

**PEMBINA AND ST. VINCENT.**

**A Representative of the Emerson International Visits the "Dual Towns" and Records his Impressions.—Pembina a Model Town.**

Mr. P. Begg, of the Emerson International, made a tour of observation through St. Vincent and Pembina last week, giving his impressions in that paper as follows: After skirting the natural amphitheater, we strike directly through the woods for St. Vincent, passing many beautiful spots, on the winding road. As we near St. Vincent we pass several half-breeds, but we cannot say much for their success as farmers. The houses are principally logs, and are needed for the cold winter weather. As we near St. Vincent the view is very fine. On the west we see the Red River, and the prairie beyond—and in the distance the comfortable homes of the settlers of Northern Dakota. To the south-west Pembina looms up grandly, the Steam Mills, County Buildings, the School House, the Churches, the Geroux House, and others standing out in bold relief among the clumps of timber, which is of a dark green. To the south we see the residences in St. Vincent peeping from amongst the trees, which are of a larger growth than is usually found on this section of the Red River. The whole scene is one well worthy the brush of the painter. On arriving at St. Vincent we find it composed of one main street, built principally on the northern side, and several smaller streets. Nearly all the business is transacted on the main street, and we find several well filled stores, with gentlemanly attendants, ready and willing to do a far larger business than they are at present enjoying. The present depression of trade has reached them, but they are a hopeful class, and "there's a good time coming."

We notice that St. Vincent has an extra supply of hotels and saloons, and they appear to be doing the principal business. The station of the St. P., M. & M. R. R., is in the center of the town, and near it is a very fine looking hotel, apparently too large to be profitable to the one running it. Near the river is an excellent elevator, the only one in this section. It is visible for a long distance, and is a landmark to those out on the prairie. St. Vincent has its bank, church and school house, and the people are energetic and ambitious. Part of the Kitten county officials have their headquarters here, and part are at Hallock, fifteen or twenty miles south on the St. P., M. & M. R. R.

To reach Pembina we have to cross the Red River by a ferry boat, foot passengers having to pay five cents. The boat is on pulleys and is self propelling, and the river having at this point a pretty good current, the trip is a short one. The banks of the Red at this place are very fine—on the St. Vincent side especially, where you come down a winding road from level to level until you reach the river's edge, whilst on the Pembina side the banks are steep, and showing a bluff almost to the water. The road has been partly cut out, and on the left as we ascend we see some large trees, with a number of Indians lounging beneath them. They are a quiet and lazy lot. Pembina is delightfully situated on high grounds, at the confluence of the Pembina river with the Red, and for situation stands second to none for beauty, the ground sloping gradually to both rivers, but with high banks to each, so that the rivers have to be very high indeed to trouble the residents. The town is compactly built, and being the county town of Pembina County the public buildings are here, and are built of brick. They are large and thoroughly fitted inside. The County officials are affable, and it is a pleasure to do business with them. The school buildings are nicely situated, built of brick, and excellently arranged inside. The Methodist Church is a handsome new edifice. The town is well built and most compact, and every thing shows care and taste in the owners. Paint has been used, except in very few instances, to the best advantage. In short, Pembina is a model town. The citizens are pushing and dull times do not daunt them. The Geroux House and the Wincheater are the two principal hotels, but there are a number of smaller ones and plenty of saloons. The Geroux House is a new first-class house, and is the best in Northern Dakota. It is three stories in height, elegantly furnished throughout. The office is most commodious and arranged in the most modern style. On the second floor are several balconies, and the view from the roof is very fine. The house is heated by steam, and as it is brick-cased it must be warm. Mr. Geroux, who owns the building, is also landlord, but on account of the large amount of business he has to transact he has little time to attend to hotel business. It will be an excellent opening for some energetic man. The Post Office is a new building, and it has an excellently arranged set of letter boxes, and is got up regardless of expense. Mr. Cavileer, the postmaster, is the oldest resident and settler in this section, having been now thirty-five years in Pembina. He is an intelligent gentleman, and his reminiscences of olden times and of the Indians are particularly interesting. He showed wisdom in settling where he did although at that time he was far from civilization. We met a number of old friends here, who have done well, and are becoming the chief men of the town. Mr. J. G. Webb has an excellent general store, and has the finest residence in town either for locality or style. Mr. Nixon, another Canadian, is doing a large business in lumber and agricultural implements, and is the owner of several excellent houses. The Custom House is centrally located, and is presided over by a popular lot of officials, with whom we had a pleasant visit. We paid a flying visit to Bro. Young of the Pioneer-Express, the only paper published in town. The citizens are highly elated and well they may be, at the prospect of having the post of Fort Pembina increased from two to twelve companies of United States troops, of which five companies will be cavalry. This will entail

In the first place an out lay of a quarter of a million for new buildings at the Fort, and an addition of nearly 600 in the population there. This will compensate in a great measure for the cutting off of trade by the railway which passes to the west of them. This section of country is settled largely by Canadians, and they have proved first-class in every particular, and Pembina has a goodly percentage of them. The merchants are prospering here and a failure is seldom chronicled. Messrs. Winters and Yerxa have immense stocks and are spreading out with branch stores at points west.

From Pembina we went as far as the Fort, and were much pleased with what we saw. The buildings form three sides of a square, the officer's quarters being on the south side. The east side facing the river is open, and the three seven pounder brass guns forming the heavy artillery of the post are mounted here. The post is well kept, and the parade grounds in the centre are as smooth as they can be made. The boys in blue have an easy time of it here, and only require to keep things in order. The officers and men are very popular with the people throughout that section, and all are looking forward with pleasure to the increase of the post. Returning from the Fort we had a pleasant drive with Capt. Webster, the efficient road commissioner of Pembina, and to whom the town is largely indebted for its well graded streets and excellent sidewalks. We are indebted to several citizens of Pembina for courtesies shown and information given, especially Messrs. Gaffney, Kneeshaw, Webb, Nixon, Cavileer, Nelson and others. The trip was a very pleasant one, and the affability of those we met made it doubly so.

**A Test Case.**

The first case relating to International affairs was tried here to-day before Justice Stetson. The title of the case is the State of Minnesota vs. G. W. Mitchell, justice of the peace. A theft was committed at Emerson, Minn., on July 24, on Sam Lung, a Chinaman, who runs a laundry at Emerson; the amount being \$81. The suspected thief came across the international boundary and deposited \$31 in the St. Vincent bank, the money supposed to have been stolen from John Chinaman, for which he received a certificate of deposit, and then returned to Emerson, where he was arrested by an officer of Emerson, searched and all his personal effects taken from him, including the certificate of deposit, and he was placed in jail. The jail was leaky, and the accused got out and returned to the protection of Uncle Sam. The chief of police of Emerson sent one of his men over to St. Vincent with the check of deposit to compel the accused to endorse the check, which the accused refused to do. Extradition was mentioned unless he endorsed the check. McIntyre & Megquier, of Pembina, Dakota, took the case and satisfied the public on both sides of the line that when the Emerson policeman brought the property of a prisoner of Manitoba into our country the policeman committed a theft in doing so. Mr. Mitchell's aim was evidently to do justice. The deposit check was placed in his hands to accomplish a settlement. The case was settled in favor of the accused thief.

**Shaking Hands over a Dispute.**

(Grand Forks News.)  
Rev. J. Spencer Kennard, pastor of the Fourth Baptist Church, Chicago, took the occasion of Rev. Henry Ward Beecher's presence in that city to "deliver a pleasantly turned sermon combating the views of the great Brooklyn divine." In reply to this sermon the Rev. Henry W. has written a "breezy brotherly letter" to brother Kennard. The letter is said to be the most unequivocal statement of Beecher's views yet made public. He says he knows he is orthodox and evangelical as to the facts and substance of the Christian religion, and knows equally well that he is not orthodox as to the philosophy which he has hitherto been applied to these facts. He calls himself a "cordial Christian evolutionist," but does not agree with the agnosticism of Spencer, Huxley and Tyndall. He believes the animal part of man has been evolved from beings below him, while in his spiritual nature he is the son of God. Man, he says, is not sinful by nature, but voluntarily. He does not believe in the fall of Adam nor in the inheritance of his guilt. A telegram stating the facts significantly closes by saying: "Dr. Kennard dined with Beecher this evening."

**Not Appreciated.**

(Mandan Pioneer.)  
It will be a long while before the Mandan band goes to meet a stalwart like Roscoe Conkling again. When Isaacmet Rebecca he kissed her and wept, but when this heroic band met Conkling he merely turned over in his bed. Yesterday morning, at an unearthly hour, when newspaper reporters, telegraph operators and trainmen only were supposed to be about, the band chartered a special train for Bismarck. They faced the perils of a railroad journey, all to do homage to President Arthur's friend. He was in bed when his train got to Bismarck, and he was there still when it passed through Mandan. The ungrateful Roscoe did not even yawn his thanks. The Mandan band will not do it again.

**How to Pronounce "Manitoba."**

(Wisconsin Times.)  
What is the right pronunciation of the name of this province is a question which puzzles some people. Most folks pronounce it Manitoba, but there are some esthetic individuals who pronounce it Manne-to-bah. These latter may be right, but if they are, why are they not consistent? If it is right to say Manne-to-bah, it is also right to say Cana-dah, Ameri-cah, Nova-Scoti-cah, Minneso-tah, etc., etc. Why it should be Manne-to-bah and not Ameri-cah, is one of those things no fellow can find out.

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This is to certify that Dr. C. Stoddard Smith, D.D.S., was formerly and for many years a dentist of high repute at Springfield, Ill., and is entitled to the fullest confidence, both professionally and personally. He was for several years secretary of the Illinois State Dental Society, and also of the American Dental Association.  
GEORGE H. CUSHING, D. D. S., Sec. American Dent. Association, and Sec. Ill. State Board of Dental Examiners.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 18, 1888.  
This is to certify that I have known Dr. C. Stoddard Smith for more than ten years, and am well acquainted with his professional acquirements, and know him to be a skillful and careful dentist of the first rank. He was long the secretary of the Illinois State Dental Society as well as its president for 1876-77, and occupied other equally responsible places with credit to himself and to the benefit of the profession. I commend him to any one in need of a skillful and conscientious practitioner of dental surgery.  
A. W. HARLAN, D. D. S., Professor of Dental Surgery in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 15, 1888.  
It gives me pleasure to speak most cordially and positively in regard to Dr. Smith's excellence and reputation as a practitioner of dentistry while in Illinois.  
EDMUND NOYES, President Illinois State Dental Society.

STATE NATIONAL BANK, SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 14, 1888.  
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
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F. K. WHITTEMORE, Cashier.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
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