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W. L. LIBBEY.  
Vase.

No. 8,215.

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## DESIGN FOR A VASE.

Specification forming part of Design No. **8,215**, dated March 23, 1875; application filed March 3, 1875.  
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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, WILLIAM L. LIBBEY, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and State of Massachusetts, have invented a Design for Flower-Vase, of which the following is a specification:

The nature of my design is fully represented in the accompanying photographic illustration, to which reference is made.

In the said photographic illustration, A denotes the body of the vase, which, in form, corresponds with a lady's slipper, provided with a sole, B, and a high concave heel, C. The upper part of the vase, or that in front of the opening, and corresponding to the vamp or front of a slipper, is formed with a downward curvature or beak, *a*. This vase is to be made of glass, and its exterior may be either plain or figured, as may be preferred,

or it may have any ornamental figure or figures painted thereon or otherwise affixed thereto, this latter ornamentation forming no part of my invention or design, the peculiar characteristic of which is to be found in the novel form of the vase, as shown in the accompanying photographic illustration.

What I claim as my invention is—

A design for a flower-vase, consisting of the form of a lady's slipper, having a sole, B, and high concave heel C, as shown and described.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my own invention I affix my signature in presence of two witnesses.

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