

June 10, 1931

Dr. L. P. Russell,  
1791 Oxford Street,  
Berkeley, California.

Dear Dr. Russell:

I was sorry to hear the other day through Mrs. Hester that both you and Mrs. Russell have been having some trouble with stomach or heart.

For the past three years I have been interested in the Gowdy Medical Company of Lawrence, the manufacturers of Dr. Gowdy's Stomach Prescription. The medicine has been giving splendid results in many cases and has often been used with great success by persons having heart trouble that is attributable to the condition of their stomachs.

Mrs. Neidig of Los Angeles, who formerly was the president of the Fraternal Brotherhood and is now in charge of its junior department, was quite recently dangerously sick and was being treated for neuritis and heart trouble. She responded in a fine way to the use of this medicine and speaks highly of it. If either one of you, or both of you, would like to try it, I shall be very glad to send you a two dollar jar with my compliments.

It is queer how many things a man will get into. At the present time, among other connections, I am president of Sunset Home and Concordia Hospital, a Baptist institution at Concordia, Kansas, and vice president of Lawrence Memorial Hospital at Lawrence and president of the Gowdy Medical Company.

I often think of you and your good work here in Lawrence. You left an impress on the church that helped it materially for many years. The church somehow is a little in the dumps now, - the case to me seeming more like that of general apathy than anything else. Our pastor has been working hard. There have been thirty-eight baptisms so far this year; As usual, quite a number of them being of Haskell Indians. The Baptists have the largest protestant group at Haskell and may or may not be equalled by the same number of Catholics. Our student work apparently is