VERY LONG TRACK TORNADOES PRE-2000

(and one post 2000)

VLT stat list:

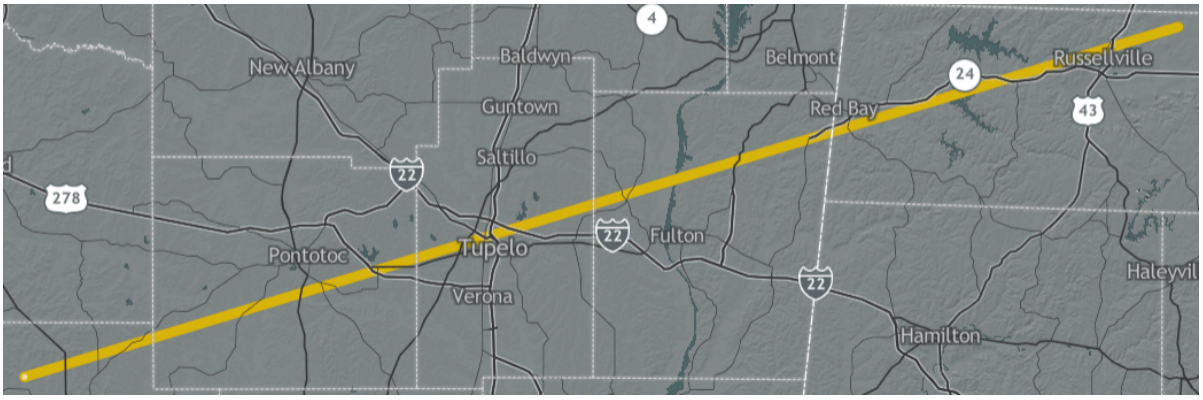
F Rating:
Path Length: (must be at or over 109 miles)
Max Width:
Was It A Family? (Yes, No, Maybe)
(If any of above) Why?

June 17, 1882
Grinnell, Iowa



F Rating: F5
Path Length: 109.4 miles
Max Width: 800 yards
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: To be honest I'm not all that skilled in most of these pre-1900 VLT tornadoes. That said, there's a squirrely bit north of that lake north of Johnston that might be a break, which would split it into two tornadoes, neither of which would break 100 miles in length.

March 28, 1902
Tupelo, Mississippi



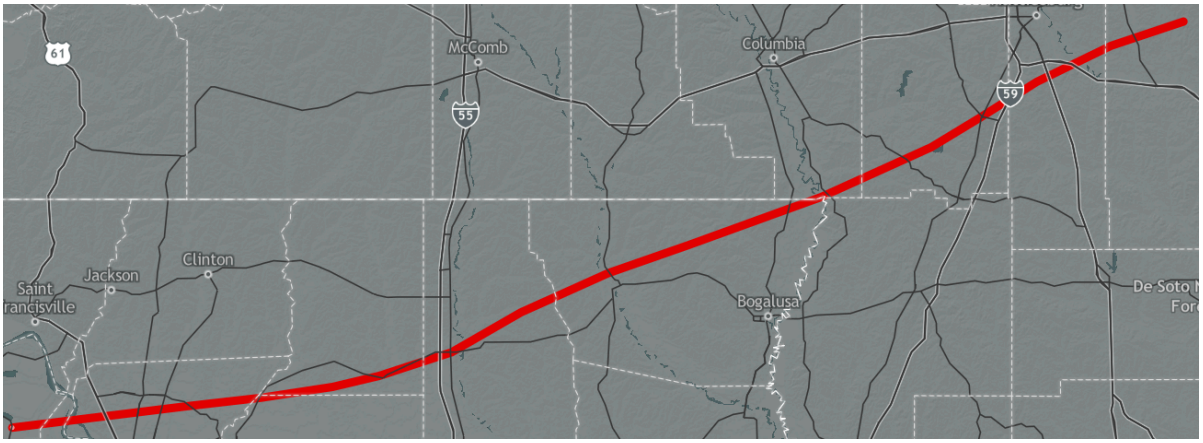
F Rating: F2
Path Length: 109.9 miles
Max Width: 70 yards (Ha)
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: Again, not too skilled on these really old timey events. But there is a possibility this tornado was a single storm, mostly because VLT Dixie events have happened and been confirmed to be one storm. That said the F2 rating is either iffy itself or implies the track might have been a bit shorter than officially designated.

April 24, 1908
North of Natchez, Mississippi



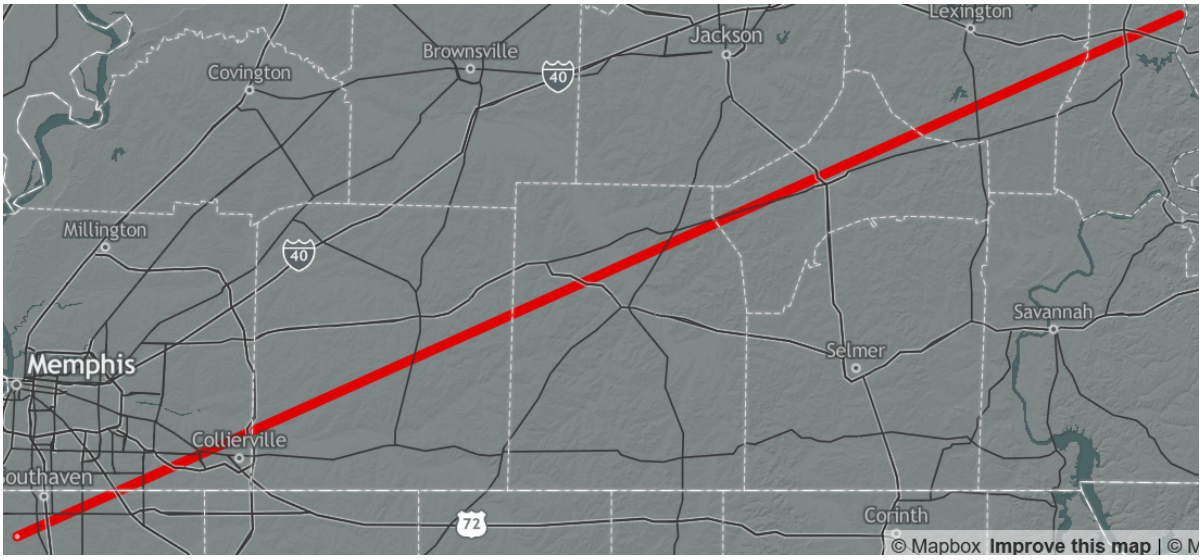
F Rating: F4
Path Length: 122.6 miles
Max Width: 700 yards
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: Again, I'm not too sure, but I don't see anything on that path that looks like a break.

April 24, 1908
Amite City, Louisiana to Purvis, Mississippi



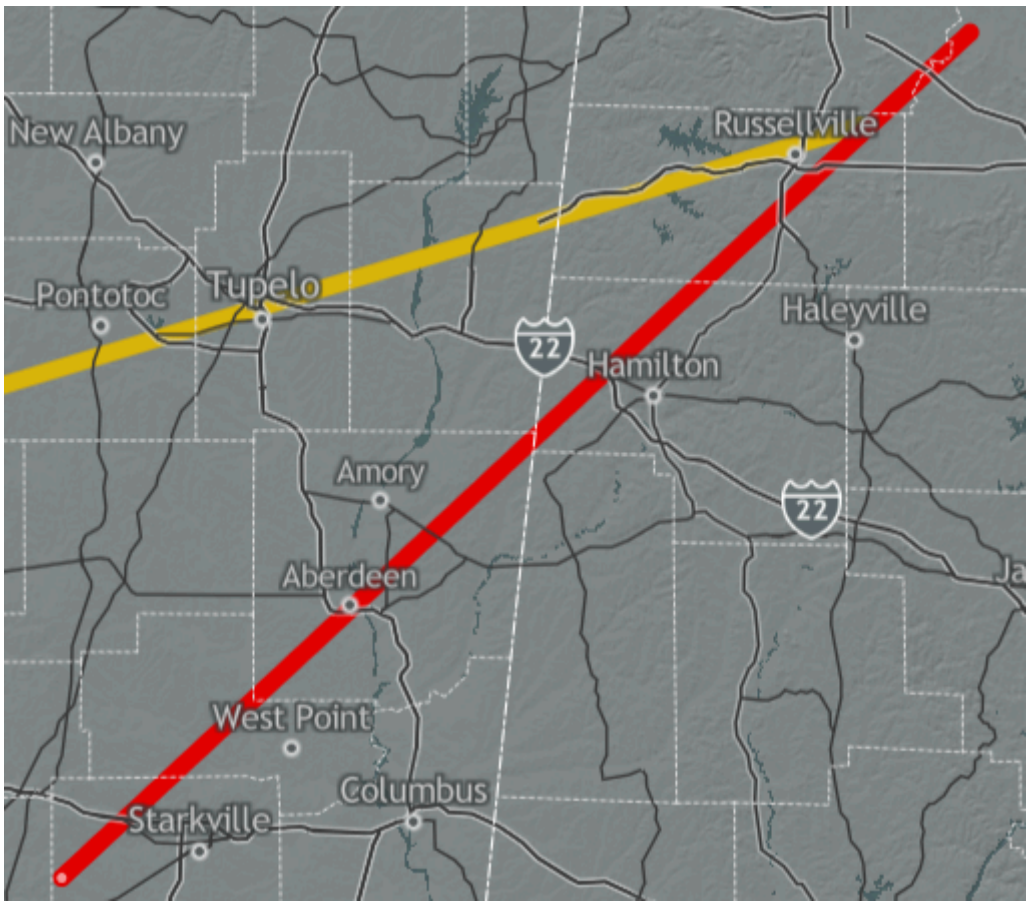
F Rating: F4
Path Length: 154.9 miles
Max Width: 4400 yards (2.5 miles)
Was It A Family? Yes
Why: There was most likely a break close to the state line. Another tornado then touched down on the other side of the state line.

April 29, 1909
Henderson, Tennessee



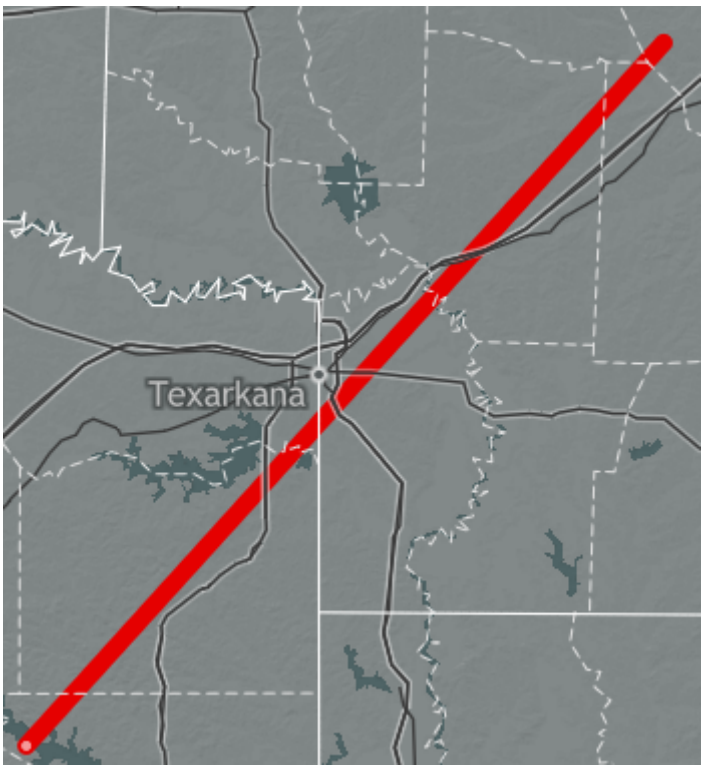
F Rating: F4
Path Length: 125 miles
Max Width: 600 yards
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: Again, not too skilled on that

April 20, 1920
Waco, Alabama



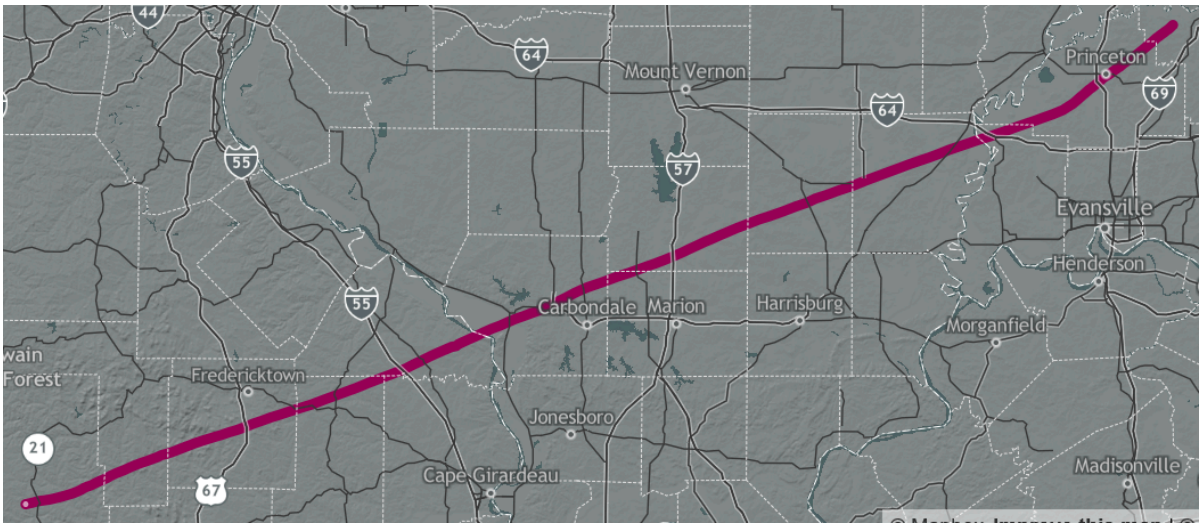
F Rating: F4
Path Length: 129.8 miles
Max Width: 800 yards
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: Again, not too skilled. Dixie tornadoes have been known to be long trackers,

April 15, 1921
Lakewood Estates, Arkansas



F Rating: F4
Path Length: 111.7 miles
Max Width: 400 yards
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: Look man I aint that skilled with these ones really

March 18, 1925
Tri-State Tornado




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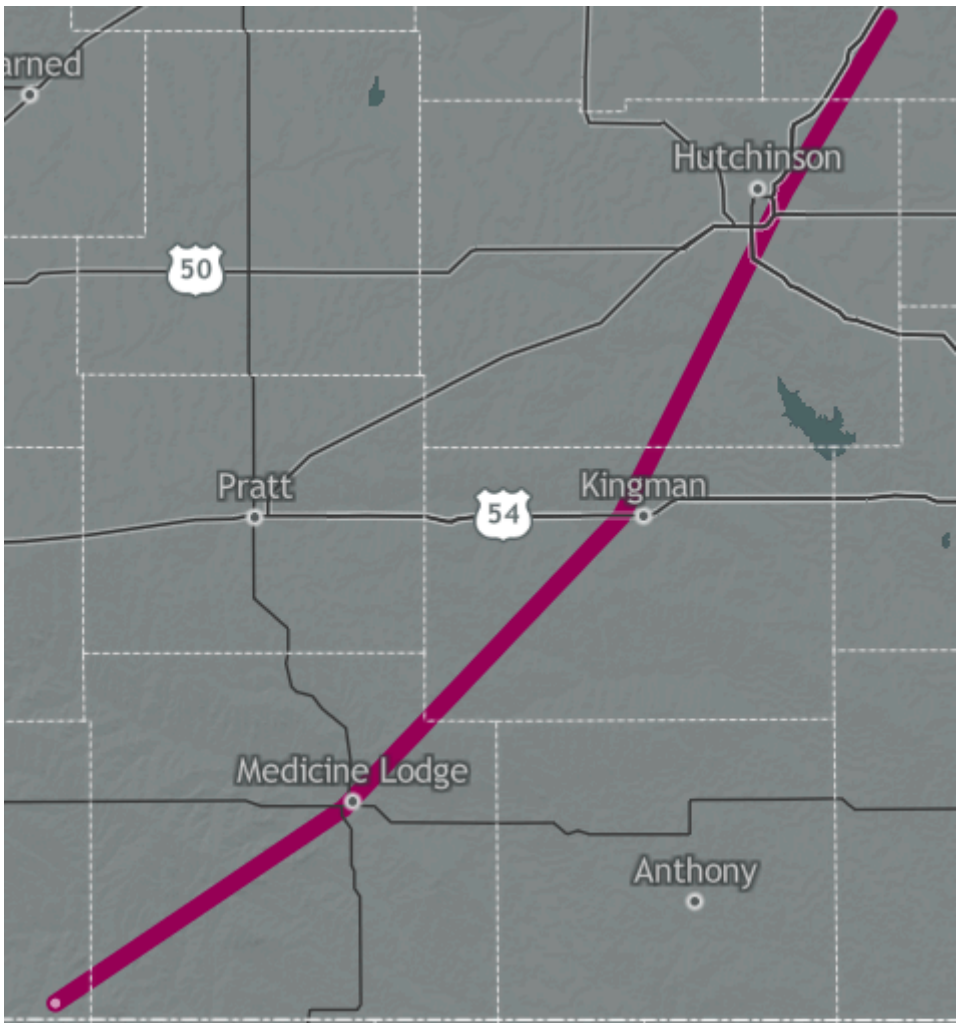
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In the Twinkling of an Eye, Murphysboro Was No More

F Rating: F5
Path Length: 217.4 miles
Max Width: 2 miles
Was It A Family? Yes, but one tornado was over the 109 mile limit
Why: Though it didn't quite reach 200 miles, the Tri-State Tornado would still enter the list in modern times because the "main" tornado of the family (Ellington to Owensboro) tracked about 155 miles.

May 7, 1927
Aetna, Kansas



F Rating: F5
Path Length: 115.9 miles
Max Width: Think I've heard 2 miles being thrown around
Was It A Family? Maybe
Why: