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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0303784
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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

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
131SVAR	1875	30¢	blue & carmine

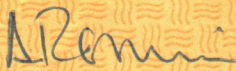
Scott's unless otherwise specified.

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RED MANUSCRIPT "SPECIMEN" AT LEFT.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE PREVIOUSLY HINGED WITH A MANUSCRIPT
"SPECIMEN" OVERPRINT OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN. * * * * *




For The Expert Committee
Chairman

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by

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