



The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10016

No. 0287246
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EXPERT COMMITTEE

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
153	1870-71	24¢	purple

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED
STAR IN CIRCLE CANCELLATION.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE* * * * *



Robert P. Odenthal
For The Expert Committee
Chairman

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