adapting it to individual need; and unless it provides at all times for the fullest application of the understanding of human nature.

If in the endeavour to describe the completely unified organization built up to supply, control and apply all these agencies, the impression has been created that the human element has been sacrificed to efficiency and economy, then the author has entirely failed to present a true picture of the Canadian system.

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