***Date* :** Sunday, May 19, 1940

***Time* :** 5:00PM

***Location* :** Markham, York County to Cherrywood, Durham County

***F-Rating* :** F2 ‘B’

***Track Length* :** UTM = 9.56km (5.94mi)

***Max Width* :** N/A

***Direction* :** UTM = 283° (WNW-ESE)

***Shape* :** N/A

***Injuries* :** 0

***Deaths* :** 0

***Damage Cost* :** “Markham fair building severely damaged. Ticket office thrown 20 feet. Cattle stables torn to pieces. Barns blown to pieces. One barn was lifted off the ground leaving a horse and cow standing in the open.”

***Notes* :** Probable F2 tornado ripped through the western end of Markham and damaged farm properties before lifting off near Cherrywood (NW of Pickering). See newspaper for more info.

***Photos/Videos* :** None in EC file. Check around for images.