

President Childs went on by offering an impressive tribute to the law and its immense importance in the world. He described, in a picturesque manner, a visit to the high peaks of Switzerland when, on a beautiful morning, the sun had risen far in the east and mounted high in the heavens in all its magnificence and brilliancy over the tapering summits of the mountains. Drawing then a practical metaphor, Mr. Childs suggested to his audience that the nineteenth century has been a century of the rising sun—a century when mankind has been awakened from its night of sleep to appreciate the rising sun in the advancement of the arts and sciences of modern civilized life.

The university, Mr. Childs said, carries on the great work of making from her graduates men who are destined to become the leaders and thinkers of mankind. Their own University, started seventy-four years ago, had developed year after year, until now in all its departments it filled a notable place in the world of letters.

The toasts to be responded to at the dinner were arranged as follows:—The President, George A. Fagan, M.D., North Adams, Mass.; the King, H. Holton Wood, B.A., Boston, Mass.; McGill University, William Peterson, M.A., LL.D., Vice-Chancellor and Principal; Faculty of Law, F. P. Walton, B.A., LL.D., Dean of Faculty; Law Department of the State of Massachusetts, Herbert Parker, Esq., Attorney-General of Massachusetts; Bar Association of City of Boston, William S. Hall, Esq., Boston, Mass.; Our Sister Societies, Wolfred Nelson, M.D., F.R.C.S., President New York Graduates' Society of McGill University.

Dr. Fagan responded to the toast "The President," and in the course of his remarks paid a notable tribute to the chief executive of the nation. He conceived that President Roosevelt stood for all that is highest and noblest and best in life. He represented the gigantic development of a great nation which has built up tier upon tier, until to-day, in its magnificence of proportion and in its richness of equipment, it challenges the gaze of the entire world. The memory of Lincoln, McKinley, and of Roosevelt, would live, he imagined, as long as and wherever the songs of the great achievements of the United States are sung. The strenuousness of life, which President Roosevelt symbolizes, stands for justice and right and truth and honesty of purpose. When Dr. Fagan had concluded his remarks, all present joined in a toast to the President.

The next speaker was H. Holton Wood, who announced the scheme