

## William DeFord

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**DeFord.** On Saturday, January 15, 1910 at 9:30 a.m., William DeFord in his 48th year. Interment Monday.

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### **Dies From His Injury**

William DeFord died at the Emergency Hospital this morning. He was taken to the hospital December 26 and treated for a fractured leg. The injury was sustained by falling on the ice in front of No. 922 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. DeFord was a teacher of acting and resided at No. 1107 G street northwest. Coroner Nevitt decided an inquest unnecessary.

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### **William DeFord Dead**

#### **Native of Norfolk, But Resident of Washington for 18 Years**

William DeFord, senior member of the Saltsman-DeFord Musical School of this city died at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the Emergency Hospital. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Mr. DeFord had been ill about three weeks. He was forty-eight years of age and was born in Norfolk, Va. He came to this city eighteen years ago, and for the past seventeen years had been conducting the school of music.