

## CRIMINAL STATISTICS.

The following table, compiled from the Police Record, shows the criminal statistics of this city for the year 1875, so far as relates to cases that have come before the Police Court—

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Allowing Stock to run at large.....	11	3	9	16	17	13	16	13	13	2	4	9	132
Arson.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Assault and battery.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Assault and abusing.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Assault with deadly weapons.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Assault to commit bodily injury.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Allowing gambling in saloons.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Burglary.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Contempt of court.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Cruelty to animals.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Counterfeiting.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Doing business without license.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Disturbing the peace.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Drunk.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Drunk and disturbing the peace.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Destruction of property.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Drunk and profane swearing.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Doing business on Sunday.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Escaped from jail.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Embezzlement.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Fighting.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Fire arms discharging in the street.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Forgery.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
False pretense.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Furious driving.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Gambling.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Gambling house keeping.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Giving Indians whiskey.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Ill fame house keeping.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Insulting ladies.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Insane.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Indecent exposure.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Lascivious cohabitation.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Language profane.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Language provoking.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Larceny grand.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Larceny petit.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Keeping dog without tax.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Keeping vicious dog.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Murder attempted.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Murder.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Nuisance.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Perjury.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Prison rules breaking.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Personating an officer.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Prostitution.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Rape.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Rape attempted.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Receiving stolen goods.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
R. sisting an officer.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Robbery.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Street obstructing.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Saloon keeping open on Sunday.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Sidewalk riding on.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Shooting.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Slander.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Seduction.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Selling liquor without license.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Selling liquor after hours.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Stealing water.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Shooting fire crackers.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Soldiers.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Threatening.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Trespass.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Vagrancy.....	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
TOTAL.....	93	97	83	109	129	106	120	98	73	78	85	118	1192

## The Vice Presidential Question.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23, 1875.

The question who is the real Vice President of the United States is still exciting interest here. An opinion of the Hon. George W. Paschal, of Washington, author of Paschal's "Annotated Constitution," against Mr. Ferry's right to hold over, has attracted attention. It is found that, with the exception of the first four instances cited by him where the Senate met during the absence, permanent or otherwise, of the Vice President, the Presidents pro tempore of the Senate have held over. Under Jefferson's construction it was understood that the powers and duties of such officers ceased at the end of the session for which they were elected. In these first four instances referred to this understanding was observed, but since, to the number of nearly sixty instances, it has been ignored, and it has become customary for the President of the Senate pro tempore to hold over and resume the chair at a subsequent session. In Mr. Paschal's opinion, published this morning, he referred to the case of Daniel Clarke, and said that Andrew Johnson, Vice President, became President by the death of Mr. Lincoln April 15, 1865.

"It would seem," he continues, if there was then any President pro tempore of the Senate, he must have been Daniel Clarke, who had been chosen February 9, 1865. Lafayette L. Foster was chosen March 7, 1868, which would imply that no choice was made after the death of Mr. Lincoln until that time. But the Senate record of the second session of the Thirty-eighth Congress shows that the Vice President, Mr. Hamlin, being absent, Daniel Clarke, who had been chosen President pro tempore at the previous session, resumed the chair and performed the functions of office until the election of Mr. Foster. Mr. Foster, after his election as President pro tempore at the special session of the Senate, March 7, 1865, held that office without subsequent election until the end of his term. The first session of the Fortieth Congress began March 4, 1867, the Senate, at the last session, having elected Mr. Wade President pro tempore, in place of Mr. Foster, whose term expired with that session. Mr. Wade resumed the chair,

and under this appointment he continued to perform the duties of President pro tempore during the two remaining sessions of the Fortieth Congress until the end of his own term of office.—N. Y. Herald.

BY TELEGRAPH.  
AMERICAN.

WASHINGTON, 10.—Sargent's bill respecting conditional land grants is designed to apply to the defection of the Southern Pacific Railroad land grant. A duplicate of this bill would have been introduced by Pypier in the House to-day had the call of the States reached California.

The Senate in Executive session, confirmed Henry L. Waldo, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico, and John Burney, Minister Resident at the Netherlands.

The bill introduced into the House to-day, by Wood, of N. Y., to repeal in part the resumption act of January, 1875, and to provide for a return to specie payments without contraction, proposes to utilize the \$700,000,000 in four per cent. bonds not yet negotiated and remaining in the treasury, as a basis, by the issuing of small treasury notes in lieu of the present legal tenders and national bank currency. It also provides for the establishing of a sinking fund to be made of one half of the surplus coin revenues in each fiscal year. It provides for coin expenditures and also for an interest of one per cent. on the redeemed four per cent. bonds called in in lieu of the small treasury notes issued as a redemption fund for the resumption of specie payments. It also provides for the suspension of the present sinking fund until resumption shall have been accomplished, and contains various new provisions for the better regulation of the finances of the government.

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