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, and fourth Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Christian Endeavor every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

It has about gotten so in our larger cities that they need street cars that can detour around the automobiles.

It only cost Columbus \$7,200 to discover America—but look at all the free advertising he got out of it.

St. Louis women spent \$3,000,000 last year for face paint. But wouldn't it be interesting to know how much St. Louis men spent for nose paint.

Report of the condition of
THE BANK OF VASS
at Vass, in the state of North Carolina at the close of business, December 31st, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$149,203.50
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	206.40
United States Bonds and Liberty Bonds.....	12,300.00
Banking Houses, \$1,661.02 Furniture and Fixtures \$1,788.00	3,449.02
Cash in vault and net amounts due from Banks, Bankers, and Trust Companies	22,726.93
Total - - - - -	\$187,885.85

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 20,000.00
Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	4,353.10
Notes and bills rediscounted	5,000.00
Bills Payable	10,000.00
Deposits subject to check..	69,885.30
Cashier's Checks outstanding	750.44
Savings Deposits	77,897.01
Total - - - - -	\$187,885.85

State of North Carolina—County of Moore, Vass, N. C., Jan. 11, 1922. I, D. A. McLaughlin, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. A. McLAUHLIN,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of January, 1922.

A. M. CAMERON,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 13, 1922.

Correct—Attest:
W. D. SMITH,
S. R. SMITH,
A. CAMERON,
Directors.

SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Trust Deed made by R. L. Lucas and wife to me, which is registered in Moore County in Book 33 at page 42, default having been made in the payments therein specified and the holders of the bonds having demanded that the trust be closed, I shall on January 30, 1922, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Carthage the lands conveyed in said deed, the same being situated in Roseland, about 5 miles south of Aberdeen and being the following blocks as shown on the map of Roseland filed in Book 11 page 589 Register of Deeds office at Carthage, viz.:—43, 44, 48, 49, 52, 53, 56, 57, 66, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 75, 86, 89, 90, 91, 92, 110 and 111 and parts of blocks 50, 65, 67, 74, 87 and 38. All of this property lies near the intersection of Hawthorn Avenue and the Sand Clay road running through Roseland. Time of sale: between noon and 2 p. m., January 30, 1922.
THOS. B. WILDER, Trustee.
This Dec. 26, 1921.

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