Summary Sheet

IDTO - ID Number	:694617
AUTH - Report Author	:
TYFU - Tornado Type & Fuji Code	:c0
TITL - Report Title or Location	:Hogs Back
PROV - Province	:Ontario
COUN - Counties	:Ottawa
REFS - References	:GM July 2, 1946
ZOTO - Touchdown Zone Number & Easting	:18445350
NOTO - Touchdown Northing	:5024090
LOVA - Touchdown Error Value & Code	:500c
DADA - Date of Data Entry	:13/06/1990
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	:01/07/1946
DAVA - Date Error Value & Code	:
TITO - Time of Tornado	:1500
TIMR - Time Meridian	:75
TIVA - Time Error Value & Code	:52s
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:Rowboat lifted out of the water.

PHEN - Associated Phenomena	:P
TSHP - Townships	:Ottawa

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STORM DATE: P.M. MON. JULY 1 1946.

1 Killed, Damage Heavy In Ottawa Valley Storm

Ottawa July 1 (CP) A sudden heavy thunderstorm which roared down the Ottawa Valley in the middle of a hot, sultry afternoon today was held responsible for taking the life of at least one person.

Reginald Courgon 36, was electrocuted when he attempted to move a high tension electric wire which had been blown down during the storm. The wire running from a pole to his home fell across another high tension wire and was hanging close to the sidewalk when he grasped it.

Witnesses said they heard Courgon scream as he attempted to pull it away from where it was hanging.

The storm which brought winds registered all 70 miles an hour uprooted trees, tore down power lines and wires and overturned chicken coops and small outbuildings in the Ottawa area.

Firemen were kept busy answering calls which ranged from small fires to broken trees and branches obstructing roads and laneways.

Yvette Doucet 30 of Hull who was living in a tent was in serious condition with head and arm injuries after a falling limb crashed upon the tent. At Arnprior 30 miles up the Ottawa River from the capital, Basil Cunningham, 28, was injured by lightning as he sought shelter under a tree during a ball game.

Thousands of Ottawans boating or swimming at beaches were caught off guard by the sudden fury of the storm which swept up without warning, but so far as could be learned at a late hour tonight the storm was not responsible for any drownings.

Among freak tricks played by the heavy winds a rowboat was lifted completely out of the water at near-by Hogs Back while in the Gatineau Valley north of the city the top was blown off an automobile.

Roofs were blown off at Renfrew where a dance hall was partly blown down.

Montreal July 1 (CP) A heavy thunder and lightning storm backed by a wind estimated at times as being close to 70-miles-per-hour caused widespread damages here today disrupted power lines and caused general chaos.

The storm cut off power in the Montreal district for periods ranging from seven minutes to five hours. The Montreal Tramways Co. cut all power on its circuits for seven minutes. In Montreal North, six streetcar poles, were yanked from their moorings and sent tumbling across power lines. A cottage in neighboring Outremont was struck by lightning and caught fire.