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### WHAT ST. JOHN CAN DO

A small group of younger business men took advantage of the presence of Mr. John Bradford in the city yesterday to spend two hours with him discussing town development and community work.

Mr. Bradford told not only what has been done and is being done and is projected for the future in the town of Amherst, but from his expert knowledge he was able to tell what is being done in many other cities, especially in the United States.

He made it very clear that in every one of our cities there is an overlapping of work by different societies, and that there is great loss of efficiency because the splendid plant which is represented by churches and school buildings is not used to anything like its capacity for good in the community.

Mr. Bradford's idea is well illustrated by what is being done in Amherst. They call the organization there the Greater Amherst Committee, but in Jacksonville, Florida, they call it the Chamber of Commerce. The name is immaterial, but the thing to be done is to get all the organizations of the city represented on one large central council.

Then various sub-committees, selected for their aptitude for the work they have in hand, deal with all questions such as schools, the industrial, commercial, social and moral life of the community.

It is Mr. Bradford's opinion that the St. John board of trade as reorganized is the body which should take up the work in St. John. He believes it to be possible to find a man large enough to take care of the oversight of the industrial and commercial part of the work, and at the same time have the vision which would enable him to co-ordinate the forces for community work.

It was the opinion, however, of the St. John men who heard him that in a city the size of St. John they should have two men, both of whom would be under the direction of the enlarged board of trade.

The importance of using school buildings as social centres is revealed in a very clear light when the case is presented as it is done by Mr. Bradford. He made it perfectly clear to the group of business men yesterday that it is a business proposition, and a profitable one, to make the social life of the people in the tenement districts more pleasant as well as more healthy, and that there is nothing which yields better returns from a purely business standpoint than such work for education and social improvement as will take care of the boys and the girls and give them a livelihood.

He would revolutionize the curriculum of the schools, which now serves the purpose of only 5 per cent of the pupils in attendance, and leaves the other 95 per cent without proper equipment for life work. He would have medical inspection in the schools. He would have ungraded classes for backward or defective children, or young persons who for one reason or another had kept up with their class. He pointed out very clearly that there are hundreds of families of working people, who when they do justice to the children in the matter of food and clothing, have no money to spend on entertainments and amusements.

They are so close to the bread line that life presents to them a prospect of recreation or relief. The opening of the school buildings as social centres, as it is done in Amherst and in more than a hundred cities in the United States, would bring something into the lives of these people which they certainly ought to have, and which their more prosperous neighbors should see is given to them. You cannot touch the children of the poorest or most vicious in the city without touching also the children of the best people, for they are all members of the same community, and the level to which the community as a whole will rise must depend as much upon those at the bottom as upon those at the top.

One of the most hopeful signs of the new order of things in the city of St. John is the fact that men who have in the past devoted themselves almost exclusively to business are ready to sit down and seriously consider such questions as those which are so forcibly presented by men of the type of Mr. Bradford. It means that St. John will grow not only in wealth and population, but will provide better education for its children—all its children; improve the conditions of life for the people, and become in every sense a more desirable city in which to live. When the men who are the largest contributors to the funds of the churches make up their minds that these splendid buildings must be more effectively used as social and educational centres, the thing will be done. When they decide that the school buildings must be opened, that also will be done. When they decide that the course of education must be more practical, a change will be effected.

St. John may learn something from Amherst. A group of citizens have subscribed \$3,000 per year. The city council has granted \$3,000. The Greater Amherst Committee has undertaken to raise \$10,000 per year by entertainments of various kinds. The society of the Pilgrims last year raised \$20,000 and presented it to the hospital, and there is no doubt at all that \$10,000 per year for general work can be raised. That will make \$16,000 per year which a town of 10,000 people is prepared to raise and spend for the benefit of the town. They will have an industrial commissioner. They already have community workers. The sub-committees of

### BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

FEBRUARY FOURTH

Congratulations are in order today to the Hon. Thomas Taylor, one of the ministers of the Crown in British Columbia, who was born in London, Ontario, on February 4, 1862. He went west as a young man, settling in Revelstoke.

The Hon. Frederick Whitworth Aylmer, brother of Lord Aylmer, Canada's one and only resident peer, observes his sixty-third birthday today. He was the third son of the seventh Baron, and was born at Melbourne, P. Q., in 1850. By profession he is a civil engineer and provincial land surveyor, and is now resident at Revelstoke where he holds the position of government engineer. He is reckoned to be one of the pioneers of the Kootenay, and was with Rogers when the latter discovered the Kicking Horse Pass. The town site of Atholmar was laid out by him.

Richard Henry McDonald, a journalist of wide experience, now editor of the Moose Jaw Times, was born on this date in the year 1871 at Ramsgate, England. He commenced life as a journalist on a local Kentish paper. In 1893 he was appointed secretary to the Marquis of Waterford, and from the death of Lord Waterford in 1895 until 1900 was principal political secretary to Lord Charles Bessborough. He then joined the staff of the London Daily Mail. Coming to Canada in 1903 he soon after became private secretary to Edward Brown, the provincial Liberal leader, later working on the Manitoba Free Press. He has written many articles for magazines and newspapers.

Lighter vein good stuff. The old jokes always seem to go. The actors like this ancient chief. For with an old joke, people know exactly when and where to laugh. Goodwill Courier-Journal.

Permanent. Mand—Are you engaged to Jack for good? Ethel—It looks that way. I don't think I'll ever be in a position to marry me.—From the Boston Transcript.

A Dish for the Gods. Liver and onions, artistically blended, produce a fragrance that, wafted to the summit of Olympus, would cause the jovial Jove to kick over the ambrosia kettle and come thundering down the craggy steps in quest of a new dish for the gods.—Kansas City Star.

Up-to-date wife. Peter—Son, does this young lady you are going to marry know how to bake, mend and clean? Son—Certainly not. I'm proud of Mildred; she only knows how to run a seven passenger bixip, park a car on a spare tire, fix a carburetor and read a taximeter.—Chicago News.

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Hasn't happened yet. Once in a while we sit down and wonder ever a moment whether the world is going up and admitted that he was a speech-maker.—Detroit Free Press.

Of course. "What is the most striking feature of the 1913 model cars that you noticed?" "The price."

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