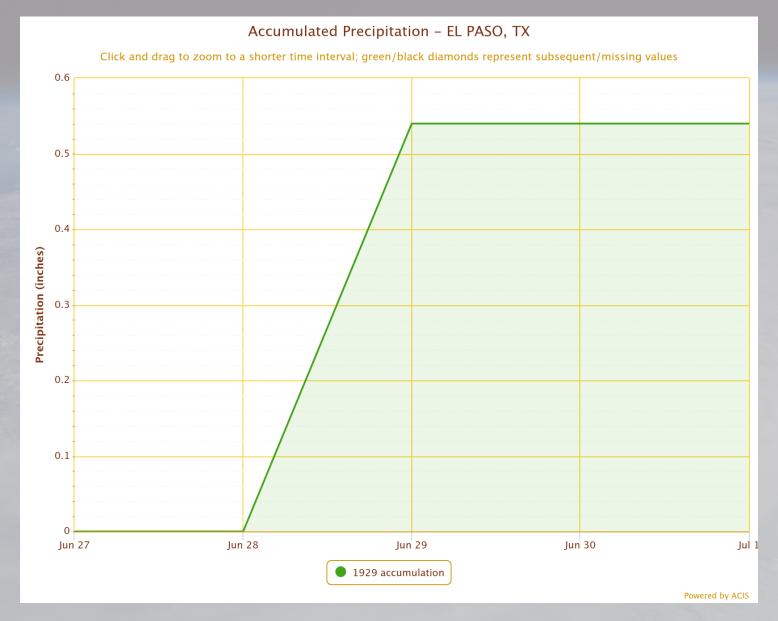
Unnamed 1929 Remnants



Unnamed 1929 or Hurricane One was a tropical cyclone that affected Texas during the 1929 Atlantic Hurricane season. It made landfall over Matagorda Bay on June 28, 1929 as a Category 1 hurricane. The remnants of this hurricane moved across Texas and eventually reached the El Paso and southern New Mexico region as a Tropical Storm on June 30, 1929. This tropical cyclone was unusual in that it remained a Tropical Storm when it passed through the El Paso region, the only one in recorded history known to do so.



Unnamed 1929 Track



Rainfall totals from Unnamed 1929's Remnants recorded from the El Paso International Airport amounted to over half an inch

Evidence of Unnamed 1929's Existence by an Excerpt from the NOAA Monthly Weather Review

THE TROPICAL STORM OF JUNE 28, 1929

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Pressure had been low for several days previous to the 28th over the western portion of the Gulf of Mexico, but it was not until this date that any definite disturbance was more than suspected, a call for special observations being made on the morning of the 28th. A much delayed report from the steamship Chester O. Swain (the first vessel report in this region for several days) located the storm off the Texas coast and the following warning was immediately issued:

Hoist northeast storm warning 2 p. m. Galveston to Corpus Christi; disturbance of unknown but probably moderate intensity; central about latitude 27° N., longitude 95° 30′ W., apparently moving north-northwestward; will cause strong shifting winds probably gales at times on the Texas coast between Corpus Christi and Galveston.

The storm was of extremely small diameter, but of considerable intensity over a path about 20 miles in diameter from Port O'Connor to San Antonio. The lowest barometer reading probably was not below 29 inches, 29.12 being reported from Port O'Connor, 29.1 at Victoria, and 29.44 at San Antonio. Being of such small diameter, the storm did not last more than two or three hours at any one point, but estimated wind velocities as high as 80 miles per hour were reported. Corpus Christi and Galveston were only slightly affected.

Due to the difficulty in locating the storm, which was apparently in process of rapid development even as it struck the coast, adequate warnings were impossible for Port O'Connor and the southern portion of Matagorda Peninsula, the storm passing Port O'Connor at 4:30 p. m. The storm lasted from 4:30 to 6 p. m. at Port Lavaca and from 6:30 to 8 p. m. at Victoria.