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Coxeyites Around Washington Faring Fairly Well.

Special to The Republic.

Washington, D. C., July 9 .-Although recent events have crowd ed General Coxey, his attendant sides and his nondescript army int the background, they are still flourishing in their camp some six miles from Washington. The army lives by a system of organized begging. Probably of the original army which came with Coxey on the 1st of May but few remain, but recruits have been many and frequent. The whole force at Hyattsville, Md, numbers some where between 200 and 300, but many of these are stragglers, who stay away for days.

The Coxeyites jealously guard their preserves in Maryland, and this has resulted in one contingent, the Frey army, crossing the river and camping in Virginia. The cause given out for this move was dissention in the ranks and dis agreement between commands; but the truth more clearly is that food was more plentiful in Virginia, at lesst that it was deemed advisable to divide add enlarge the foraging territory.

To all appearances these armies are prospering in their idleness and furnish inviting occupation to the verage tramp.

INDORSE CLEVELAND.

Chicago, July 11 .- The board of trade through its directorate has in dorsed the course of President Cleveland and in a special session passed the following resolutions. which were telegraphed to Wash ington:

Resolved, by the board of direct ors of the board of trade of the city of Chicago. That the dignified and vigorous action of the chief executive of the United States in calling out the National forces for the suppression of insurrection, for the maintenance of law and for the protection of interstate commerce and of the United States mails, deserves and shall receive the unqualified ad miration and approvat of this board and inspires every loyal American with renewed confidence in the sta bility of our government.

STRIKES ARE COSTLY.

Washington, July 12 .- The cost to the United States of putting down the railroad strike in the West is estimated by government officers at fully \$1,000,000. It may toot up more. The estimates in clude telegraph bills, deputy mar shals' pay and transportation and maintenance of United States troops. The estimates for the mar -hals' pay in Chicago alone is from \$150,000 to \$200,000 and congress in a few days will be asked to ap propriete this amount as it is ur

COLONEL T. A WASHING- He returned soon and said:

Washington, July 11-Colonel Thornton A. Washington is dead, He was a greatgrandson of Colonel Sam Washington, the oldest brother of the first president. Colonel Washington was born near Charles town, W. Va., was graduated from Princeton college and West Point, and after service in the regular f Te zas | general land office at the time of anything around me that strikes " - Betfolt Free Cress!

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

DEBS' LETTERS RESTORED. Chicago, Ill., July 11 .- Judge Grosscup sent for Debs and also Seizure of Debs' Private Papers for District Attorney Milchrist today. When both were before him he said: "I understand from statements published in the newspapers that among books and papers taken from this defendant there were private letters, some of which were still unopened. want to know the truth about the

matter." "It is true," said the district at torney, "that the books and papers in Debs' office were seized by gov. ernments officers and some of them are private papers, but since they ca.ne into the possession of the gov erment the papers have been locked up in the vallt of my office and have not been interfered with by any one."

"Mr. Dobs," said the court, 'stands accused in this court of grave crime, but he has all the rights of a citizen. His private affairs are not to be inquired into, and if you have in your possession any private papers or letters or oth er documents of that character it is your duty to return them and without making any copies of them. If there is any question as to the character of any of the papers whether they are private or not the district attorney will bring them before the court."

Mr. Milchrist said the officers who made the seizure had taken papers which they should not hav seized. This was due, he said, to the excitement of the moment and not any disire to disregard pri vate rights. The papers, Mr Milchrist said, had not been copied and had not been seen by any one since they were brought to his office The sealed letters had not been

Debs said he was satisfied with he statement of the district attorney. "I desire to thank the court," he said, "for the kindness and consideration and the protection given

The leader of the strike then so companied Mr. Milchrist to the atter's office, and the letters which were seized last night were given to him. All the books of the railway union and the records, filling sev eral large backets, were kept for the use of the grand jury.

HE HAD SEEN HER THROW

A little fellow had been serious y ectured by his mother and finally sent into the garden to find switchwhitch he was to be punished.

"I couldn't find a switch, mamma but here's a stone you can throw at me."-Boston Gazette.

"You'll have to take this back," said the railroad man, as he hand ed a nold watch to the jeweler. "What's the matter with it? I is one of the finest repeaters that we have in stock." "That's where army resigned to join the confeder the trouble is. Gimme one that ate army. He was employed in the isn't a repeater. I don't want OLNEY DISPLEASED.

Was Unauthorized.

Washington, July 11 -- Attorney General Olney today, after reading the accounts of the seizure of Debs' private papers, as published in the morning papers, expressed his regrets at this action of the governments' officials and at once sent the following telegram to Special United States Attorney Walker. Edward Walker, Chicagot

Department of Justice, Washing ton, July 11 .- Seizure of Debs' pa pers is not according to law and should be publicly disavowed and papers at once returned. If seizure is not strictly and technically lawtul, papers should be returned. The government in enforcing the law can not afford to be itself lawful! nor, even if they be within its strict right, should measures be resorted to which are unusual and come dan gerously near invasion of personal rights. The government is too strong and its cause too righteous to warrant or require anything of that nature. Please wire at once what has taken place and what is done in pursuance of these instructions.

Olney, Attorney General. It is assumed that it was in obedience to this telegram that action was taken under which the papers were today surrendered and the act of seizing them disavowed.

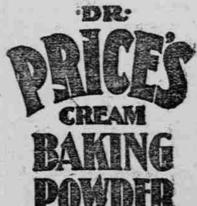
McClure's Magazine for August, following up Hamlin Garland's striking article in the June number on "Homestead and its Perilons Trades," will contain a study of life and work." In the Depths of a Coal Mine." It will be by Stephen Crane, and, like the Garland arti cle, will be very notably illustrated.

"Are you going to employ the ainmakers in this neighborhood?" sked the visitor from the East. 'No," said the Western Kansas farmer. "Everyboby 'round here satoo blamed stingy to anbscribe enything. I guess we'll have to call a meetin' and pray for rain." -Chicago Tribune.

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