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CONTEXT **F**...819....

CUTTING BIX..... CO-ORDINATES: East..... North.....

DATE EXPOSED DATE COMPLETED

DESCRIPTION Post Hole East of Hearth F801. Small post within, and below the upper burning of F816.
We now think it possible that this post hole and F816 are one and the same thing, and that what appeared to be a hearth in F816

MAX. WIDTH AND DIRECTION30 cm.....

MAX. LENGTH AND DIRECTION

MAX. DEPTH/HEIGHT THICKNESS48 cm.....

OVERLIES

OVERLAIN BY

CUTS ...BEDROCK.....

CUT BY

ABUTS OR CONTIGUOUS WITH

PLANS No..... SECTIONS No.....See following page...

PHOTO: B/W COL. NEG. NOS.

SAMPLE Type:..... Nos.

EXCAVATOR

RECORDER

ASSOCIATED FEATURES

ASSOCIATED FINDS

Description continued

COMMENT was in fact badly disturbed post hole edge packing which had been burned.

All but the northern edge in the upper part had gone in tree root disturbances, but as shown in the drawing opposite, the northern edge was complete up to the surface, and all lower edges
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One drawing inc.

Description continued

still existed cut into the bedrock, as shown below the dotted line.

This then makes three post holes around the F801 hearth, although this is smaller in diameter than the other two, the surface level at the top of the Post Hole is the same as the other two.

We have not been able to find a fourth post hole ~~Post Hole~~ round the hearth, there definitely isn't one.

I suppose these three post holes could have held posts to support machinery, or in fact been supports for the roof, leaving a hole in roof above the hearth.

I wonder why when building a good solid wall for the rampant, they didn't then build their fireplaces of stone walling too ???

Quite a lot of disturbance running east from 819 almost entire length of cutting.