



Category: 3d Sites

Name: Burner Base at P.A.

Location: Prince Albert

Species: N/A



#### History/Description:

On the banks of the Saskatchewan River, at the north end of Mattes Avenue (17th street E.) stands a concrete structure with holes in it and metal pipes protruding from it. The pipes in the base are from a system which developed steam from the heat to drive the mills.

This is what is left of the base of the burner from a succession of sawmills which stood on the site.

It likely dates to around 1910, when the Winton mill was the largest complete sawmill on the prairies. The planer mill loading deck could accommodate 14 railcars.

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