

PROPOSED  
SOUTHWEST TEXAS CLINIC

is the name, and fittingly so, of the medical centre for Texas and Mexico, to be located at Dilley, Texas



This picture illustrates what we did for our livestock even our dog, in the eradication, cure and prevention of diseases.

What the ranchmen did for their livestock and dog, can and will be done for the fathers, mothers and children, by SOUTHWEST TEXAS CLINIC at Dilley, Texas, as the Health Corral for inspection, cure and prevention of human diseases, centrally located and on a non-profit basis.

**WHAT IT IS NOT.**

1. It is Not the popular conception of a Hospital where one goes only when sick.
2. It is Not a Sanatorium for invalids. Hospitalization of patients will be limited to the shortest duration in keeping with ailment.
3. It is Not for the economically poor only.
4. It is Not a cure-all for all diseases.
5. It is Not for charity patients. The indigent will be cared for by the county from which he comes.

**What it IS.**

1. It is the assembly of salaried Medics-- representing Surgery, Medicine, and Human Evaluations.
2. It is a centre for physical examinations and diagnosis of Ailments.
3. It has a Health Plan which is:  
First. By the payment of a FEE of \$60. per year admits a family.  
Second. The Health Plan Benefits are:
  1. A general physical examination of the father, mother and children of every family paying the \$60. The purpose of this is to detect, prevent and cure diseases before the individual feels sick.
  2. Free services of the doctors for consultations and prescriptions during the year.
  3. It includes hospitalization of Patients, Care of doctors and nurses, bed and food in the hospital.
  4. XRay service.

NOTE. Special nurses, Visitation of doctor to patient outside of hospital, Medicine etc are not included in the fee of \$60.

Usual physical examinations for one person costs \$50 to \$100.

4. The Primary work of this Clinic is to prevent sickness.
5. The Medical Staff will do their best to keep you well.
6. The Clinic will advise you what to do for your children in their physical growth of healthy bodies with right mental attitudes.
7. Those not in the Health Plan will pay usual fees charged by other Clinics.
8. It is a NON-PROFIT Clinic. All NET income will be divided between salaries of Staff and Improvement of service of Clinic.
9. The Objective of this Clinic is to try to do for human beings in Southwest Texas and Mexico what we have done for our livestock, in the PREVENTION OF DISEASES.
10. This is an International, Interdenominational Clinic. The Presbyterian Church U. S. A. will see that it is operated. It is asking all, Catholic, Protestant and Jew, to join in its sponsorship. The Directors will represent all faiths.
11. This Clinic desires mutual cooperation with all Community hospitals and the Medical profession of Southwest Texas and Mexico, in the eradication of diseases, from Humanity--and thus make our people healthy and prosperous.

Signed, John William Harris, organizer,  
Dilley Texas.