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## Dr. Carl Hering, Leading Consulting Engineer, Dies

Prominent Philadelphian, 66, Is Stricken at Telephone

Special to the New York Herald Tribune PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Dr. Carl Hering, prominent consulting engineer, died of heart disease in the Hahnemann Hospital to-day while making a telephone call. He was sixty-six years

old. The son of the late Dr. Constantine The son of the late Dr. Constantine Hering, who founded Hahnemann Hospital and College, Dr. Hering was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in 1880, receiving the degree of Mechanical Engineer. He then took a post-graduate course in electrical engineering at Degraced Germany regineering at Darmstadt, Germany, re-

maining there until 1884, after which he followed electrical engineering work for a time in Frankfort, Germany.

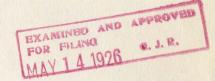
He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Science from the University of Pennsylvania in 1912. Since that time he practiced electrical engineering in Philadelphia.

Dr. Hering was a past president of

in Philadelphia.

Dr. Hering was a past-president of the American Institute of Electric Engineers and of the American Electro-Chemical Society. He served as president of the Physics Club here and of the Engineers' Club, was an honorary member of the New York Electrical Society and a member of Franklin Institute.

Dr. Hering is survived by a daughter, Mary, and two brothers and two



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DR. CARL HERING, PHYSICIST, DEAD Discoverer of Several Natural Laws-End Comes Suddenly at Age of 66. WAS NOTED AS ENGINEER x-President of Scientific Bodiesent Almost Whole Life Philadelphia. Special to The New York Times. PHILADELPHIA, May 10.-Apparently on the road to recovery from a slight attack of heart disease, Carl Hering, 66, former President of the

American Institute of Electrical Engineers and a distinguished Philadel-phian, fell dead in his foom at Hahne-mann Hospital yester ay.

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Mr. Hering, son o Dr. Constintine
Hering, founder and first Dean of
Hannemann Medica College and Hospital, had lived at he Engineers' Club,
1,317 Spruce Street, since 1909. Last
Saturday he complained of feeling
poorly and entered the hospital for a
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He improved apidly. Ten minutes before his dear he was chatting and joking with hi physician, Dr. s. Harland Wells. little later he walked across the rem and was picking up the telephon receiver when he dropped

Dr. Herig was the discoverer of several lass in physics. He was born in Philadephia on March 29, 1860, as son of the late Dr. Constantine and Therese Hering. He was graduated with hoors from the University of Pennsylania in 1880, and in the next year we appointed instructor in mathematical and assistant in mechanical enginering at the university.

In 182 he relinquished this position to become assistant in physics there, under Professor Barker, one of the principal consulting electricians of the Edish Company. His object in obtaining the transfer was to study electrical engineering, just then beginning to become an important branch in engineering.

Dr. Hering in 1883 and 1884 took graduate work in Darmstadt, Germany, also teaching in the Polytechnikum there. For a time he practiced electrical engineering in Frankfort, Germany, but soon returned to Philadelphia, where he lived until his death. He specialized in electrical furnaces, electrochemistry, physical research, and patent littgation.

Many honors were conferred on him. He was a United States juror at the Paris Expositions of 1839 and 1900, and was American delegate at sevenal international conferences. The French Government appointed him an Officer of Public Instruction in 1859 and made him a Knight of the Legion of Honor in 1901.

Dr. Hering was President of the American Institute of Electrical Engineering.

Dr. Hering was President of American Institute of Electrical neers in 1900 and 1901 and the of neers in 1900 and 1901 and of the American Electrochemical Society in 1906 and 1907. He also served as President of the Engineers' and Phy-sical Clubs of Philadelphia and was an honorary member of the New York Electrical Society and other scientific bodies. For a time he was compiler of the Digest of Electrical Literature. He also was the author of other scien-tific books neers in American