

Legislative Assembly and several committee rooms. A wooden building near the west wing is devoted to the offices of the Government Railway Inspector.

The Executive Council offices are in the building formerly occupied as the general Hospital. This building, was thoroughly renovated internally, the large rooms which had been used as sick wards were re-floored, the walls cleaned, and in some cases re-plastered and hung with magnificent and costly paper hangings, pannelled in the most tasteful style. On the first floor are the Council room; the Governor General's office with ante-rooms, secretary's office, and Aide-de-Camps apartment. There is also the President's room, clerk's rooms, &c. On the 2nd floor are the offices of the Provincial secretaries east and west, with their several appendant offices, &c. In the rear of the building is a new fire proof building for the Provincial Registry Office. The roof is vaulted in four rings of brick upon girders of boiler plate rivetted together in lengths of 6 feet, and are 18 inches deep with flanges upon which rest the arches the girders have a space of 13 feet and are only one quarter of an inch in thickness. The plan was furnished by William Hay Architect who also superintend the alterations.

A little further west, on Victoria Square, stands the

NEW WOODEN CHURCH.

This is a very picturesque and Church-like edifice, and deserving of notice for its severe simplicity yet elegance of structure and design, and its remarkable cheapness. It accommodates more than 500 persons, and cost a little over £350. It has a nave, aisles, chancel, and porch. The chancel is apsidal or semi-octagonal. There is a boldly constructed bell-cot at the north-west angle. The mode of construction is vertical boarding with battened joints, plastered on the interior. The roof is shingled and shews the open frame-work inside. The windows are grouped in four lights, with straight-pointed heads, and are filled with stained glass. The seats are open. There is a handsome stone font of large dimensions and of middle pointed design. Mr. William Hay was the Architect. The Reverend T. S. Kennedy is the incumbent.

ST. MARY'S, R. C., CHURCH—BATHURST STREET.

This is a simple brick edifice consisting of nave and aisles, built about six years ago, by an amateur architect. It was so badly constructed that it is now undergoing a thorough reconstruction. There