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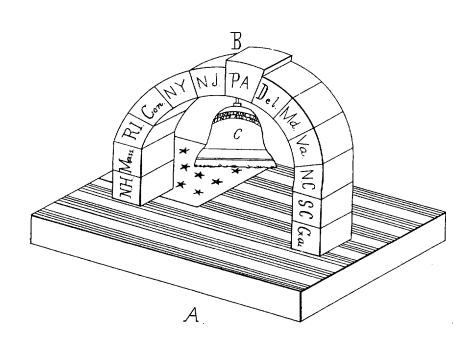
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PAPER-WEIGHTS.

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## DESIGN FOR PAPER-WEIGHTS.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, CHARLES ROWLAND, of the city, county, and State of New York, have originated and designed an Improved Paper-Weight, with annunciator or bell attachment thereto.

In the photographic drawings accompanying this specification, A represents the paperweight proper, (its upper face showing the American flag,) springing from which is the arch B, the several stones of which contain the names of the original or present States of the American Union, suspended from the center of which, at the keystone, marked "Pa.," is the bell C, which bell will have the shape, and bear the inscription of the old Independence Bell at Philadelphia. The article is also intended for a mantel or "what-not" ornament. The material of which it will be composed will

be of metal, glass, or any desired composite, and the several parts may be of different metals or materials.

Having thus stated the nature of my invention, what I claim is—

1. In a design for a paper-weight, the combination of the base A, arch B, and bell C, substantially as set forth.

2. In a design for a paper-weight, the combination of the base A and arch B, substantially as set forth.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing improvement in paper-weights, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of July, 1875.

CHAS. ROWLAND. [L. S.]

Witnesses:

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