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Only One Overcoat Given in Answer To Veterans' Plea

Only one small and tattered overcoat has been received by the President's Own Garrison, No. 104, of the Army and Navy Union, although the organization appealed three weeks ago for 100 used coats for needy veterans.

Anyone having an old extra coat was requested to leave it at the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club, Eleventh and L Sts. NW.

The coats will be distributed to needy veterans.

F. S. Gardner, chairman of the drive, yesterday renewed his plea that Washingtonians give their old coats so that some ex-service men would not suffer from the cold.