# The Philatelic Foundation

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No. 431079
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**EXPERT COMMITTEE**

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 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 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 MATTHEW BENNETT