



The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10018
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 494032

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We have examined the enclosed item, of which a photograph is attached, and *described by the applicant* as follows:

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

<u>Cat. No.</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Denom.</u>	<u>Color</u>
17a	1851	12¢	black

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

DIAGONAL BISECT, NEW YORK/SHIP CANCEL, ON LINEN LINED COVER TO BALTIMORE, BLUE BOXED "VIA NICARAGUA/AHEAD OF THE MAIL" HANDSTAMP AT RIGHT.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE USAGE *****



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Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

For The Expert Committee
Chairman