***Date* :** Sunday, September 3, 1978

***Time* :** 1:50PM

***Location* :** Welland, Niagara

***F-Rating* :** F0 ‘A’

***Track Length* :** At least 3.22km (2mi)

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

***Direction* :** Approx. 225° SW-NE \*likely sinusoidal path

***Shape* :** Funnel cloud with debris lofted, swirling, spiralling

***Injuries* :** 0

***Deaths* :** 0

***Damage Cost* :** N/A, mostly trees uprooted or broken, some hydro wires damaged (secondary)

***Notes* :** At least three witness accounts observing the tornado. Although weak, it managed to move a car and rip some trees out of the ground and loft them into the air with one landing on a high tension wire. It also was witnessed sucking water out of the Old Welland Canal, and a nearby swimming (wading) pool. Also noted that a waterspout was seen offshore. (reference?)

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