

MISCELLANEOUS

Besides these important and striking matters which engross the attention of the Government and the Assembly, there is a vast amount of departmental work which does not appear on the surface, such as:—

The Administration of the License Branch, involving the appointment of over 300 License Commissioners and the direction of 97 License Inspectors.

The Division Court Branch, involving the appointment of Clerks and Bailiffs as vacancies occur.

The Board of Health, which has to deal with every municipality and particularly with the outbreak of contagious diseases.

The Bureau of Labour and the Collection of Labour Statistics.

The Inspection of Factories and Considering the Reports of Five different Inspectors.

The Bureau of Statistics, which publishes bulletins annually with reference to municipal statistics, the agricultural reports on farm stock and farm produce, etc.

The Bureau of Mines, dealing with mining leases and mining reports, the granting of Charters to Corporations and Joint Stock Companies. These alone in the last five years amounted to 2,681; the fees collected amounting to \$461,573.

The Fisheries Branch, which collects about \$40,000 annually.