JOHN'E. HOWELL

John E. Howell, an executive of the International Telephone Telegraph Corporation who had been active company afin fairs in Latin America and rope for twenty years until joined the local headquarters about a year ago, died yesterday in the Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center after a brief illness. Howell's office was at 67 Broad Street and his home was at. West Eleventh Street. was 45.

Mr. Howell was born in Demorest, Ga., and was graduated in 1927 from the University of ronto. He then joined the I. T. & T. system as an engineer. He served I. T. & T. in Austria and then in Cuba, after which he was traffic manager and general plant supervisor of the Mexican Telephone and Telegraph Company, vice president and general manager of the Puerto Rico Telephone Company, assistant general manager of the River Plate Telephone Company of Argentina and vice president and general commercial manager of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, South America. Surviving are his widow, Howell; Louise Elizabeth

father, Henry Howell; three sons, Spencer, Edward and Peter Howell, and a sister, Mrs. Alma M. Howell.