

March 5, 1946

L. P. Engel, M.D.
Plaza Medical Building
Kansas City, Missouri

Dear Dr. Engel:

I can never fully express to you my great appreciation for your promptness in coming to attend to Mrs. Simons and your skill in performing the operation. It was just another instance in which friendship and skill united in carrying a patient through a difficult moment.

Mrs. Simons has done remarkably well. It will be five weeks Thursday since the operation was performed, and apparently she is having a perfect recovery. Dr. Johnson is taking a much needed rest at Mayos but visited Mrs. Simons just before leaving Lawrence.

She has been riding in a car twice and has walked around home a little but has not attempted to take walks outdoors nor to climb stairs. We fitted-up a downstairs apartment for her in which she is very comfortable. My daughter, Mrs. Dolph Simons, took charge of rearranging the room and did a perfect job.

We have not yet received a bill from you but will be glad to take care of it when ever it comes. Again expressing my deep appreciation to you, I remain

Cordially yours,

W. C. Simons

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