

RETURN No. 1, showing Results of Storm Warnings received at Westport during the month of October, 1879.

Date and Hour Received.	Indicated Weather.	Result.		Remarks.
		Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	
1st, 3.37 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between N.W. and W. and S.; glass further fall; sea very heavy outside, and likely increase on bar.	Good	5	Barometer Good. Strongest force 5, from S.W.; wind S. and S.W. all time. Considerable fall of snow on hills on 1st and 2nd.
2nd.	Bad weather probable any direction between N. and W. and S.W.; glass fall again within 24 hours, and backing.	Good	7 to 8	Strongest force noticed about 8 from S.W.; wind generally S.W., but backed for some time to west force 8; 7 to 8 during that time barometer fell one-tenth; squally, showery, with thunder and lightning.
3rd.	Bad weather probable; heavy gale direction as wired yesterday; sea very heavy outside, and increase on bar; glass fall very soon.	Good	7 to 8	Strongest force as above, which applies generally to this forecast; bar rough, but fell to smooth on 4th, and continued smooth until 11th; glass rose on 4th.

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1st, 5.35 p.m.	Glass fall, and strong winds between E. and N.E.	E.N.E.	5	Fresh breeze from E.N.E. on 2nd; glass fell steadily.
4th, 10.26 a.m.	Strong winds between S.E. and N. E., and much sea within 12 hours.	N.E.	3	Moderate breeze from N.E.; sea not heavy; Barometer falling steadily.
9th, 12.16 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N., glass fall; sea heavy within 12 hours.	E.N.E.	2	Barometer good; light winds from E.N.E.; very heavy rain; barometer fell to 29.55.
15th, 1.10 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N.; glass fall; sea heavy within 12 hours; expect much rain.	S.W. to E.S.E.	2	Barometer good; wind backed slightly to E. of S., but soon veered round to westward; no sea; no rain.
20th, 1.15 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S. and E. and N.E.; glass further fall.	N.W.	4	Barometer good; moderate to fresh sea-breezes.

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2nd, 4.20 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N.; glass fall	Good	2	Winds E. to N.E.; glass falling gradually.
4th, 4.51 p.m.	Indications strong winds between S.E. and E. and N.; and falling glass	Good	5 to 6	N.E. winds; and glass falling fast.
9th, 5.5 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N.; glass fall soon	Good	6 to 7	Rain, with strong winds from N.E.; glass fallen 5-10ths.
15th, 3.49 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N.; further fall glass, and much rain	Fine weather for 48 hours; glass rising slightly.
21st, 5.9 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S. and W. and N.W.; glass further fall, but rising within 22 hours	Good	3 to 4	Winds from N.W.; glass fallen 1-10th.
25th, 4.57 p.m.	Bad weather probable any direction between S.E. and E. and N.; glass further fall; expect high tides	Good	2	Light winds from N.; glass slight fall.

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