

RETURN SHOWING THE EQUIPMENT INSTALLED AND THE EQUIPMENT IN USE AT AUTOMATIC EXCHANGES ON 31ST MARCH, 1929.

Name of Exchange or Branch Exchange.	Existing Capacity of Exchange Equipment Installed.				Number of Units of Equipment in Use.				Number of Main Stations in Existence Irrespective of the Number of Units of Equipment in Use.										Number of Extension Stations connected.		Total Number of Telephone Stations connected.	
	Automatic Lines.				Automatic Lines.				Automatic Stations.						Totals.		Number of Extension Stations connected.					
	Magne- to Lines.				Magne- to Lines.				Magne- to Stations.						Auto Stations.		Magne- to Stations.					
	One- party.	Two- party.	Four- party.	Multi- party.	One- party.	Two- party.	Four- party.	Multi- party.	One- party.	Two- party.	Three- party.	Four- party.	Multi- party.	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)							
Auckland Exchange Area—																						
Wellesley Street ..	7,200	..	100	..	..	6,150	..	100	..	..	6,150	90	54	148	..	..	6,442	4	2,829	..	9,271	4
Remuera ..	1,800	100	..	..	..	1,894	71	88	..	..	1,894	142	66	264	..	..	2,366	..	210	..	2,576	..
Mount Eden ..	2,200	..	100	..	..	2,046	..	99	..	..	2,046	26	72	248	..	..	2,392	..	137	..	2,529	..
Ponsonby ..	1,560	..	100	..	..	1,345	..	91	..	..	1,345	54	90	136	..	..	1,625	..	122	..	1,747	..
Onehunga ..	400	..	..	..	..	400	..	..	..	..	400	..	..	..	..	..	400	..	50	..	450	..
Devonport ..	600	100	..	..	..	576	5	..	..	..	576	10	..	..	..	..	586	..	33	..	619	..
Takapuna ..	400	..	..	..	..	352	..	..	..	..	352	..	..	..	..	..	352	..	27	..	379	..
Christchurch Exchange Area—																						
Hereford Street*	1,500	..	..	..	..	1,491	..	..	..	..	1,491	..	..	..	..	..	1,491	..	238	..	1,729	..
St. Albans*	500	..	..	..	..	487	..	..	..	..	487	..	..	..	..	..	487	..	70	..	557	..
Sydenham*	300	..	..	..	..	289	..	..	..	..	289	..	..	..	..	..	289	..	37	..	326	..
Dunedin Exchange Area—																						
Dowling Street ..	4,000	100	100	..	100	3,559	39	37	..	31	3,559	78	86	36	..	111	3,759	111	1,590	44	5,349	155
Roslyn ..	1,000	..	..	..	..	890	..	..	..	..	890	..	..	..	..	..	890	..	62	..	952	..
South Dunedin ..	1,800	100	..	..	..	1,373	95	..	..	..	1,433	70	..	..	..	..	1,503	..	109	..	1,612	..
Wellington Exchange Area—																						
Courtenay Place ..	3,800	100	100	..	..	3,738	93	25	..	..	3,754	184	18	12	..	..	3,968	..	1,115	..	5,083	..
Wellington South ..	2,100	100	100	..	..	2,012	96	93	..	..	2,022	268	111	32	..	..	2,433	..	178	..	2,611	..
Kelburn ..	1,600	..	100	..	..	1,293	36	55	..	..	1,298	64	36	24	..	..	1,422	..	90	..	1,512	..
Khandallah ..	200	100	100	..	..	194	54	68	..	..	229	60	69	136	..	..	494	..	11	..	505	..
Stout Street ..	7,400	100	100	..	..	4,381	47	87	..	..	4,392	116	84	148	..	..	4,740	..	3,586	..	8,326	..
Miramar ..	400	..	..	..	..	398	..	..	..	..	398	..	..	..	..	..	398	..	11	..	409	..
Single-office exchanges—																						
Blenheim ..	800	..	100	..	50	734	..	64	..	32	734	82	24	60	..	135	900	135	106	6	1,006	141
Dannevirke ..	700	..	100	50	50	590	..	27	43	..	590	34	9	20	281	..	934	..	124	..	1,058	..
Hamilton ..	1,700	100	100	..	100	1,628	1	100	..	87	1,628	84	57	160	..	510	1,929	510	394	58	2,323	568
Hawera ..	900	..	100	50	..	760	..	37	24	1	760	34	18	56	177	9	1,045	9	157	..	1,202	9
Masterton ..	1,200	100	100	..	..	997	90	99	..	137	1,089	154	42	24	..	390	1,309	390	257	8	1,566	398
Napier ..	2,200	100	100	..	100	1,841	39	..	..	28	1,858	44	..	..	..	98	1,902	98	678	4	2,580	102
Oamaru ..	800	..	100	..	20	731	..	94	..	8	794	18	36	40	..	59	888	59	116	4	1,004	63
Palmerston North ..	2,200	..	100	..	110	2,176	..	92	..	35	2,182	68	36	160	..	180	2,446	180	343	131	2,789	311
Stratford ..	500	..	100	50	..	425	..	21	23	..	425	22	18	16	184	..	665	..	70	..	735	..
Wanganui ..	2,500	200	100	..	100	2,318	63	78	..	63	2,318	146	48	208	..	358	2,720	358	618	14	3,338	372
Totals ..	52,260	1,300	1,900	150	850	45,068	693	1,345	90	422	45,383	1,848	974	1,928	642	1,850	50,775	1,854	13,368	269	64,143	2,123

* Auxiliary apparatus.

Columns 8 and 9 include a number of two and four party lines which are being used for other than two and four party stations.