

Fort Pinancewaywining, Manitoba.

Fort Pinance-way-wining, “On the way down to the ford,” was located on *Crique de cheval mort* (Dead Horse Creek) about two miles south-west of where Morden now stands.

This fort was built by Alexander Henry the Younger and his Métis employees in 1802. Henry entered the service of the North West Company in 1792 as a fur trader and established Fort Pembina. In 1802, Henry established Fort Pinancewaywining on Dead Horse Creek near present-day Morden. This post traded with local Nakoda, Cree, and Saulteaux peoples. It was supplied with goods hauled by the first Red River Carts coming out of Pembina. After leaving southern Manitoba, Henry moved on to Fort Vermillion on the North Saskatchewan River in 1808.



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