

## A NEW DODGE.

LOOK OUT FOR THE VETERAN WHO HAS JUST LOST HIS ARMY BADGE.

Moving leisurely along, under the full glare, from the electric-light mast at Bridge square, last night, a well-known citizen had his attention attracted to a shining object that lay directly in his path. The man had touched it with his foot, and it had rattled and jingled over the stone flags until it settled in position again a few yards further on. He stooped down and picked it up. It was an ordinary-looking trinket, at first glance, plainly of little worth, so far as intrinsic values go. Attached to it was a blue ribbon, a trifle faded and showing the marks of age and usage. The man examined it more closely. On one side was a portrait of Gen. Sherman and the letters "G. A. R." On the other side was a picture of a battle scene. That was all. Evidently some old veteran had lost it—a relic of the days when he had marched with Sherman and fought the battles of his country.

The finder was putting the badge in his pocket and preparing to move away when a weird-looking old man scrambled around the corner from Wabash street, looking about on the pavement in an anxious sort of way as if in search of something he had dropped. He was clad in a tattered blue army coat; his bare toes peeped out through his well-worn shoes; his beard was unkempt and gray; he walked with difficulty, owing to a lame leg, and on his left side he carried an empty sleeve. A more woe begone specimen of humanity could not well be imagined. The old fellow came around the corner just as the man who picked up the badge started to resume his journey. They almost collided as they met face to face.

"A thousand pardons, sir," whined the poor old man. "but I'm lookin' for somethin' that I wouldn't lose for all the gold in St. Paul. Its my army badge, sir. I dropped it somewhere hereabout. Have you seen it, sir?"

And the old man looked into the eyes of his companion beseechingly, the tears rolling down his cheeks. In a moment the badge was transferred from the pocket of the finder to the hand of the old man. The latter was most demonstrative in his expressions of joy and gratitude. He kissed the old trinket in a passionate way and said he would be careful never to lose it again.

"I haven't had a bite to eat nor a bed to sleep in for two days and nights," said the old fellow: "but I would starve rather than part with this!" and he pressed it to his lips again.

This had the effect of softening the citizen at once, and he laid a bright silver piece in the veteran's palm and went his way. The recipient of the bounty remained in an abject attitude until his benefactor had disappeared from sight. Then he dropped the badge on the walk again and retired to his former position.

Within a few minutes the old man had "landed another sucker" and obtained a 25-cent piece. Then the reporter emerged from the doorway and accosted the old beggar. "What sort of a game is this you're playing?" asked the reporter. Presently he ejaculated: "You ain't goin to put the police onto me, are you?" Being assured that the reporter had no such intention the fellow thawed out and consented to talk.

"This racket is new in the west," he said, "but I've followed it for a good many years in the east. Does it pay? Well, I don't mind tellin' you that it does. I've made as high as \$25 in one day. Most ev'rybody comes down. Have I done well to-day? Fairly so—a good day's wages. That last quarter makes \$4.30. I can live on that and have my beer, too. No, you dont drink! Well, that's funny for a newspaper man."—*St. Paul Pioneer-Press.*

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## DEATHS.

ELLIS.—In this city, Dec. 1, 1884, of typhoid fever, Nephi M. Ellis, son of Ebenezer and Mary Ann Ellis; born Sept. 12, 1855 in London, England. Funeral from 19th Ward Meeting House, to-morrow at 2 p.m.

HALL.—At Enterprise, Morgan County, Utah, November 23d, 1884, Rebecca Jane, beloved wife of John K. Hall, and daughter of Henry and Eliza Hales, formerly of the same place. A son was born to her on the 3d ult., when she appeared to be doing well until within five days of her death, when remittent fever set in.

Deceased was the mother of seven children, six of whom survive her. Her memory

will be cherished by a large number of relatives and friends. She died a true Latter-day Saint.—[Com.]

MILES.—Minnie Miles, daughter of Wm. H. and Jane S. Miles, departed this life, December 5, 1884, aged 8 years, 10 months and 18 days, after an illness of eight days, of putrid sore throat.

GIBBS.—In the 16th Ward of this city, at 11:45 p.m., December 5th, 1884, from typhoid fever, Frankie, son of Gideon H. C. and Mary Gibbs, aged 11 years, 9 months and 9 days.

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## ORDER.

In the Probate Court in and for Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Lenham, Deceased.

ALEXANDER MORAIE, THE ADMINISTRATOR of the Estate of Thomas Lenham, deceased, having this day rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in this court his final account of administration of the estate of said deceased, and petition for distribution: It is ordered that the Third day of January A. D., 1885, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Court room of said Court in the County Court House of said County be, and the same is, hereby appointed the time and place for the settlement of said account and petition for distribution, and that the Clerk give notice thereof by causing notices to be published in the DESERET WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and published in Salt Lake County, at least three successive weeks before said day of settlement, according to law, and posted in at least three public places in Salt Lake County.

ELIAS A. SMITH, Probate Judge. Dated December 6th, 1884.

TERRITORY OF UTAH, County of Salt Lake.

I, John C. Cutler, clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the order appointing time and place for settlement final account and distribution in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Lenham, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 6th day of December A. D., 1884.

JOHN C. CUTLER, Probate Clerk.

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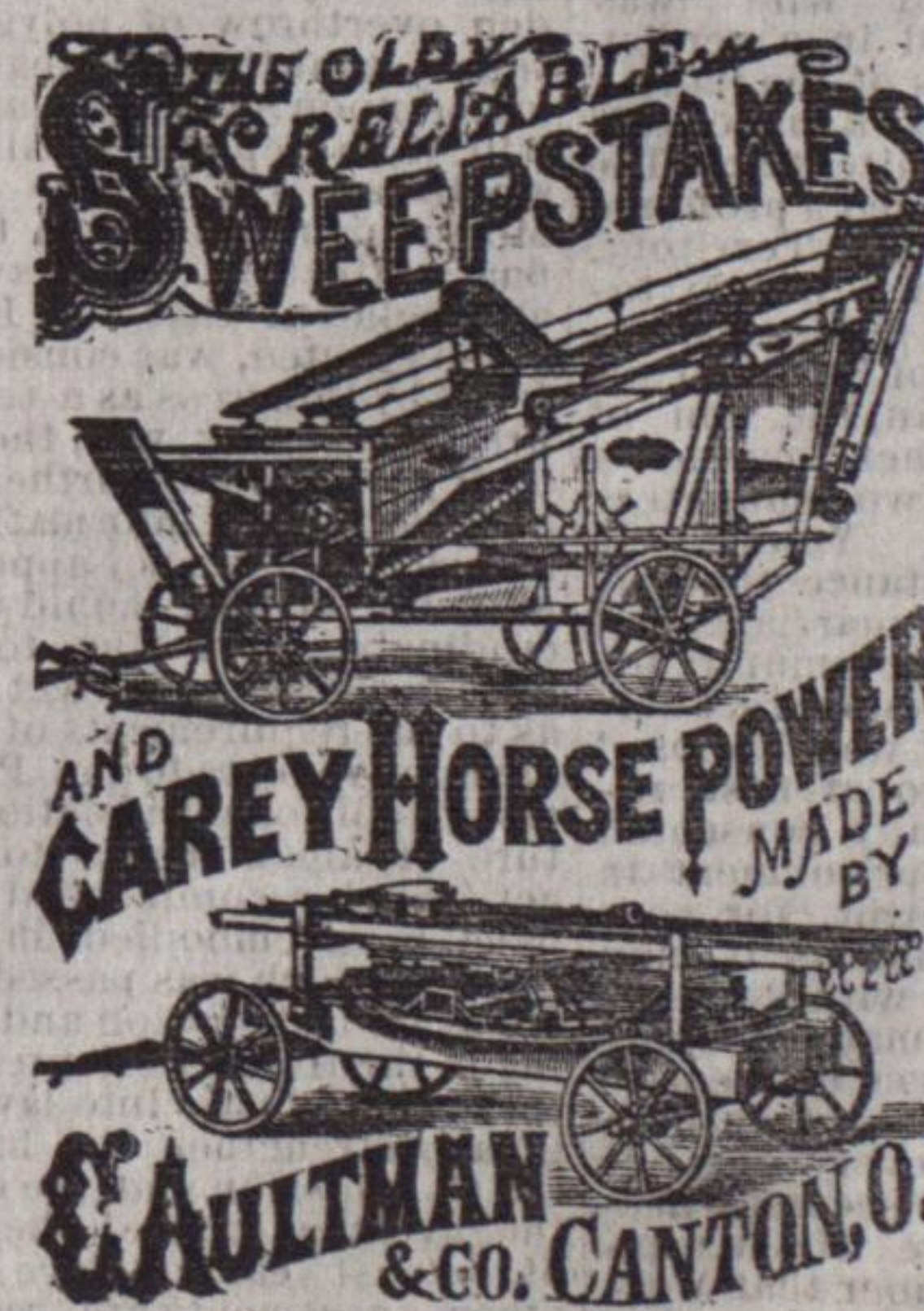
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