Summary Sheet

IDTO - ID Number	:693410
AUTH - Report Author	:
TYFU - Tornado Type & Fuji Code	:b2
TITL - Report Title or Location	:Harwich Township
PROV - Province	:Ontario
COUN - Counties	:Kent
REFS - References	:The Globe April 4, 1934
ZOTO - Touchdown Zone Number & Easting	:17417000
NOTO - Touchdown Northing	:4690000
LOVA - Touchdown Error Value & Code	:3000o
DADA - Date of Data Entry	:26/06/1990
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	:03/04/1934
DAVA - Date Error Value & Code	:
TITO - Time of Tornado	:1500
TIMR - Time Meridian	:75
TIVA - Time Error Value & Code	:104s
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 : 15	
CODA - Property Damage Code	:
MISC - ORDE,PICS_TYPE,PICS_AVAIL,COCO	:1 2
MANY - Multiple Event Flag	:n

MEMO:Barn destroyed, part of house roof removed, doors torn off, etc.

PHEN - Associated Phenomena	:
TSHP - Townships	:Harwich

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HURRICANE, NEAR RIDGETOWN, ONTARIO.

THE GLOBE, TORONTO, WEDNESDAY APRIL 4TH. 1934.

STORM DATE. P.M., TUES. APRIL 3RD. 1934.

HURRICANE WHIPS THROUGH PART OF KENT COUNTY. LOSS OF $15,000 WHEN GALE RAGES OVER BRIEF COURSE.

(Staff Correspondence of The Globe)

RIDGETOWN, APRIL 3. Following a diagonal path across the southern portions of the TOWNSHIPS of HOWARD and HARWICH, a hurricane did damage to the extent of some $15,000 over its eight-mile course this afternoon.

Beginning in a neighborhood a short distance west of the village of NEW SCOTLAND, in HARWICH TOWNSHIP, it levelled the barn belonging to KELSO WATSON, took part of the roof of a house, in which WILLIAM JENNINGS lived, belonging to W. REYNOLDS, and continued in a path of minor destruction, such as blowing off doors, relieving roofs of shingles, and such like, until it reached the farm of IRA ROSS, on the LAKE SHORE ROAD, HOWARD, whose barn was badly damaged.

The storm damage terminated at the FRED COLL FISHERY, from whence it continued over LAKE ERIE. At the FISHERY it lifted a garage from its foundation and dropped it in the lake; also blowing down a gas station house, took off doors, and blew in windows at the FISHERY also.

All telephone lines were put out of order in the path of the storm, and a large number of poles were toppled over.

About five years ago a more serious hurricane took practically the same path, according to residents of that vicinity.

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