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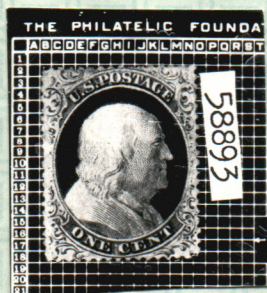
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EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed USA
1857, 1¢, blue, Scott 23, unused, no gum.--

submitted by Lawson Nagel.-----
of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion
that it is genuine, with a tiny perforation
thin spot at top.-----



Marshall Smith
For The Expert Committee
Chairman