Summary Sheet

IDTO - ID Number :692801
AUTH - Report Author :
TYFU - Tornado Type & Fuji Code :c0
TITL - Report Title or Location :Rothsay
PROV - Province :Ontario
COUN - Counties :Wellington
REFS - References :Drayton Advocate
August 16, 1928
ZOTO - Touchdown Zone Number & Easting :17524230
NOTO - Touchdown Northing :4848230
LOVA - Touchdown Error Value & Code :1305r
DADA - Date of Data Entry :23/07/1990
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 :10/08/1928
DAVA - Date Error Value & Code :
TITO - Time of Tornado :1600
TIMR - Time Meridian :75
TIVA - Time Error Value & Code :30c
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 : 2
MANY - Multiple Event Flag :y

MEMO:Roofing torn from barn, trees blown down.

PHEN - Associated Phenomena :A
TSHP - Townships :Maryborough

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TIME FRI 10·8·1928 1700 EDT

2. LOCATION OR PATH (attach map)

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0928-02

① ROTHSAY
② WALKERTON

3. PATH LENGTH ☑ NOT KNOWN ☐ <1mi; ☐ 1-4mi; ☐ 5-10mi; ☐ 11-50mi; ☐ LENGTH IF>50mi

4. PATH WIDTH U 5. TORNADO PART OF SQUALL LINE? ☐ YES; ☐ NO; ☑ UNKNOWN:

6. ANY UNUSUAL COLORATION? ☐ YES; ☐ NO; ☑ UNKNOWN

7. ANY UNUSUAL SOUND? ☐ YES; ☐ NO; ☑ UNKNOWN

8. IF ANSWER TO 6 OR 7 YES, ELABORATE;

9. LIST ANY ASSOCIATED PHENOMENA (Such as hail, vivid lightning heavy rain, no rain, etc.) Hail.

10. TOTAL DAMAGE ESTIVATE $ U 11. TOTAL DEATHS U

12. TOTAL INJURED U 13. TOTAL HOMELESS U

14. LIST ALL REFERENCES

DRAYTON ADVOCATE, THUR AUG 16, 1928.
THE GLOBE, TORONTO. SAT AUG 11, 1928.

15. SUMMARIZE REMARKS PERTAINING TO (a) FUNNEL; (b) INTERESTING OR CAPRICIOUS EVENTS.

(a) no remarks

(b) Barns unroofed, orchard trees uprooted.

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STORM DATE: FRI AUG 10 1928

BRUCE MAN IS KILLED BY LIGHTNING BOLT; HELPER PARALYZED

Crops in Paisley District Destroyed by Heavy Hail

Special Despatch to The Globe

Cargill, Aug. 10.—Conrad Krohn, a Brant farmer, 35 years of age, married, was instantly killed when struck by lightning while hauling in wheat on his farm on the eleventh concession of that township, four miles southeast of Cargill, about 7.30 o'clock this afternoon.

Edward Rody, a brother-in-law of the victim, who was assisting the latter in harvesting operations, was badly injured by the bolt, one arm being completely paralyzed. Krohn's outer clothing and shoes were torn off by the lightning and his body was burned badly.

Horse Also Killed.

The load of grain and waggon on which the victim was standing was burned and one of the horses killed by the lightning.

Krohn was building a load when Rody was standing on ground a few feet from the waggon picking up the sheaves, when the storm broke. They had almost finished the field and were about to proceed to the barn when the fatal flash came.

Krohn leaves a wife and family of two children, a girl seven years of age and a boy five, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Krohn of Brant, one brother, Paul of Chesley, and one sister, Mrs. Rody of Brant.

Terrible Hail Storm.

Paisley, Aug. 10.—This town and district was visited this afternoon by the worst hail storm in many years. Scores of windows were broken in the town and vicinity, while crops were completely destroyed in the surrounding country. The storm lasted about half an hour and was accompanied by severe lightning and a gale of considerable intensity.

Strong Wind at Walkerton.

Walkerton, Aug. 10.—A severe thunder storm passed over Walkerton this afternoon, accompanied by a strong gale and followed by a heavy downpour of rain. There was no damage reported other than trees uprooted, but hail has brought in reports and trees along the highways lead up to the town.

DRAYTON ADVOCATE, THURSDAY AUGUST 16TH. 1928.

STORM DATE, FRIDAY AUGUST 10TH. 1928.

During the terrific rain and windstorm that visited this section last Friday afternoon considerable damage was done to some crops but not so much as was at first reported. An odd field of grain in MARY-BOROUGH was flattened and will be difficult to harvest but will not be completely lost. A section of the roof of MR. ISAAC WALTON'S barn on the 12TH. CONCESSION of MARYBOROUGH was blown off, while several windows were broken in MR. ARCHIE DICKSON'S house. MISS McKAY'S orchard across the road from MR. WALTON'S farm, was also badly hit by the storm, a couple of dozen fine trees being uprooted.

ROTHSAY. A bad storm visited this vicinity last Friday evening about 5p.m. A terrific wind was accompanied by thunder and lightning, rain and hail falling in torrents. The wind and hail did considerable damage, unroofing buildings and felling trees, and fields of grain and corn were flattened as if cut by the binder.