Anticipating California's Future Growth

To meet the growth in California, the Southern California Edison Company added 429,000 horse power between 1921 and 1925. This increase is 114% compared with 54% for the whole country in the same five-year period. The company's present capacity is 807,000 horse power and another five years' growth at this rate will see a demand of 920,000 horse power more.

A new plant now under construction will have the world's largest electric generators, the world's largest tandem compound turbines and the world's largest horizontal water tube boilers. It is designed for an ultimate capacity of 1,000,000 horse power.

This is the sixth time Southern California Edison Company has employed Stone & Webster construction service in its program of extension.