
HOSPITAL TO BE EXPANDED

Two-Story and Basement Addition to Tri-State Is Planned

Construction of a two-story and basement addition to Tri-State hospital, providing some 30 or 40 additional hospital rooms, will be started in the near future, Dr. J. E. Knighton, member of the Willis-Knighton clinic, said yesterday.

Plans are being made by Peyton and Annan, local architects, but the total cost has not been set yet. Possibility of some delay in getting building materials was seen by Dr. Knighton, but usually such hospital construction is giving priority for materials, he said.

The Willis-Knighton clinic, now in a building adjacent to the hospital, will move into the new addition to the north wing, Dr. Knighton said. This will leave part of the new wing and the entire old clinic for hospital rooms.
