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FIRST EDITION. DEAD CHILDREN.

THE SAD SCHOOL FETE TRAGEDY AT WORLEIGH.

Twenty Young People Sadly Buried in the Accident—Bewailing Scenes the Saddest Ever Witnessed—A Bright and Pleasant Exhibition.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Further particulars received today from Worleigh show that the terrible scenes witnessed at the school fete have been very generally regarded, though the cause of the disaster was not the falling of a string of Chinese lanterns as at first supposed. The school was a charity bazaar, held under the auspices of the parish of Worleigh. The building used for the fete was the church school adjoining the Rectory. The programme of the evening was a series of tableaux vivants, in which a number of the young girls and boys of the parish took part. For this display a small stage was erected in the school-room, and to the right of the stage and opening upon it was a room used as a dressing room by the children who had for weeks been preparing for and looking forward to the event which was to result in such a terrible fate.

Inside this dressing room, just before the disaster occurred, a crowd of children were gathered, all of the girls of the party being in light gowns, and many of them covered in addition with cotton wool used to represent snow. In addition, several of the children carried, dangling on sticks above their heads, lighted Chinese lanterns. The lanterns were being prepared when the disaster occurred, and the children were in the act of lighting them. The girls were in the act of lighting them, and the children were in the act of lighting them.

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FIRST EDITION. THE GREATEST BATTLE.

IN INDIAN HISTORY IS NOW IN THE WEST.

The Frontier and Cavalry Approaching the Camp of the Hostile—Efforts to Avoid a General Battle—A Big Battle Anticipated.

LONDON, Neb., Jan. 5.—Capt. Taylor's soldier scouts with a large body of friendly Indians left this morning for the enemy's camp. The ninth cavalry and General Brooke's forces will make a diversion on the west by attacking the Indian pickets while the scouts and friendly Indians will endeavor to preserve all Indians who want to the greatest battle of Indian history. The report of every scout adds new and strong support to these indications.

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His Funeral will take place at 11 a.m. tomorrow at St. Jerome's Church.

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American Clothing House. MEN'S BEAVER OVERCOATS \$8.25 EACH.

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