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THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION
22 EAST 35TH STREET
NEW YORK 16, N.Y.

EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed United States...
1875, 12¢, dark violet, #173, unused -----

submitted by -- Mr. Arthur F. Hetherington ---
of which a photograph is attached below -----
and are of the opinion that it is the special printing
#173 and genuine in all respects -----

WOK (905)

Frederick B. ...

For The Expert Committee
Chairman

