Summary Sheet

IDTO - ID Number :594701
AUTH - Report Author :
TYFU - Tornado Type & Fuji Code :c0
TITL - Report Title or Location :Huntingdon
PROV - Province :Quebec
COUN - Counties :Huntingdon
REFS - References :GM September 1, 1947
ZOTO - Touchdown Zone Number & Easting :18564850
NOTO - Touchdown Northing :4992650
LOVA - Touchdown Error Value & Code :575o
DADA - Date of Data Entry :19/06/1990
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 :30/08/1947
DAVA - Date Error Value & Code :
TITO - Time of Tornado :2300
TIMR - Time Meridian :75
TIVA - Time Error Value & Code :35s
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 :5
MISC - ORDE,PICS_TYPE,PICS_AVAIL,COCO :1 1
MANY - Multiple Event Flag :n

MEMO:Ripped roofing off buildings. Same date as 'Gooderham - Coe Hill' outbreak in Ontario.

PHEN - Associated Phenomena :
TSHP - Townships :Godmanchester

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QUEBEC.

SAME DAY AS GOODERHAM TORNADO.

THE GLOBE AND MAIL, MONDAY SEPTEMBER 1ST. 1947.

STORM DATE. "SAT. NIGHT" AUG. 30TH. 1947.

QUEBEC TOWN HIT BY CYCLONIC STORM.

HUNTINGDON, QUE., AUG. 31, (CP) Cyclonic winds, accompanied by a fierce electrical storm, swept through a large section of HUNTINGDON COUNTY Saturday night causing damage to buildings, power lines and telephone communications.

No estimate of the damage is available, but it is expected to run into many thousands of dollars.

Hardest hit area was in and around the town of HUNTINGDON itself. The HUNTINGDON WOOLLEN MILLS LTD. was threatened by fire when lightning struck transformers. Roof of one building was ripped off and parts were scattered for hundreds of yards.

The whole area experienced a blackout for more than an hour when the electrical power system failed.