Summary Sheet

IDTO - ID Number	:794406
AUTH - Report Author	:
TYFU - Tornado Type & Fuji Code	:c9
TITL - Report Title or Location	:Portage La Prairie
PROV - Province	:Manitoba
COUN - Counties	:
REFS - References	:TWC
ZOTO - Touchdown Zone Number & Easting	:14550900
NOTO - Touchdown Northing	:5536200
LOVA - Touchdown Error Value & Code	:2500o
DADA - Date of Data Entry	:06/07/1990
ZOLO - Liftoff Zone Number & Easting	:
NOLO - Liftoff Northing	:
UPVA - Liftoff Error Value & Code	:
DEAD - Number of Fatalities	:
HURT - Number of People Injured	:
HERT - Injuries Code	:
DATA - Date of Tornado	:10/08/1944
DAVA - Date Error Value & Code	:
TITO - Time of Tornado	:200
TIMR - Time Meridian	:90
TIVA - Time Error Value & Code	:173s
AXDA - Maximum Path Width	:
AXVA - Max. Path Width Error & Code	:
AVDA - Average Damage Width	:
AVVA - Avg. Damage Width Error & Code	:
SADA - Sample Damage Width	:
SAVA - Sample Damage Width Error & Code	:
INTO - Initials	:JAM
DFTO - Detailed Report Flag	:n
JUNK - PRDA & DIMO & DALE :	
CODA - Property Damage Code	:
MISC - ORDE,PICS_TYPE,PICS_AVAIL,COCO	: 1
MANY - Multiple Event Flag	:y

MEMO:Trees uprooted.

PHEN - Associated Phenomena	:
TSHP - Townships	:

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TORNADOES.

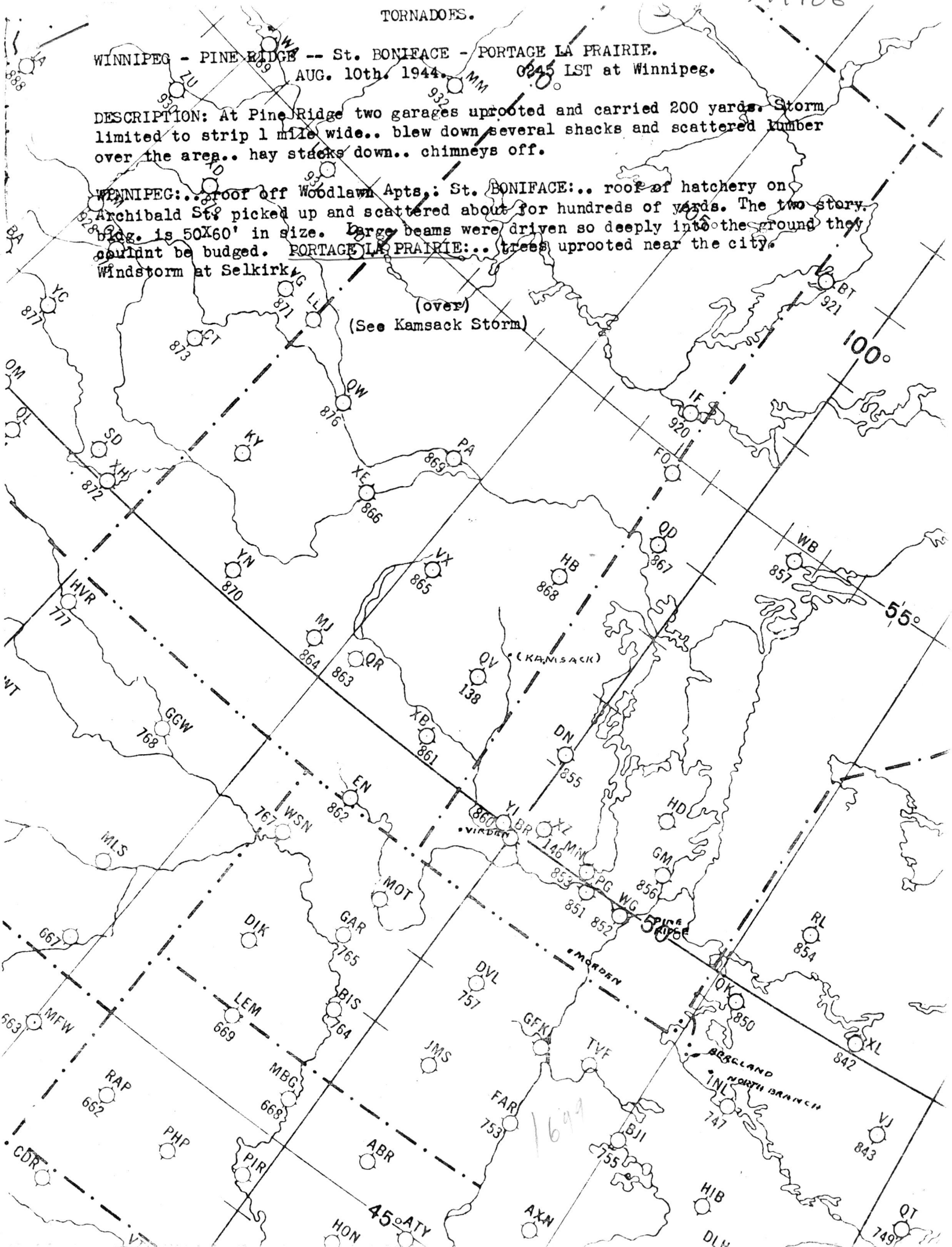
WINNIPEG - PINE RIDGE -- St. BONIFACE - PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE.
AUG. 10th. 1944. 0245 LST at Winnipeg.

DESCRIPTION: At Pine Ridge two garages uprooted and carried 200 yards. Storm limited to strip 1 mile wide.. blew down several shacks and scattered lumber over the area.. hay stacks down.. chimneys off.

WINNIPEG:.. roof off Woodlawn Apts.. St. BONIFACE:.. roof of hatchery on Archibald St. picked up and scattered about for hundreds of yards. The two story bldg. is 50X60' in size. Large beams were driven so deeply into the ground they couldnt be budged. PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE:.. trees uprooted near the city. Windstorm at Selkirk.

(over)

(See Kamsack Storm)



Storm with 71 mph wind and hail swept Manitoba early Thursday, flattening grain.. uprooting and splitting great trees, tearing garages and barns from their foundations and sendi g them howling over the landscape- most violent wind since 1922 cyclone in June (22). Tornado in Kamsack (see Aug 9.). Thunderstorms of exceptional violence in Kenora-Rainy River district washed out bridges, flooding roads. A cloud burst occurred in the North Branch-Bergland area, the heaviest in areas history. Travellers and truckers stalled on district roads with water up to floor boards of cars. Three & one half inches of rain at Kenora. Storm struck Kamsack at 11:15, Winnipeg at 0145, lasting till 0250 a.m.(Winnipeg on daylight). Hail at Lyleton, Winds 60 mph. at Portage followed by torrential rain at 2 a.m. (IST). Trees uprooted, hail in outlying areas, and fire gutted building toppled at Portage. Power off at Selkirk as driving winds broke twon flagpole, smashed windows and snapped trees. Barn flattened at Virden. Downpour and tree damage at Morden.