



The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10018
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 482726
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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>
143L3	1861	\$1.00	red
U.S. unless otherwise specified	1860	10¢	green on buff

SINGLE, POSITION R3, BLUE OVAL PONY EXPRESS/"RUNNING PONY"/SAN FRANCISCO CANCEL, ON 10¢ ENTIRE WITH PRINTED WELLS FARGO & CO. FRANK, ST. JOSEPH MO PMK AT RIGHT OVER INDICIA.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE USAGE, THE PONY EXPRESS STAMP LIFTED AND REPAIRED, MOUNTED ON BACKING PAPER AND PLACED BACK OVER A BLUE "PAID" IN OVAL HANDSTAMP; THE ENTIRE WITH A SEALED TEAR AFFECTING THE FRANK AND WITH THE BACKFLAP ADDED. * * * * *



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For The Expert Committee
Chairman

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by

R. A. SIEGEL AUCTIONS

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