

GENEALOGY DATABASE ENTRY

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Webster, Arthur Gordon

1863 - 1923

DEGREE: PhD (physics)

DATE: 1890

PLACE: Berlin

TEACHER/RESEARCH ADVISOR: Helmholtz

developed method to determine frequencies of electrical oscillations; measured energies of sound waves and pressure generated by explosives, esp. gunpowder; wrote treatises on electromagnetism and dynamics; co-founder of the American Physical Society.

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