

# Veteran in Fight on TB Dies at 76

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Manitowoc, Wis.—A Wisconsin pioneer in the fight against tuberculosis, Dr. John M. Kelley, died



Dr. John Kelley

here Thursday. He was 76 and had retired in January as medical director of the Maple Crest sanitarium at Whitelaw. The sanitarium was founded by Manitowoc county in 1913, and Dr. Kelley, a little known country doctor at Cato, was hired as "visiting physician."

He remained as medical director for 39 years. He died here at the Holy Family hospital.

The young horse and buggy doctor knew little about tuberculosis treatment when he took over at Maple Crest. But last May, when he announced that he was ready

to retire, Dr. Kelley was honored as an outstanding authority. Leading medical authorities in the state praised him at a testimonial dinner.