

# New York Graduates' Society of McGill University



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Sir Arthur W. Currie, G.C.M.G., K.C.B.,  
Principal and Vice-Chancellor,  
McGill University,  
Montreal, P.Q., Canada.

Dear Sir Arthur:

Your letter of March 21st in acknowledgment of the message from the New York Graduates' Society of McGill University on the occasion of their annual dinner, was acknowledged by my Secretary, and I am following this up to personally assure you on behalf of the New York Graduates' Society of our appreciation of the keen interest we know you take in our affairs.

I was urged to take the Presidency of the New York Graduates' Society on short notice before the dinner, and I indeed appreciate the action of the University in sending so accomplished a man as Dr. Martin, to our dinner. In these days of doubt and uncertainty, it was refreshing to have Dr. Martin enthuse us with his witty speech. All that you say about Dr. Martin in your letter is only too true. I certainly can add that he is a brilliant after-dinner speaker, and I concur with you that McGill is indeed fortunate to have a man of Dr. Martin's type as Dean of the Faculty of Medicine.

It took perhaps a little persuasion to get as good a turn-out as we had, but the consensus of opinion at the dinner was that if McGill can get as big a crowd at the dinner, then, in better times, the Graduates' Society of New York would indeed be something to be proud of. We are not going to wait until the next dinner before we gather again, and I shall try to do my bit this year to create a better understanding and spirit of common fellowship among the graduates of McGill.

It is a pleasure for the New York Graduates' Society to feel that the Principal of our University takes such a kindly interest in us, and I shall try to see that a good number of our members are told about your letter of good wishes.

Thanking you in the name of our Society, I am,

Yours faithfully,

*E. A. Charlton*  
President.

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