THE WEATHER. Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Local ³ thundershowers. Gentle variable winds. * * *



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LONE BOLL WEEVIL FOUND IN COUNTY

His Remains May be Viewed in Office of G. W. Falls by Farmers Who Aren't Sure How Mr. Weevil Looks.

One lone boll weevil is the only actual specimen that County Farm Acent G. W. Falls has acquired from careful searching of the cotton fields of Pasquotank all this season, and in the opinion of Mr. Falls damage to the cotton crop by the boll weevil in this County this year will be neglig-

able. "Had it not been for the wet weat-ther during August I do not believe that boll weevil damage would have reached three per cent. Even as it is, I do not expect it to go beyond that figure, though if this wet weath-er persists for the remainder of Aug-ust it may possibly reach five per cent."

<text> The lone boll weevil in Mr. Falls'

They eithed to be hauled down. Going was pretty rough near the mouth of the Pasquatak from the wrong direction, as other and over part of Currituck sound the inland waterway canal late were the inland waterway canal late was been the inland water



Richmond, August 17. — "Devil's Grippe," an epidemic in the eastern section of Vir-ginia, is now threatening to spread to the valley section, Dr. Ennison Williams, state health commissioner, announc-ed here today. Fifty cases are now under treatment in Richmond and a total of 400 cases have been re-

total of 400 cases have been re-ported to the state health de-partment thus far.

CATHOLIC PRIESTS

Pillage District Near Sungho, Lott Town of Tsaoshih, Burn Hospital and Take 80 Chinese Captives.



the North river and they were forced to turn back to shore and get a hauch to tow them across the river and over part of Currituck sound Then they took a short cut through the inland waterway canal into Buz ard Bay and following the shore reached Nags Head at 9 o'clock Tues day night.





TWO WOMEN JUMP TO THEIR DEATH York, August 17-Mis A. M. Stearns, a Go-year-old widow, and her daughter, aged 35. jumped from a window of their sixth floor apartment here today and were instantly killed. A note found on the mother's body read: "Please take our bodies to Apartment 62. The key is on me."

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U. S. Commissioner Held up News from the Newspapers for Almost an Entire Day Without Explanation.

Wilmington, August 17.—The pr-rest of Lieutenant Governor W. F. Cooper, Horae C. Cooper, Thomas E. Cooper and Clyde Lassiter here Wed-nesday night on Federal charges growing out of the failure of the Commercial National Bank created a sensation all over the State as the news was read in the newspapers Thursday afternoon. W. B. Cooper and Thomas E.



