



# The Philatelic Foundation

70 West 40th Street • 15th Floor  
New York, NY 10018  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 440053

07/21/2006

We have examined the enclosed item, of which a photograph is attached, and *described by the applicant* as follows:

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

| <u>Cat. No.</u> | <u>Issue</u> | <u>Denom.</u> | <u>Color</u> |
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| 21              | 1857         | 1¢            | blue         |

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED, OG,

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE, PREVIOUSLY HINGED\*\*\*\*\*

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*[Signature]*  
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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