

- Huntly*.—A new brick office is being erected by contract.
- Morrinsville*.—The erection of a two-story wooden building was completed in June, 1909.
- Ngaruawahia*.—The contract for erection of this building in brick is in progress.
- Otorohanga*.—A contract has been let for the erection of a new office, and work is in progress.
- Te Kuiti*.—Erection of this building was completed in March last. Two additional rooms have since been built.
- Te Puke*.—Additional rooms were built and fitted, and general repairs carried out.
- Rotorua*.—Additions were made to telephone exchange, and two new rooms built.
- Cambridge*.—A brick store for telegraph materials has been built.
- Taumarunui*.—A new office has been built.
- Whitianga*.—A residence for the Postmaster has been built.
- Kauhia*.—Additions and repairs have been carried out.
- Tolaga Bay*.—Additions to this office have been executed by day-labour.
- Waipiro*.—A residence for the Postmaster has been built by day-labour.
- Port Awanui*.—A combined office and residence has been erected.
- Nuhaka*.—A contract for erection of this building is in hand.
- Stratford*.—Additions have been made, and the building painted and renovated.
- Toko*.—A new building, to replace that destroyed by fire, has been erected.
- Hawera*.—Comprehensive alterations to provide improved accommodation have been carried out.
- Waverley*.—Additions, alterations, and improvements have been carried out.
- Aramoho*.—A brick and compo. two-storied office has been built.
- Kimbolton*.—A new office has been erected.
- Ohakune*.—A new office has been erected.
- Hastings*.—A two-storied brick building is in course of erection.
- Napier*.—Extensive alterations and additions are well in hand.
- Foxton*.—The erection of a new brick office is well advanced.
- Ashhurst*.—Alterations and additions are well in hand.
- Norsewood*.—Alterations and additions have been completed.
- Manukau*.—A new office has been built.
- Weraroa*.—A new building has been erected.
- Featherston*.—A brick building has been erected by contract.
- Alfredton*.—Alterations and additions are being carried out.
- Upper Hutt*.—The contract for erection of a new brick office has been completed.
- Te Aro (Wellington)*.—This brick building was practically completed within the year.
- Wellington*.—Telephone exchange: Additions and alterations have been carried out.
- Courtenay Place (Wellington)*.—A brick building was purchased and converted to the purposes of an office and Postmaster's residence.
- Wellington*.—New General Post Office: Good progress has been made with the work of putting in foundations. The building lately occupied by the letter-carriers has been demolished, and the old drill-shed altered and fitted to meet their requirements, and to also accommodate the Parcel Post Branch.
- Kekerangu*.—This building was erected by the Department's men.
- Richmond*.—A new office has been built.
- Cheviot*.—Additions and alterations have been carried out.
- Woolston*.—A new building in brick has been erected by contract.
- Rakaia*.—The old library building was removed from site to provide space for a new post-office, and re-erected.
- Geraldine*.—A brick building providing offices and quarters has been built.
- Fairlie*.—A new office with residence has been erected by contract.
- Timaru*.—Extensive alterations and improvements have been effected, and electric light installed instead of gas.
- Blackball*.—A new office has been built.
- Wallsend*.—A new office has been built.
- Dunedin*.—Chief Post-office: Extensive repairs, repainting, and improvements were carried out during the year.
- Moray Place (Dunedin)*.—The lower portion of a building purchased for the purpose was altered to suit postal requirements.
- St. Bathans*.—A contract for erection of a new building is in progress.
- Ophir*.—A new residence has been built.
- Wyndham*.—A contract has been let for erection of a brick office.
- Queenstown*.—Additions and alterations have been made to office, and residence renovated.
- Invercargill*.—The additions which were in hand last year were completed and furnished.
- Bluff*.—Improved lavatory accommodation and sanitary conveniences are being provided.

MENTAL HOSPITALS.

- Auckland*.—Two small brick buildings have been erected, and general repairs to main buildings carried out as required.
- Nelson*.—The Toi Toi Valley School has been removed to the Mental Hospital site and re-erected, in order to provide increased accommodation for patients. A new day-room and lavatory accommodation are also being provided.
- Sunnyside (Christchurch)*.—A 6 in. artesian well has been sunk; a new general bath-room, containing eight baths and swimming-pool, constructed; a new dairy, fitted with boiler, steriliser, separator, and other modern dairy appliances, completed. A new hot-water circulation system has