

# Basic Detail Report

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**Title**

Pymont and Wheat Silo, Sydney, 1934

**Date**

1934

**Primary Maker**

Frank Norton

**Medium**

Pencil on paper

**Dimensions**

Overall: 153 x 232 mm

**Name**

Drawing

**History**

European settlers established Darling Harbour as a market wharf in the early nineteenth century. Not officially named Darling Harbour until 1826 (after Governor Ralph Darling), the area, including Pymont, developed into a major industrial facility. By the 1970s, however, the shipping industry had declined and Darling Harbour was full of derelict buildings and wharves. It underwent urban renewal and rejuvenation in the 1980s and is now a popular destination for Sydneysiders and tourists alike.