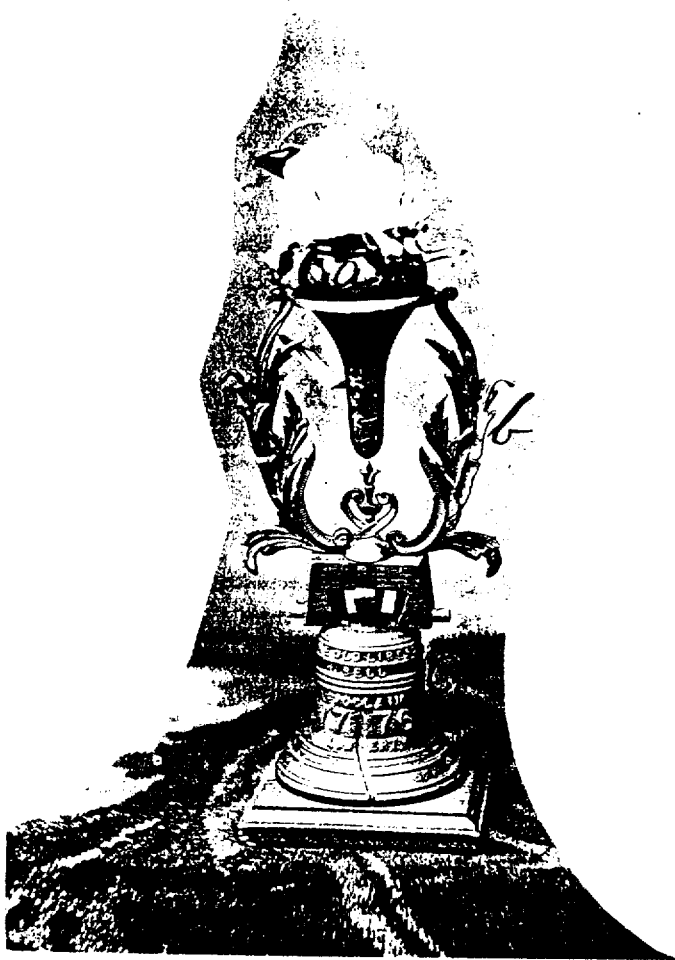


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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHARLES F. PIKE, of Philadelphia, in the county of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, have invented a Design for a Vase or Flower-Holder, 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.

a is the receptacle. *b* forms an ornamental support for *a*. *c* is a fac-simile representation of the bell that hung in the tower of Independence Hall on July 4, 1776, the whole forming a vase or flower-holder.

That portion of the support marked *b* may be of various designs, as I am aware that a

vase or flower-holder the receptacle of which is held in position by an ornamental support, is not new, and I do not claim it.

The distinctive feature of my design is the base-support *c*, the same being a fac-simile representation of the old State-House bell.

What I claim as my invention is—

The design for the vase, consisting of the receptacle *a*, ornamental support *b*, and bell *c*, *c* forming the base-support, substantially as set forth.

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