



The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10018

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 431079

10/18/2005

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>
293	1898	\$2.00	orange brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED, OG,

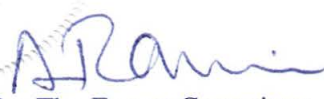
AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE, PREVIOUSLY HINGED* * * * *

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For The Expert Committee
Chairman

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by

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