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TITLE.:- AMAZING TORNADO.

Picture.:- This "cyclone", as some of the people in the devastated area called it, is another happening which supports the theories of the scientists that the English climate is changing.

This terrific storm seems to have made the Birmingham suburbs its objective --

--of which Sparkhill, Small Heath and Bordesley Green have suffered the worst.

Roofs were lifted off houses bodily, (one was said to have been carried sixty-yards) and shop fronts were blown out. The collapse of a chimney stack was unfortunately the cause of one poor woman losing her life, while flying chimney pots injured nine other people.

The storm was over in a very few minutes, but it wrecked enough houses to give a whole army of builders work.

In Small Heath Park, two hundred ancient trees, some as much as one hundred years old were brought to ground. Eight years ago, there was a similar storm round the same neighbourhood.

Let's hope there will not be a recurrence eight years hence !