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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 514307
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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
1a	1847	5¢	dark brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED, NO GUM, HORIZONTAL BLOCK OF SIX.

~~AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT.~~

IT IS A GENUINE, UNUSED, SCOTT 1a GRAYISH BROWN COLOR AFFECTED BY CLEANING; THE BLOCK WITH A HORIZONTAL CREASE BETWEEN ROWS; THE CENTER AND RIGHT VERTICAL PAIRS WITH VERTICAL CREASES, THE FORMER ENDING IN A TEAR AT BOTTOM, THE LATTER WITH THREE TEARS ALONG THE CREASE. **********



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For The Expert Committee
Chairman

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by

R. A. SIEGEL AUCTIONS