

No. 100 372

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THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

270 MADISON AVENUE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows:

73-7423

Country USA Issue 1853-5 Denomination 3¢

Color dull red Cat. No. 11

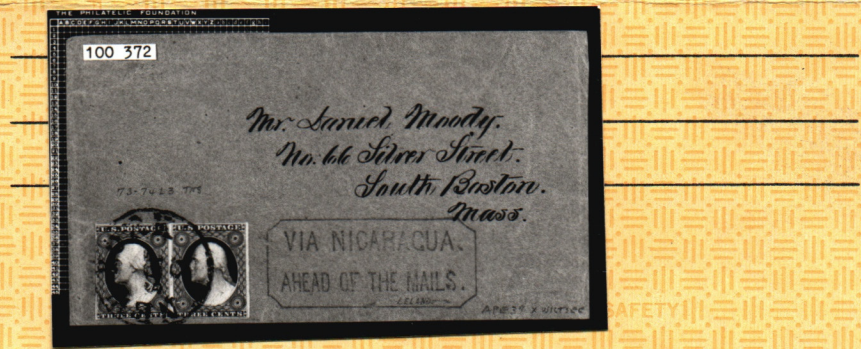
Brief description or additional information

All Catalogue numbers are Scott's unless otherwise specified.

Horizontal pair used on cover with blue Via Nicaragua ahead of the mails handstamp and black N.Y. Sep. 9 postmarks

of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion

that it is genuine usage. -----



Wm. A. ...
For The Expert Committee
Chairman