BOSTON — The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, chartered in 1638, is the oldest chartered military organization in the Western Hemisphere. Since 1746, its headquarters and armory have been in Faneuil Hall. For an upcoming exhibition, John F. McCauley (left), curator of the organization's museum, and Colonel Lawrence A. Willwerth, a committee member, found an unusual artifact in a storage room: an embroidered nightshirt. The tunic includes the names of places that militiaman George Eliot Hall visited and the dates of his promotions.

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