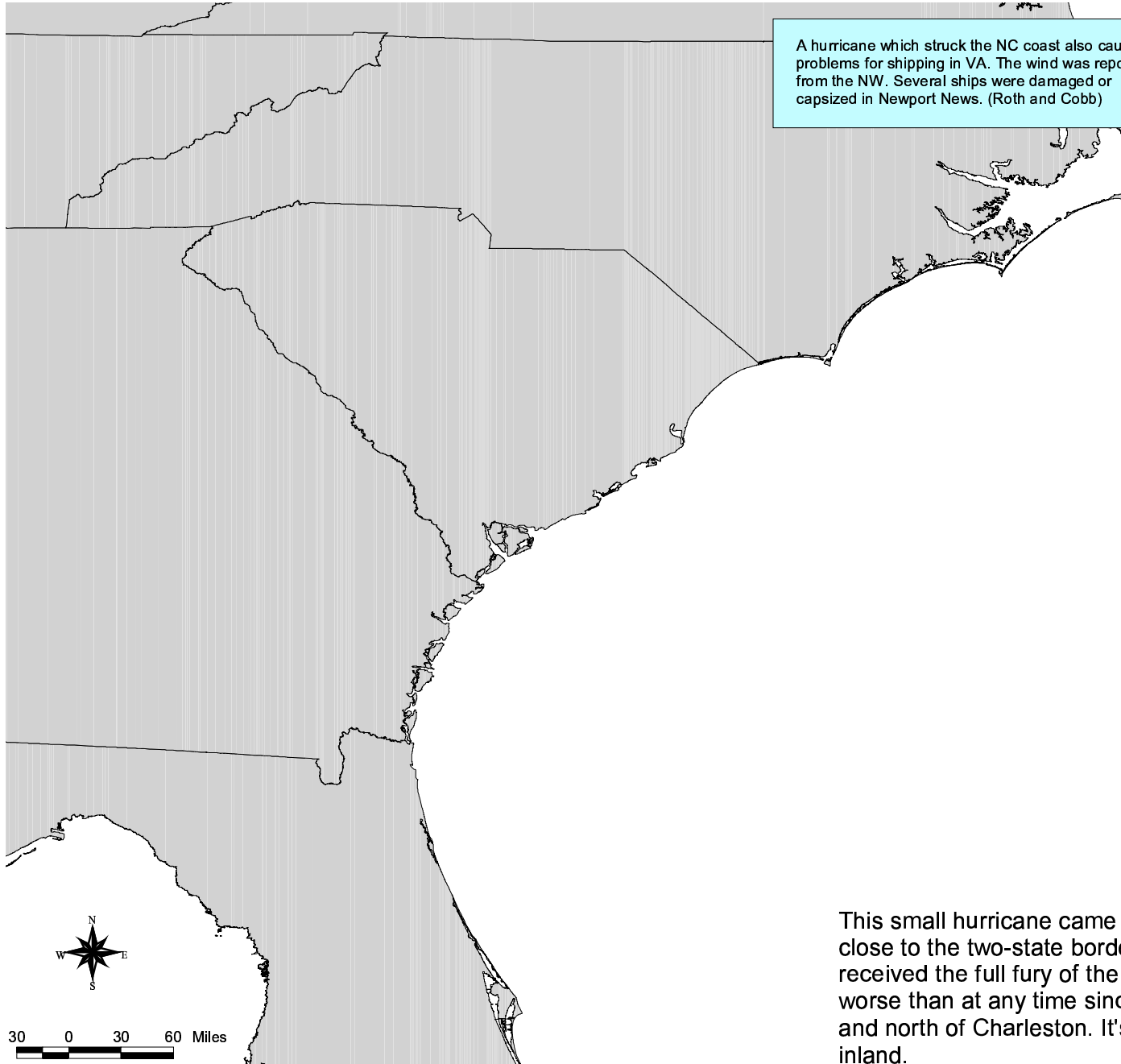


The Carolina Hurricane of 1834 - Sept. 3-6

A hurricane which struck the NC coast also caused problems for shipping in VA. The wind was reported from the NW. Several ships were damaged or capsized in Newport News. (Roth and Cobb)



This small hurricane came inland on the Carolina shoreline close to the two-state border on Sept. 4, 1834. Georgetown, SC received the full fury of the storm, and the damage there was worse than at any time since 1804. The center moved east and north of Charleston. It's effects were not felt 40 to 50 miles inland.