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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
11A	1853-55	3¢	deep claret

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

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TWO EXTRA LINES OUTSIDE LEFT FRAME LINE.

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 ARMSTRONG PHILATELICS