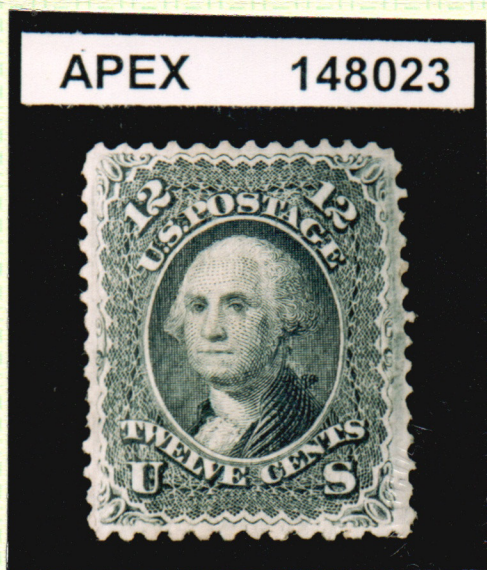


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Expert Committee Report

Members of the American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is:

United States, Scott No. 97, F-grill, very thin paper variety, unused, genuine, regummed.



Robert E. Lamb

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C. Marcus Bos

(Administrator Signature)

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