

TORNADO PROJECT SUMMARY SHEET

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1. DATE AND TIME *TUES AUG 7, 1860*
2. LOCATION OR PATH
(attach map) *TWPS & MANVERS AND OPS*
3. PATH LENGTH ☒ NOT KNOWN ☐ <1mi; ☐ 1-4mi; ☐ 5-10mi; ☐ 11-50mi; ☐ LENGTH IF >50mi
4. PATH WIDTH ☒ 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.) *severe lightning storms elsewhere*
10. TOTAL DAMAGE ESTIMATE \$ *U* 11. TOTAL DEATHS *NONE*
12. TOTAL INJURED *NONE* 13. TOTAL HOMELESS *NONE*
14. LIST ALL REFERENCES
THE DAILY GLOBE, TORONTO. SAT AUG 25, 1860
15. SUMMARIZE REMARKS PERTAINING TO (a) FUNNEL; (b) INTERESTING OR CAPRICIOUS EVENTS.

(a) *none*

(b) *Trees uprooted, barns unroofed and a number of cattle killed and injured.*



THE DAILY GLOBE, TORONTO, SATURDAY AUGUST 11TH. 1860.

STORM DATE. TUES. EVE. AUG. 7TH. 1860.

The district around GALT was visited by a severe storm on Tuesday evening last. Numerous barns and trees were struck by the electric fluid, but, save in one instance, no great damage was sustained. The barn of MR. RODERICK McCLEOD, on the BEVERLY ROAD, near GALT, was struck by the lightning about the centre of the roof, the shingles of which it tore off and scattered about, and then split one of the large timbers of the roof. The barn was protected by two lightning conductors, one at each end, and after the shock the point of one was found to have been melted. The barn of MR. KIRKPATRICK, on the macadamized road, was entirely unroofed by the wind, and the timbers scattered some distance in the fields. The farm of MR. JOHN GRIER, near GLENMORRIS, was also visited, and in a very severe manner. The lightning struck the barn, filled with crops only just gathered in, and setting it on fire, consumed everything on the premises, with the exception of some livestock, which were with difficulty removed. Even as it was, one horse was burnt, together with a buggy and some agricultural implements. A large pine tree on the lane leading up to the farm of MR. RICH, of GALT, near the residence of MR. ALEXANDER McKAY, was also destroyed by the lightning, being smashed into splinters.

THE DAILY GLOBE, TORONTO, TUESDAY AUGUST 21ST. 1860.

STORM DATE. TUES. AUG. 7TH. 1860.

INCIDENTS OF THE STORM. FROM THE GALT REPORTER.

The storm which visited this locality on Tuesday last, appears to have been felt over the whole range of DUMFRIES, and extended ^{also} a short distance into WATERLOO. In the village of PRESTON, near GUGGISBERG'S FACTORY, a large house was struck in the chimney, the fluid passing down the stove-pipe to the floor, which it ripped up, passing close beside a cradle in which an infant was sleeping, without even awakening the child. No one was injured. There was also quite an incident occurred on the GALT RAILWAY. The 5 12p.m. train from GALT to HARRISBURG, left this station immediately after the occurrence of the storm, and had proceeded safely on its journey a distance of about five miles, when the engineer was alarmed by the appearance of a woman upon the track, who, with a red shawl, was making every endeavor to attract the attention of those having charge of the train. In this she was successful, and it was soon brought to a stand, when it was found that immediately around the curve which they were approaching, a large tree had been blown directly on to the track. The obstruction was soon removed, and the train proceeded on its way. It appears

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that the woman (whose name we regret we cannot give), lives close beside the line, and discovering the fallen tree, and knowing the fearful consequences which would ensue were the train to rush upon it, she took the only means in her power of warning them of the danger. It was a good and thoughtful act, and should certainly attract the favorable notice of the company.

GALT REPORTER.DAILY GLOBE, TORONTO. SATURDAY AUGUST 25TH. 1860.STORM DATE. TUES. AUG. 7TH. 1860.

A correspondent writes us that the storm of Tuesday, 7th. inst., which passed over a wide extent of country, did considerable damage in the TOWNSHIPS of MANVERS and OPS. Timber was uprooted, several barns unroofed, and a number of cattle killed and injured.