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Upper left shows a fire alarm operator reading the number of an alarm that has just been registered on the tape, also the transmitter which sends the alarm to every fire station in the city at the same time. At the upper right is a fire department telephone operator at the switchboard where all telephone alarms are received. In the center picture at the left is Chief Louis Gascoigne, superintendent of telegraph, who had charge of the construction of the new central fire alarm office, one of the finest in the world. At his right is the new building. The lower picture shows just a few of the alarm registers and part of the big switchboard where the street box alarms are received.