

Penny Black - Great Britain 1st issue. First adhesive postage stamp in the world. Issued May 6, 1840. Shows head of Queen Victoria from a medal engraved by William Wyon to mark the Queens first visit to the City of London after her accession in 1837

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The 1875 Reproductions

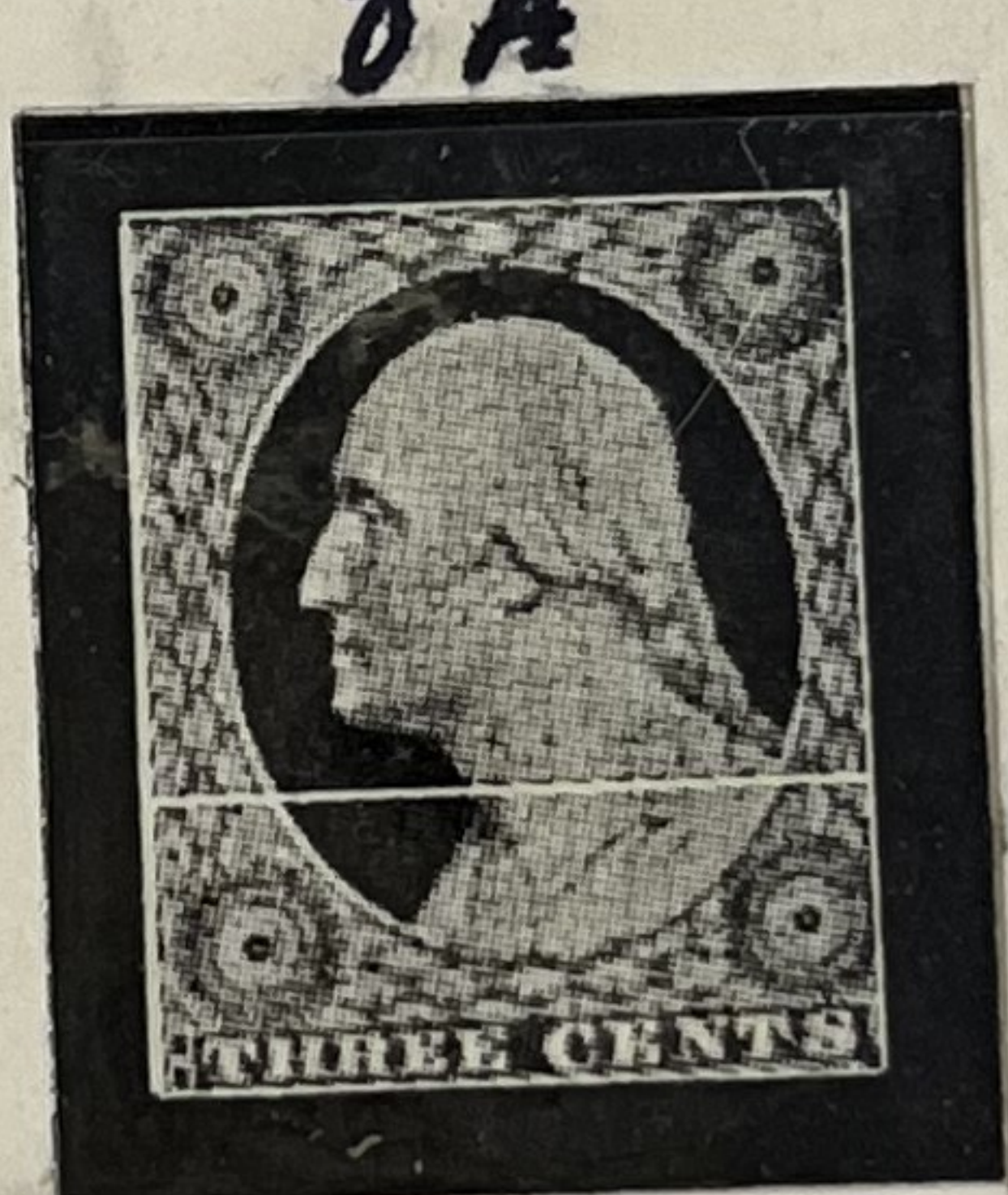
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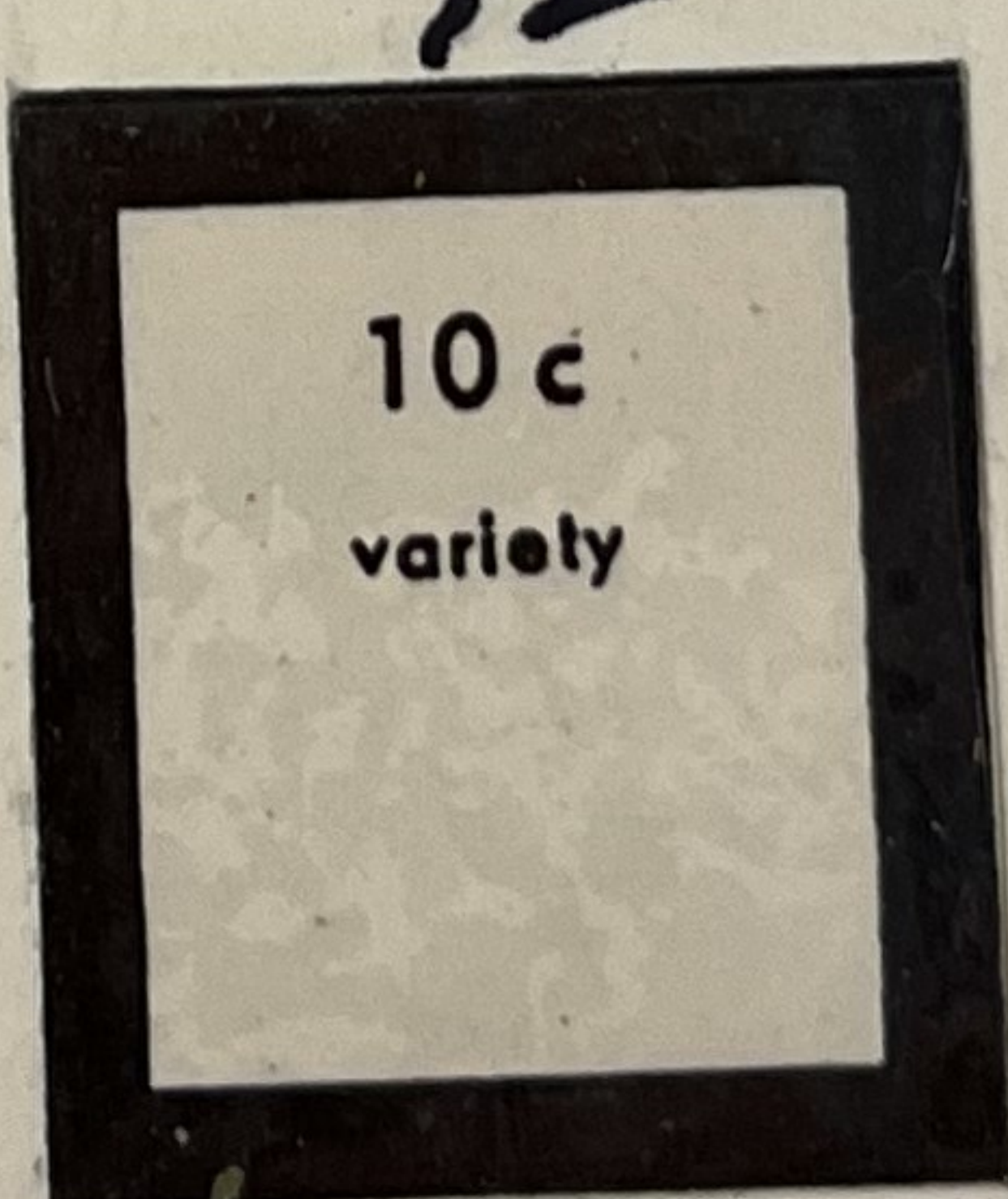
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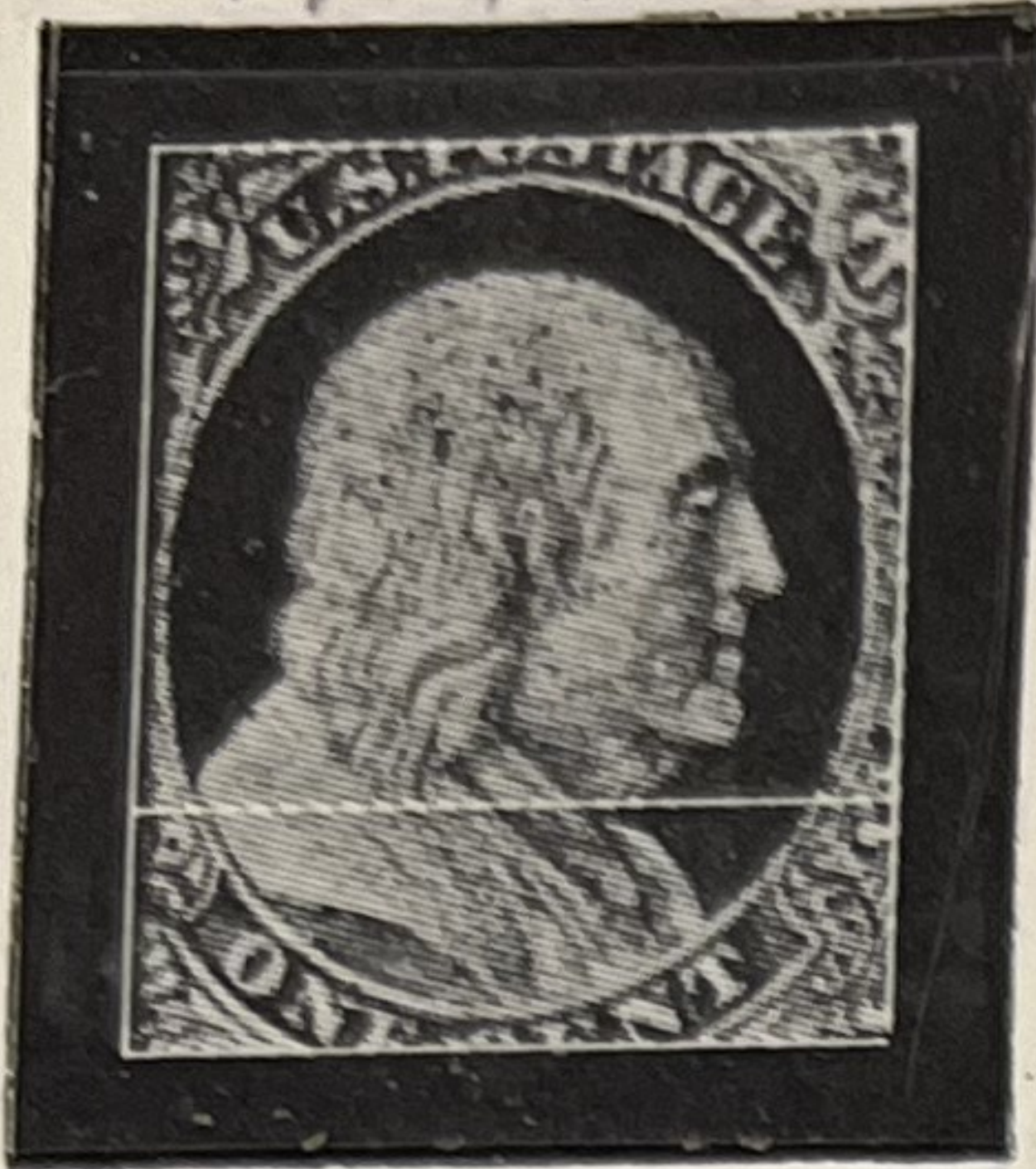
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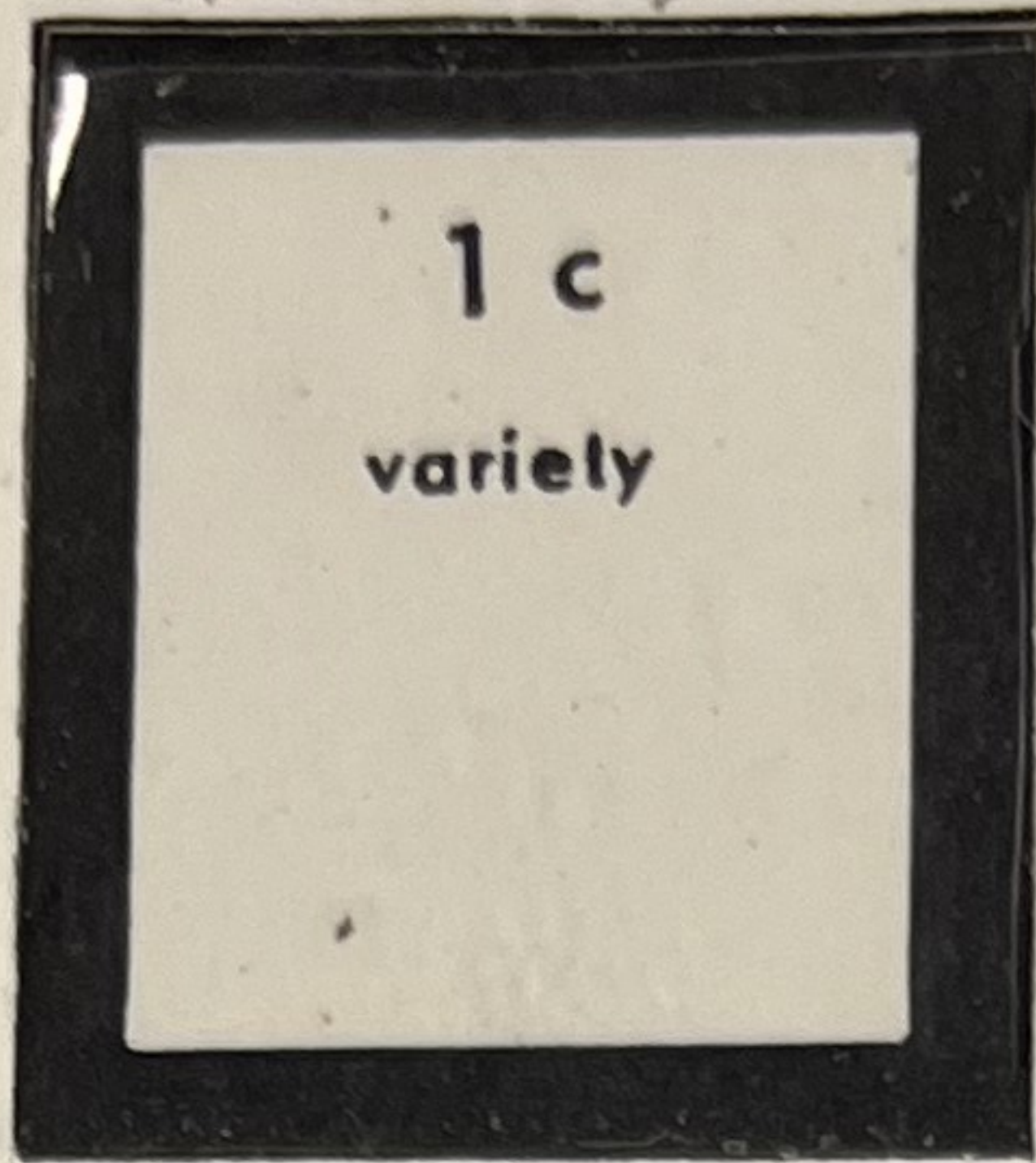
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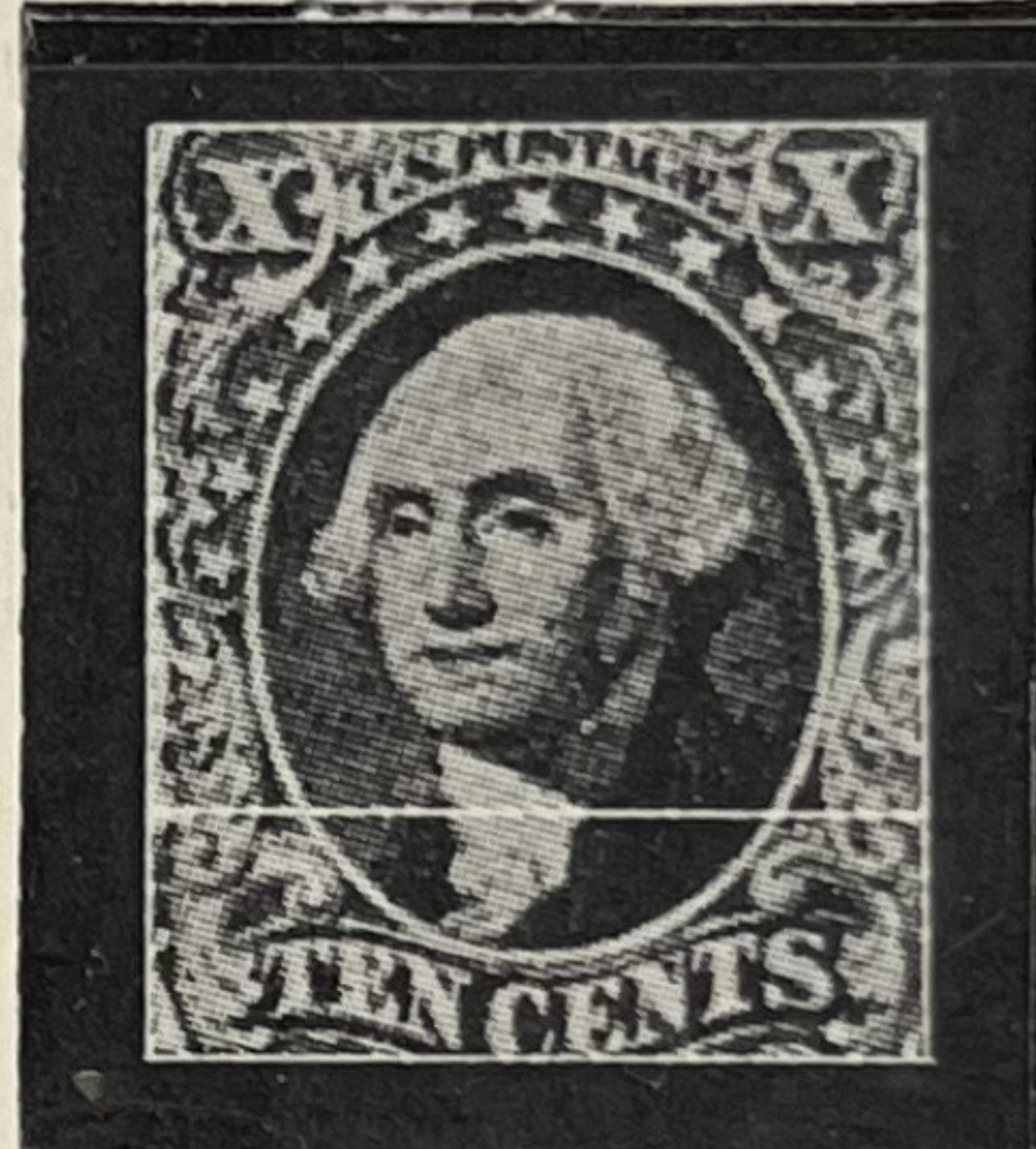


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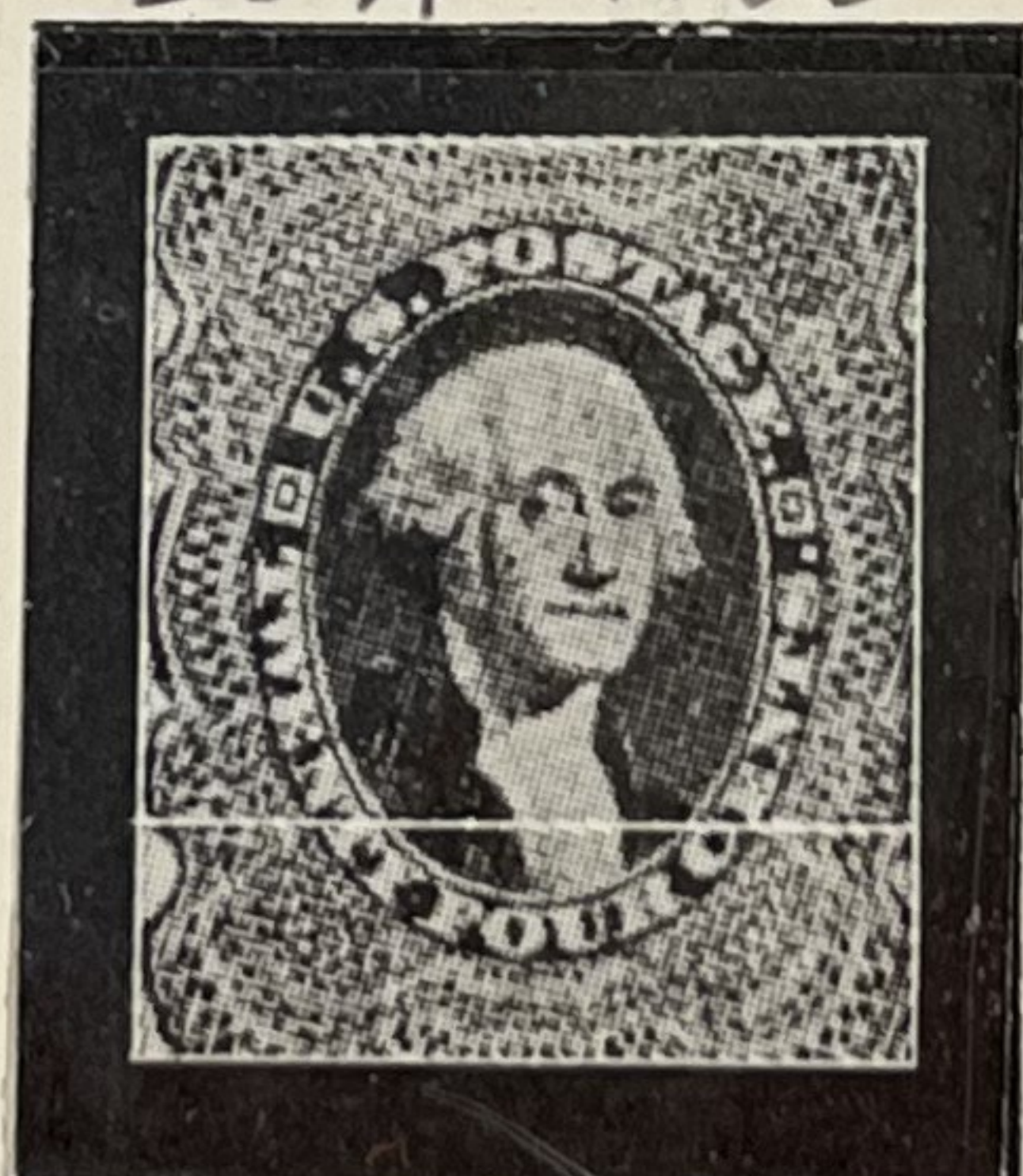
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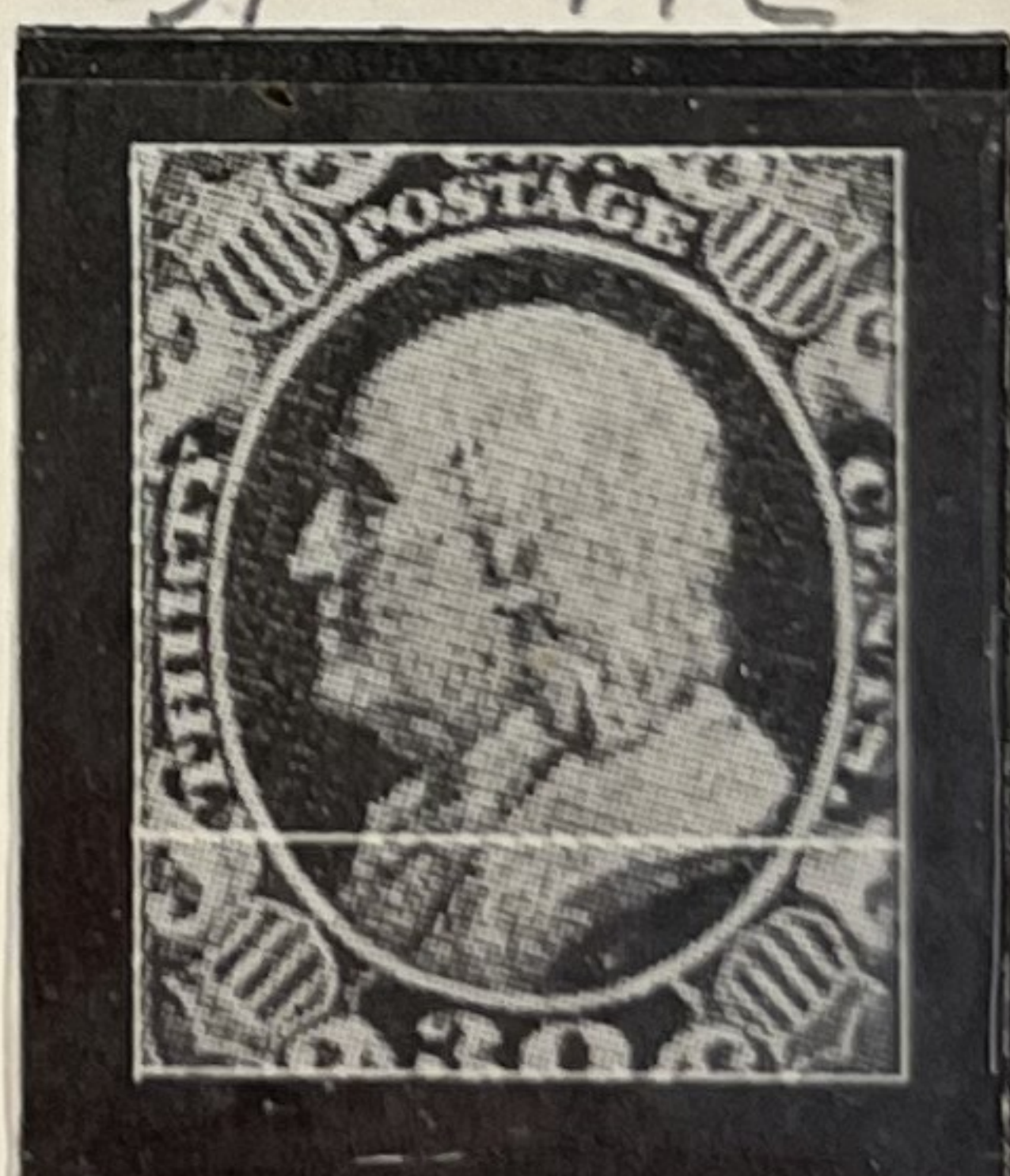
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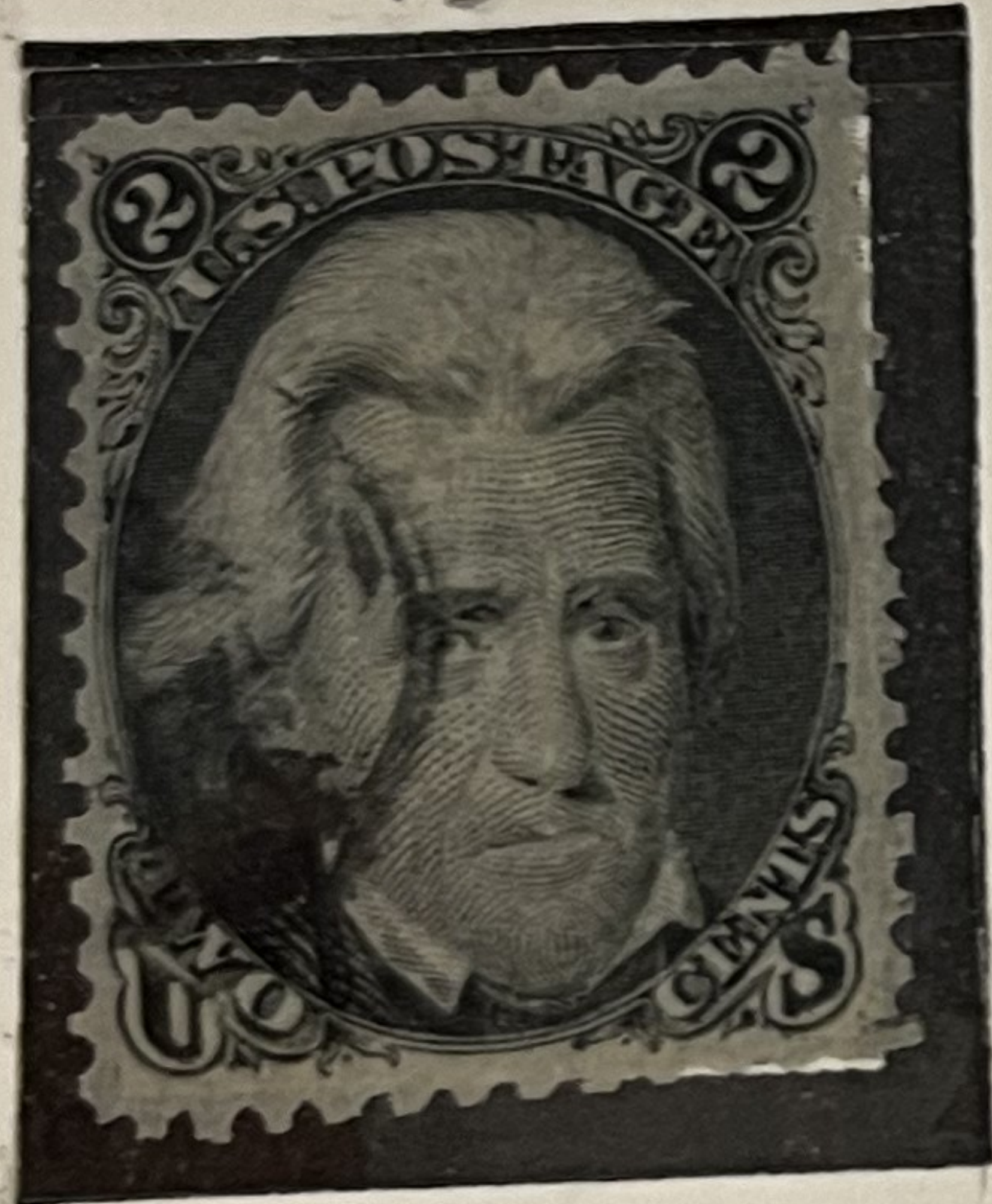
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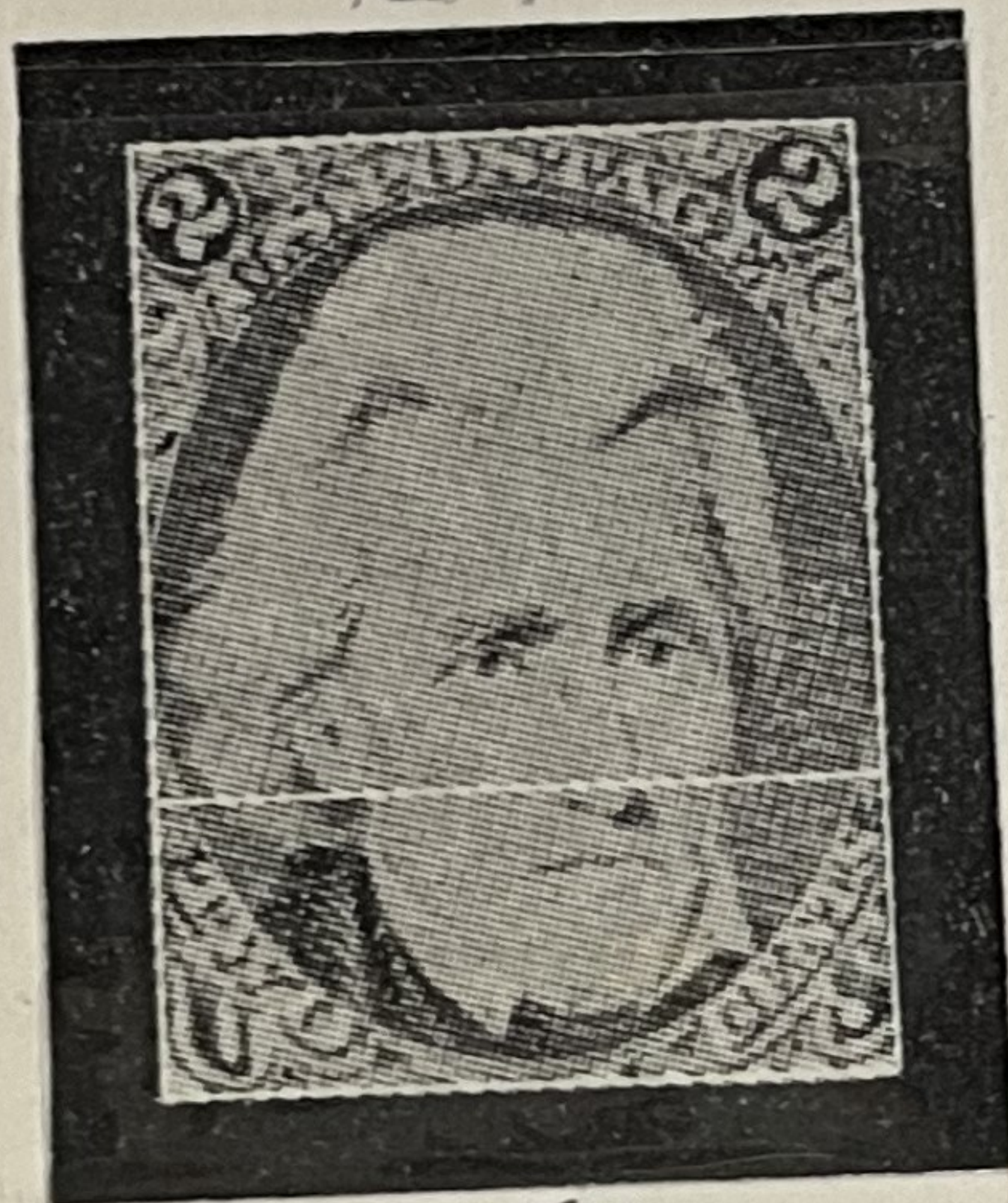


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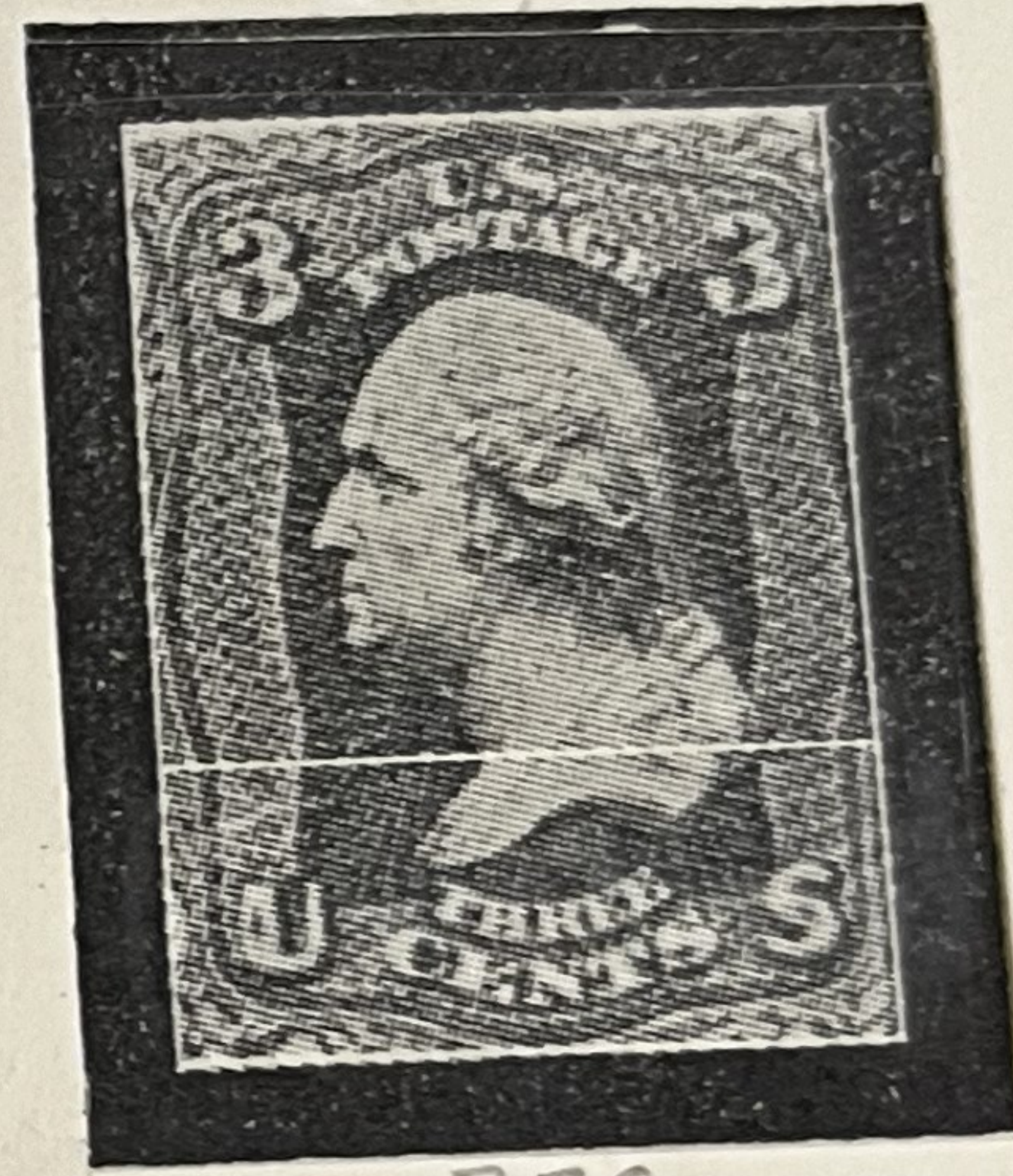
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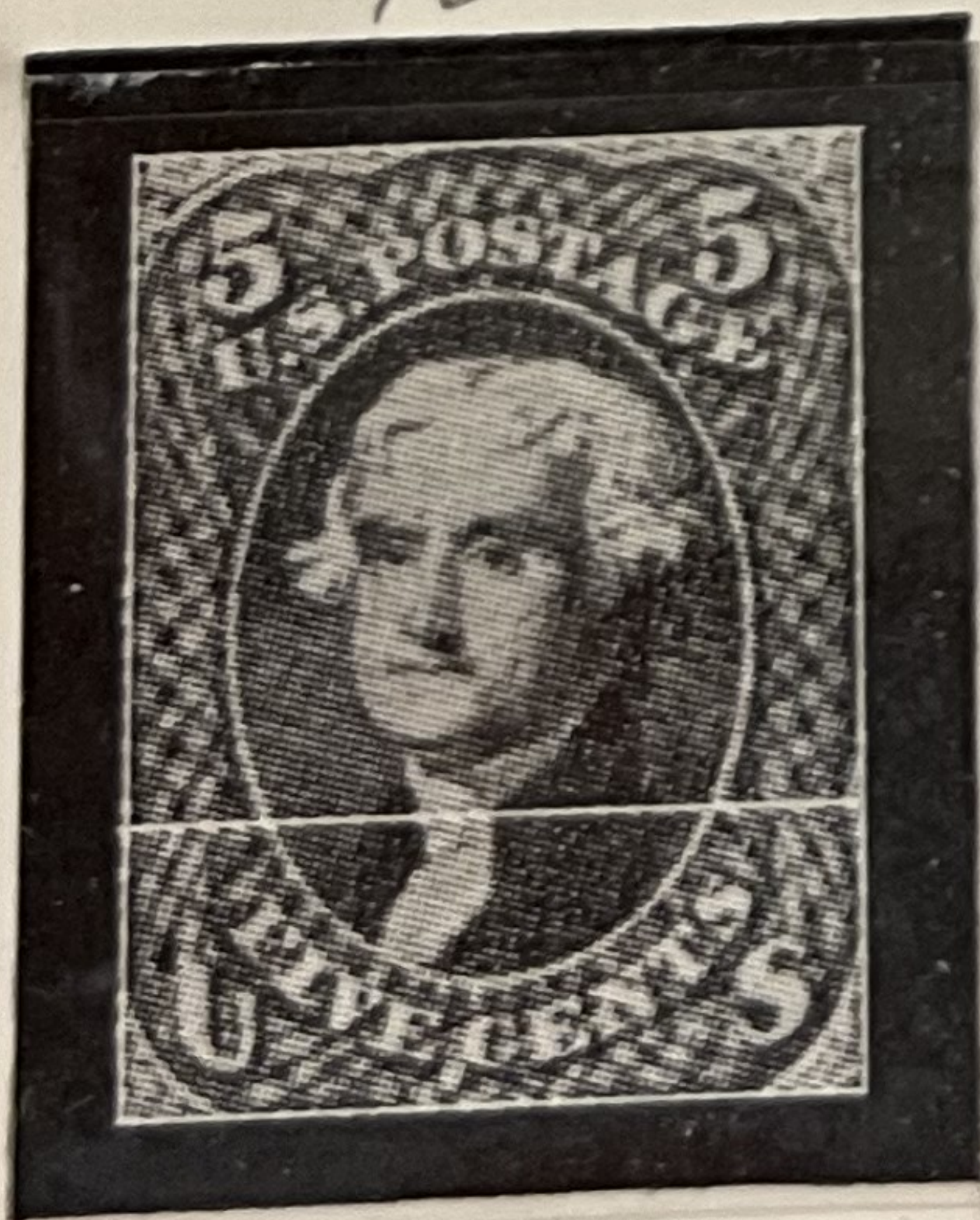


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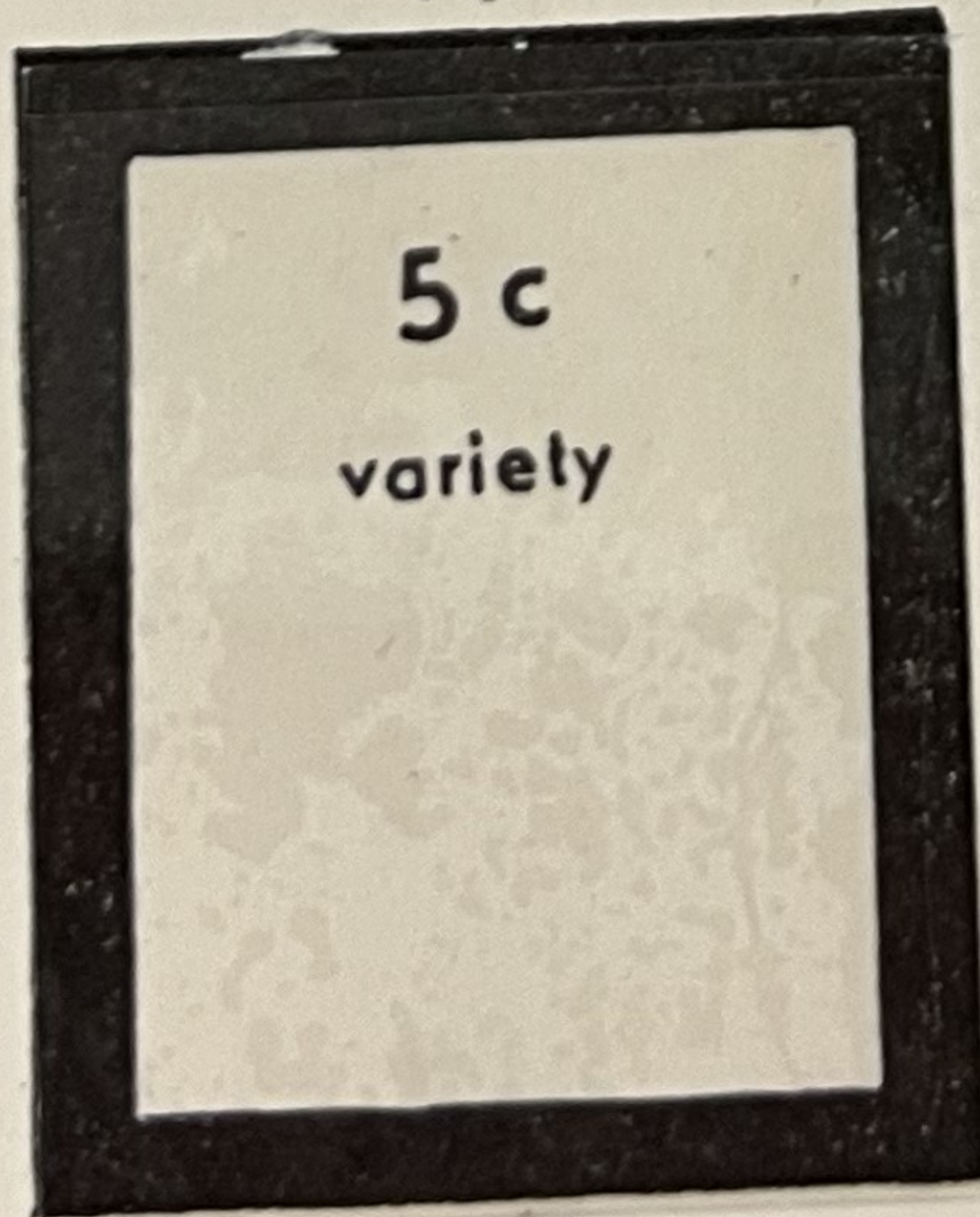


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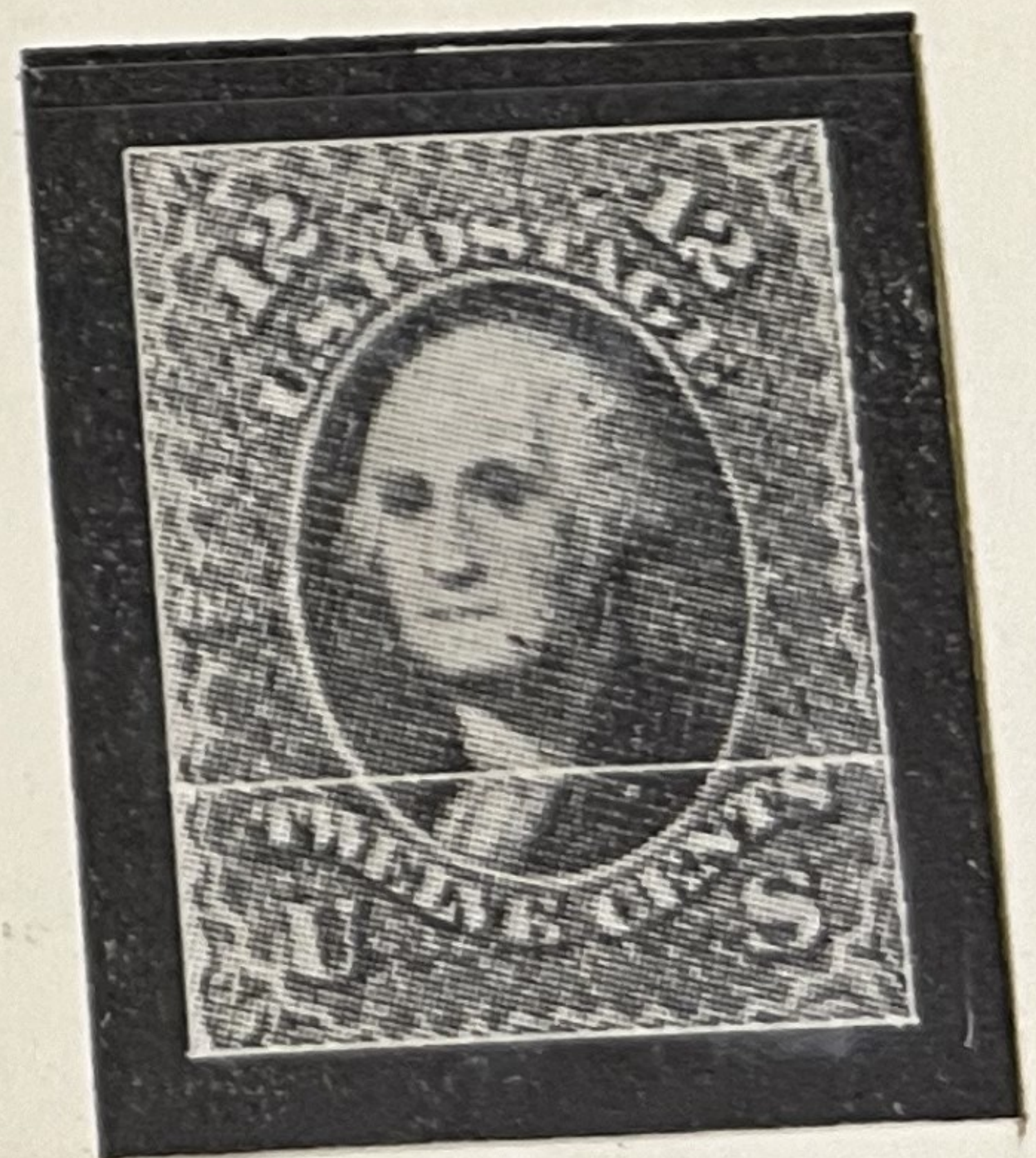
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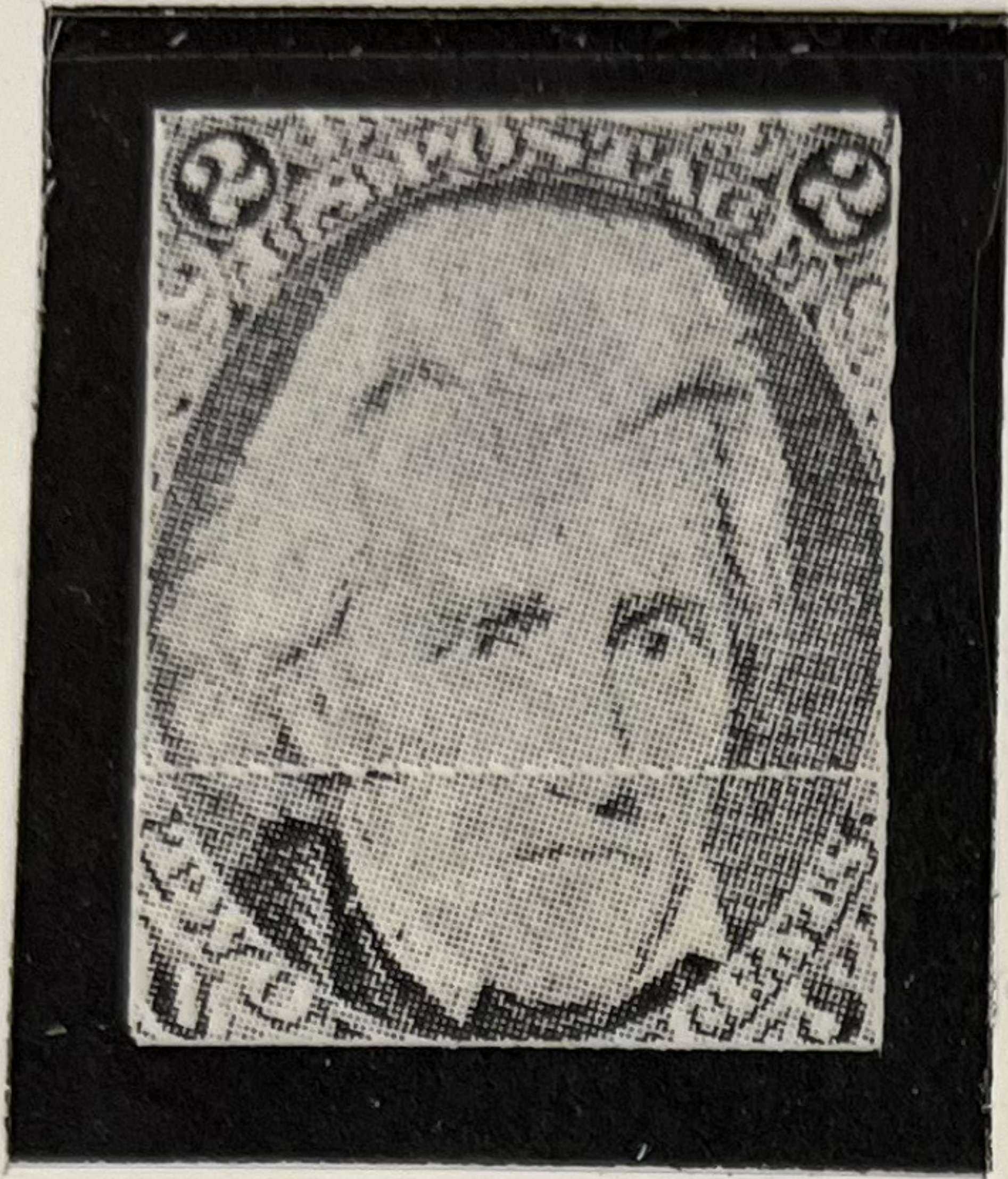




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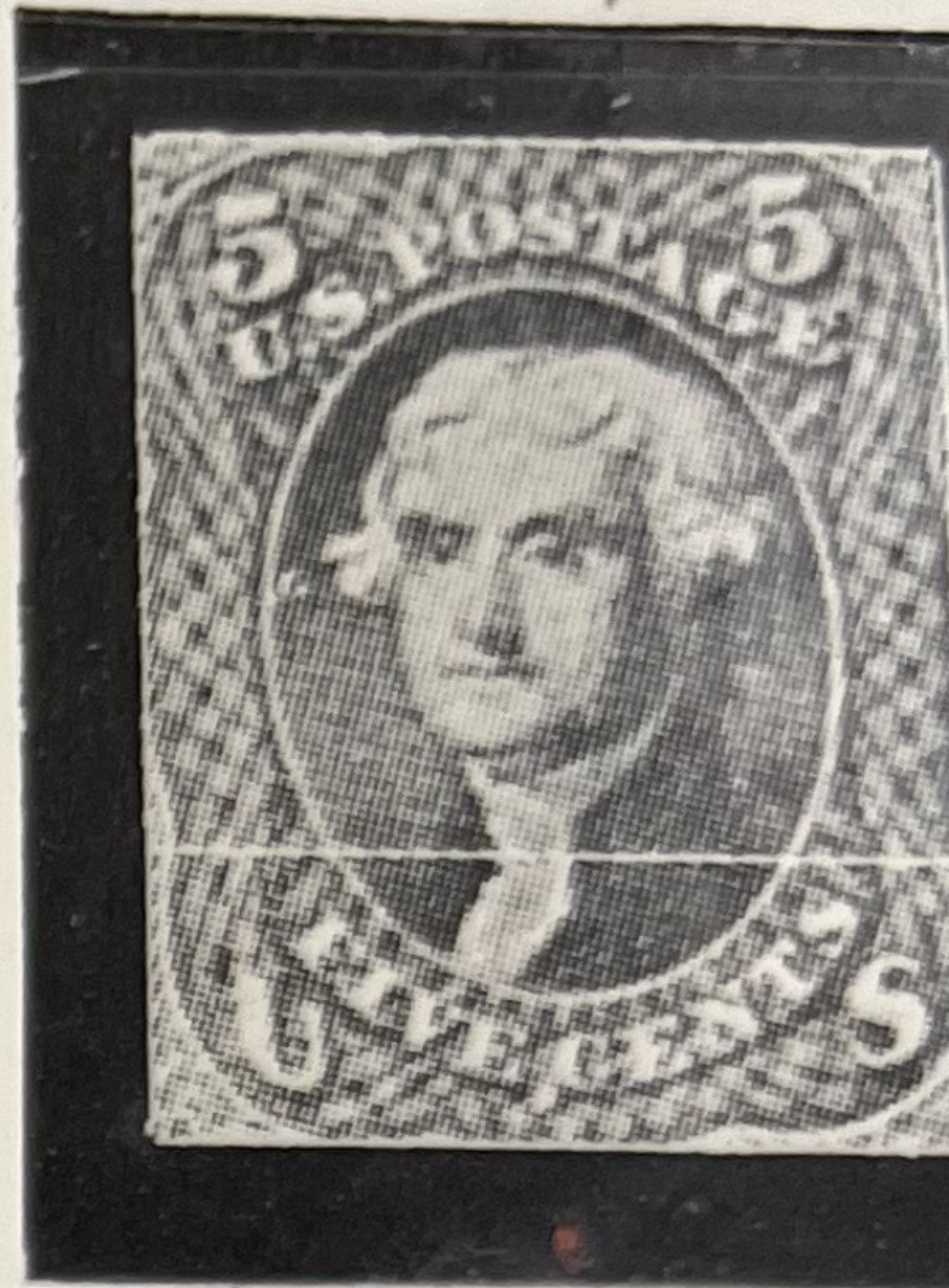


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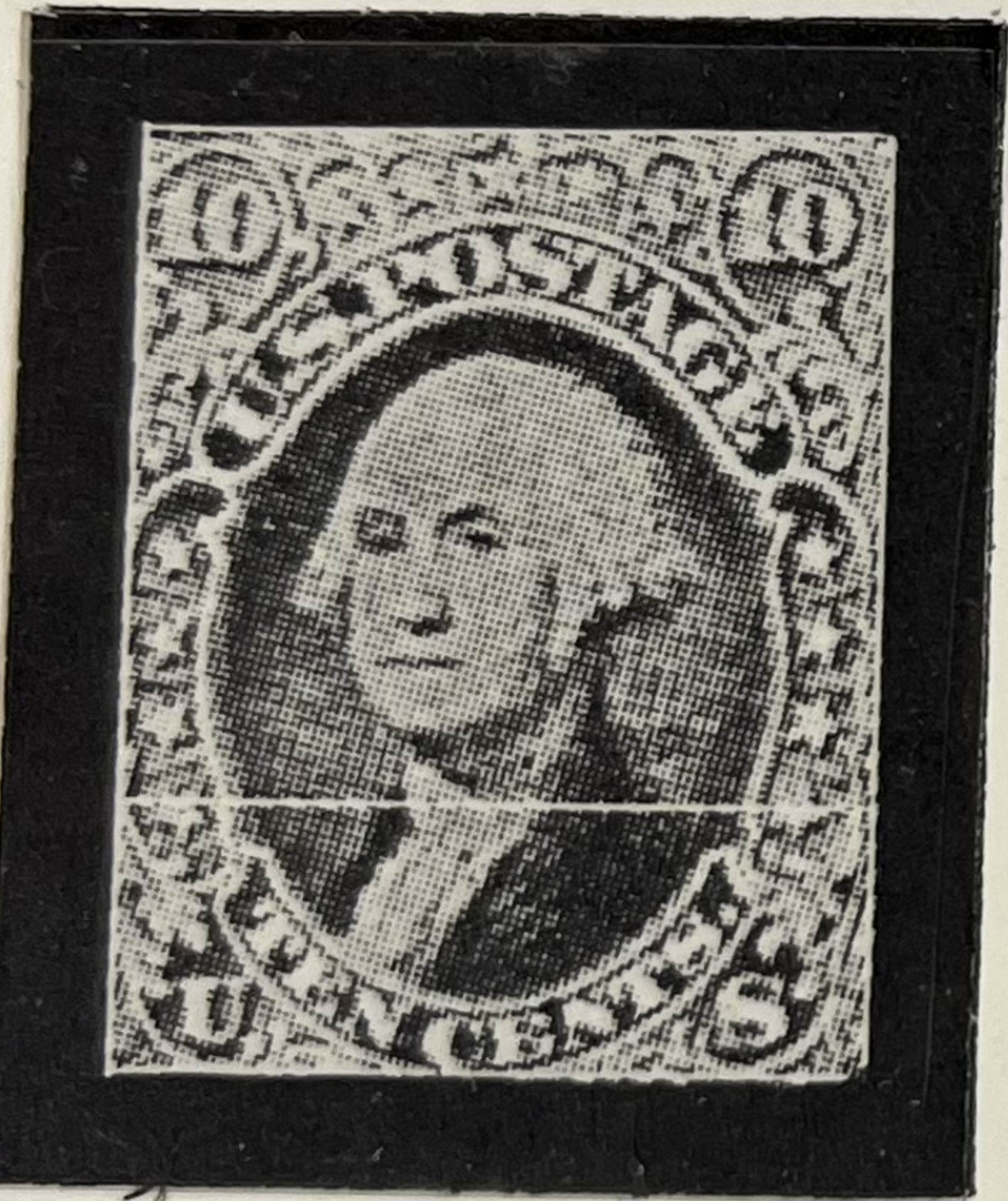


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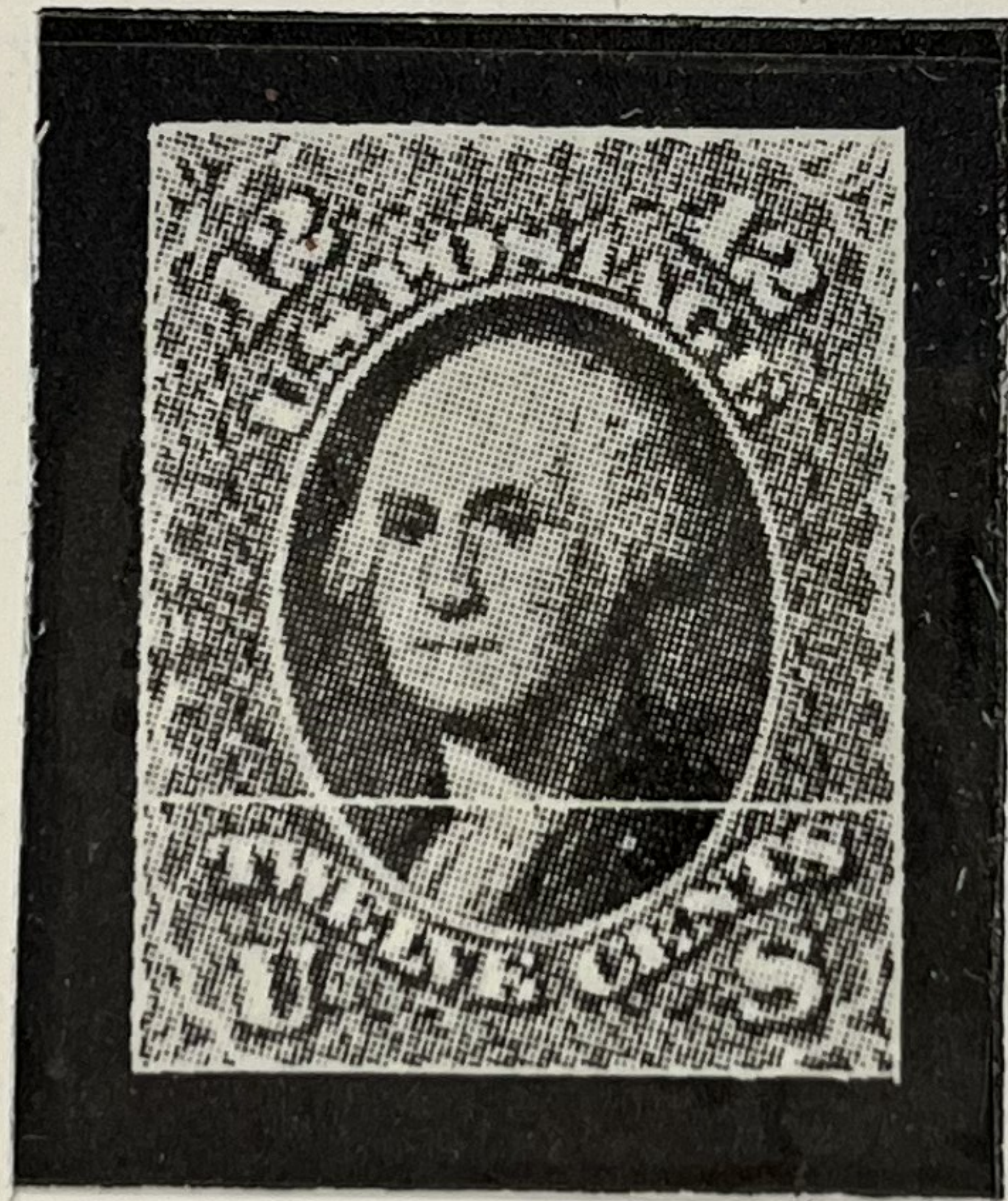
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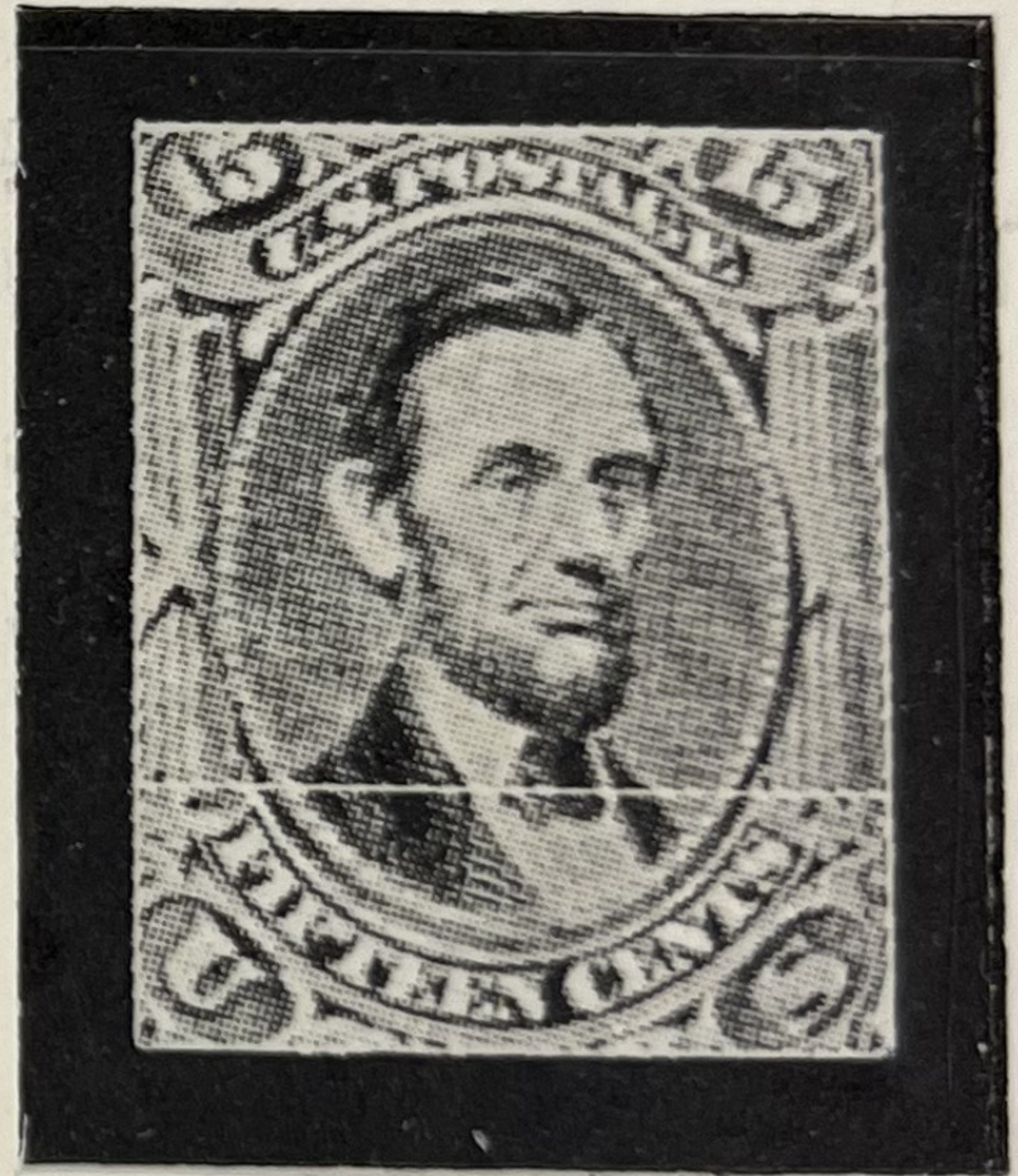
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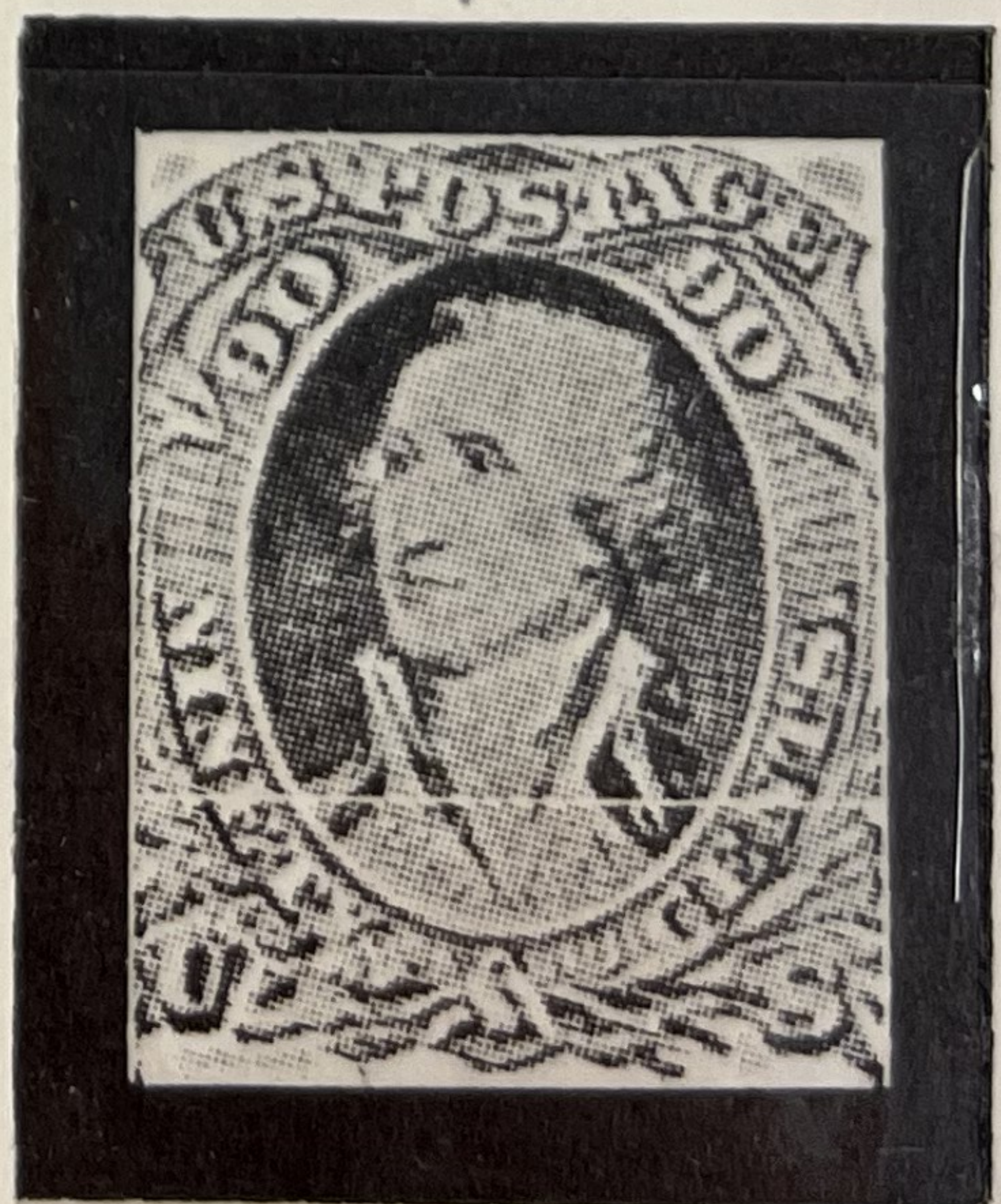
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split grill 5

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119 Type



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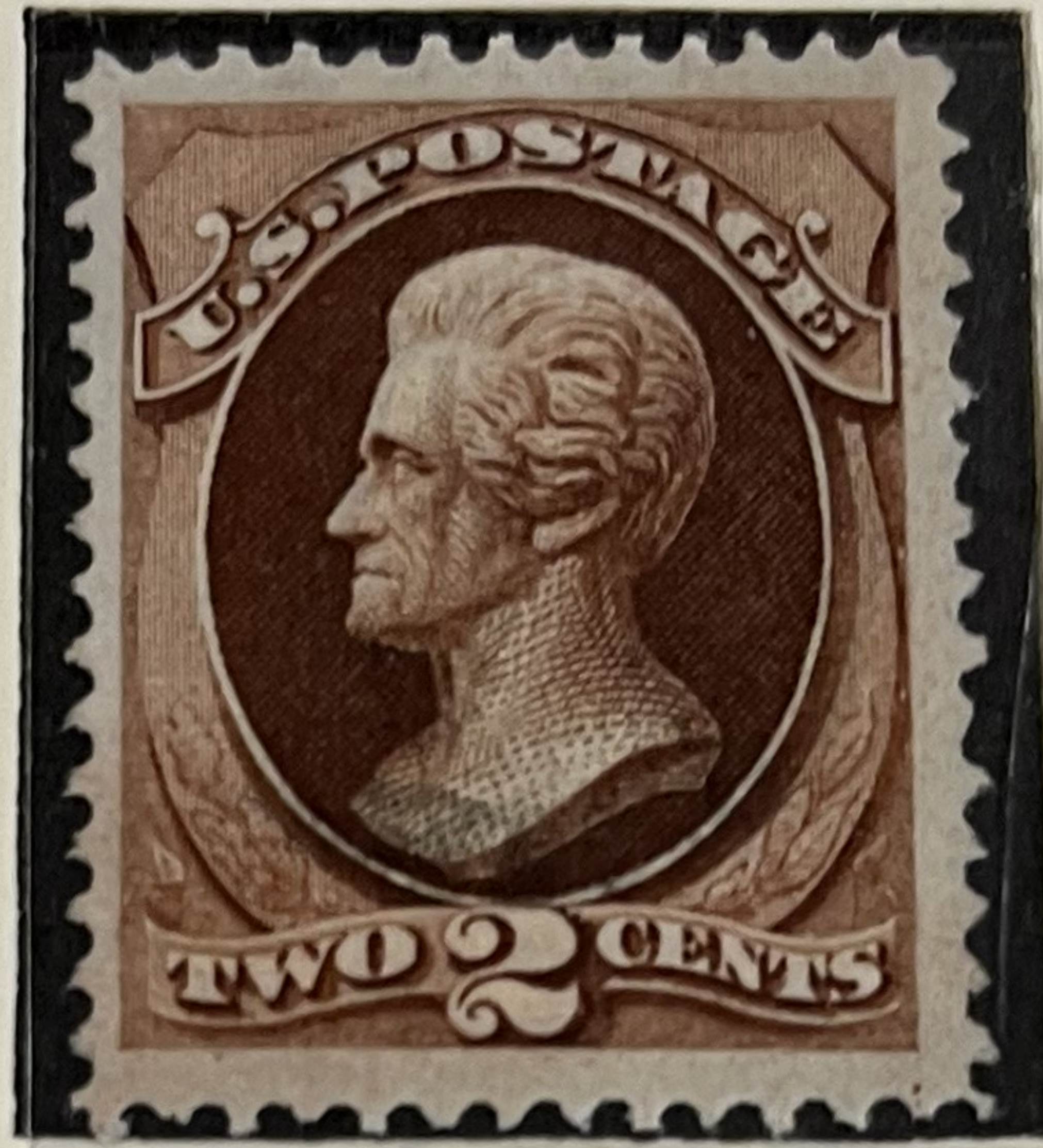
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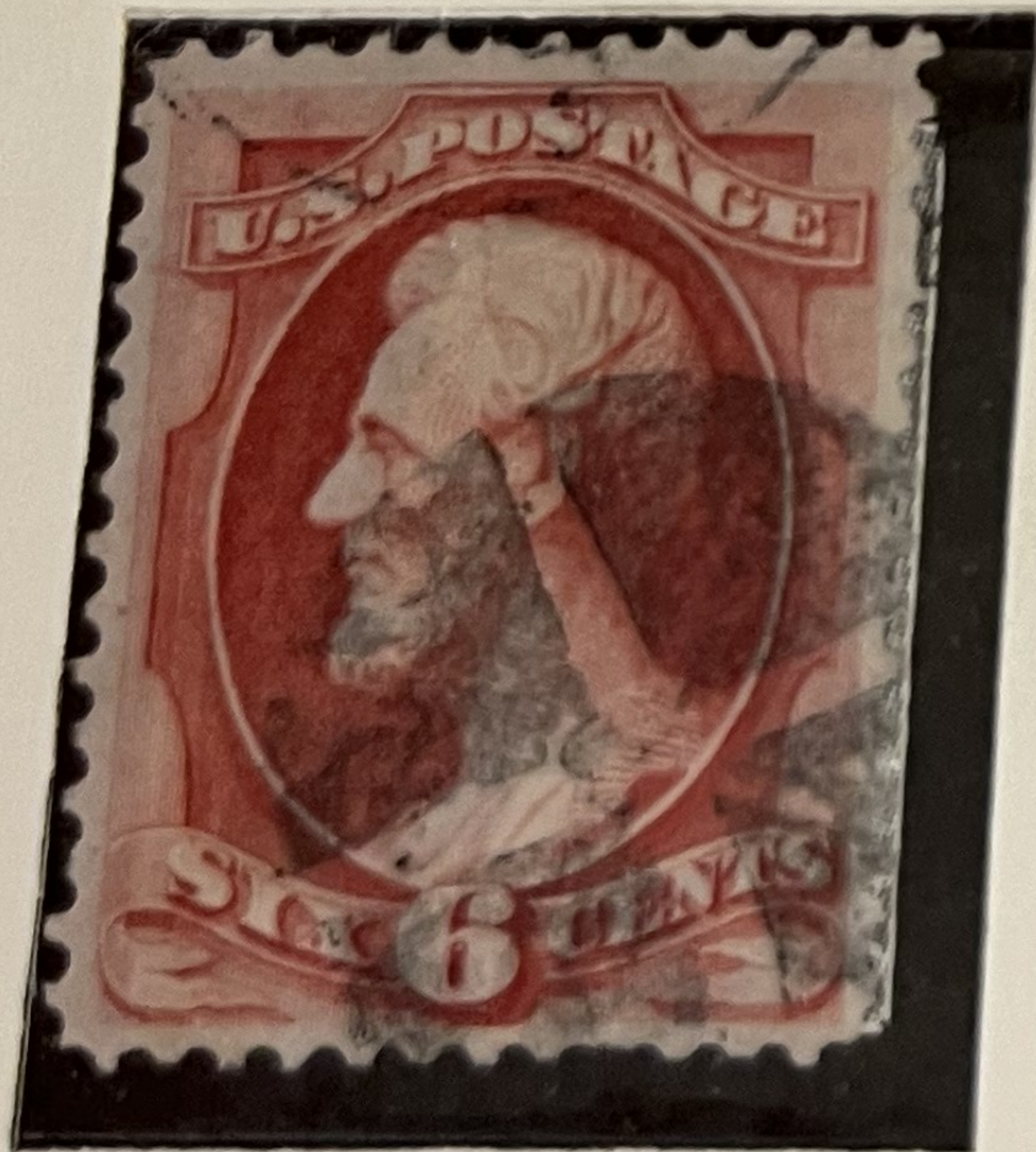


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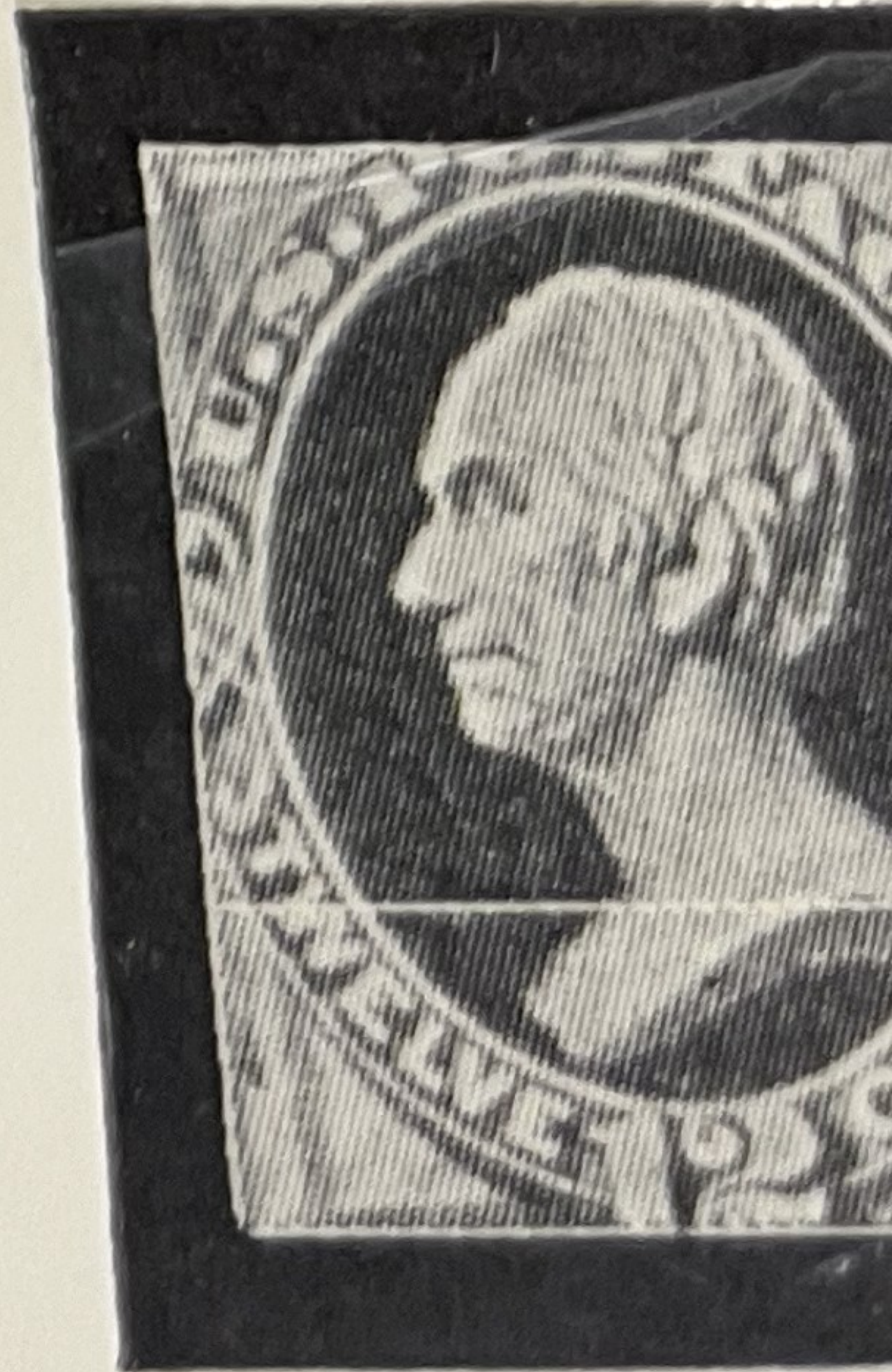
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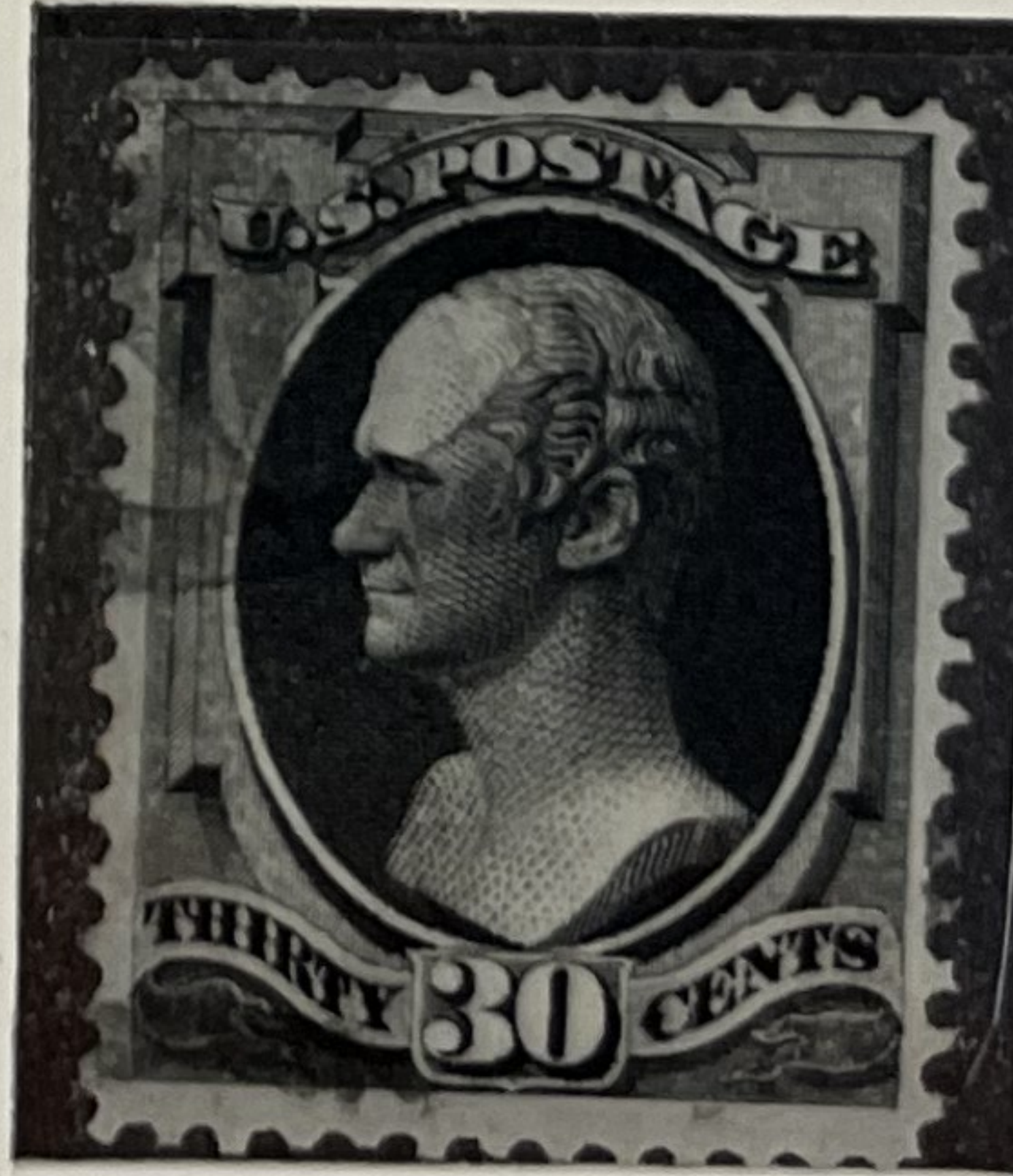
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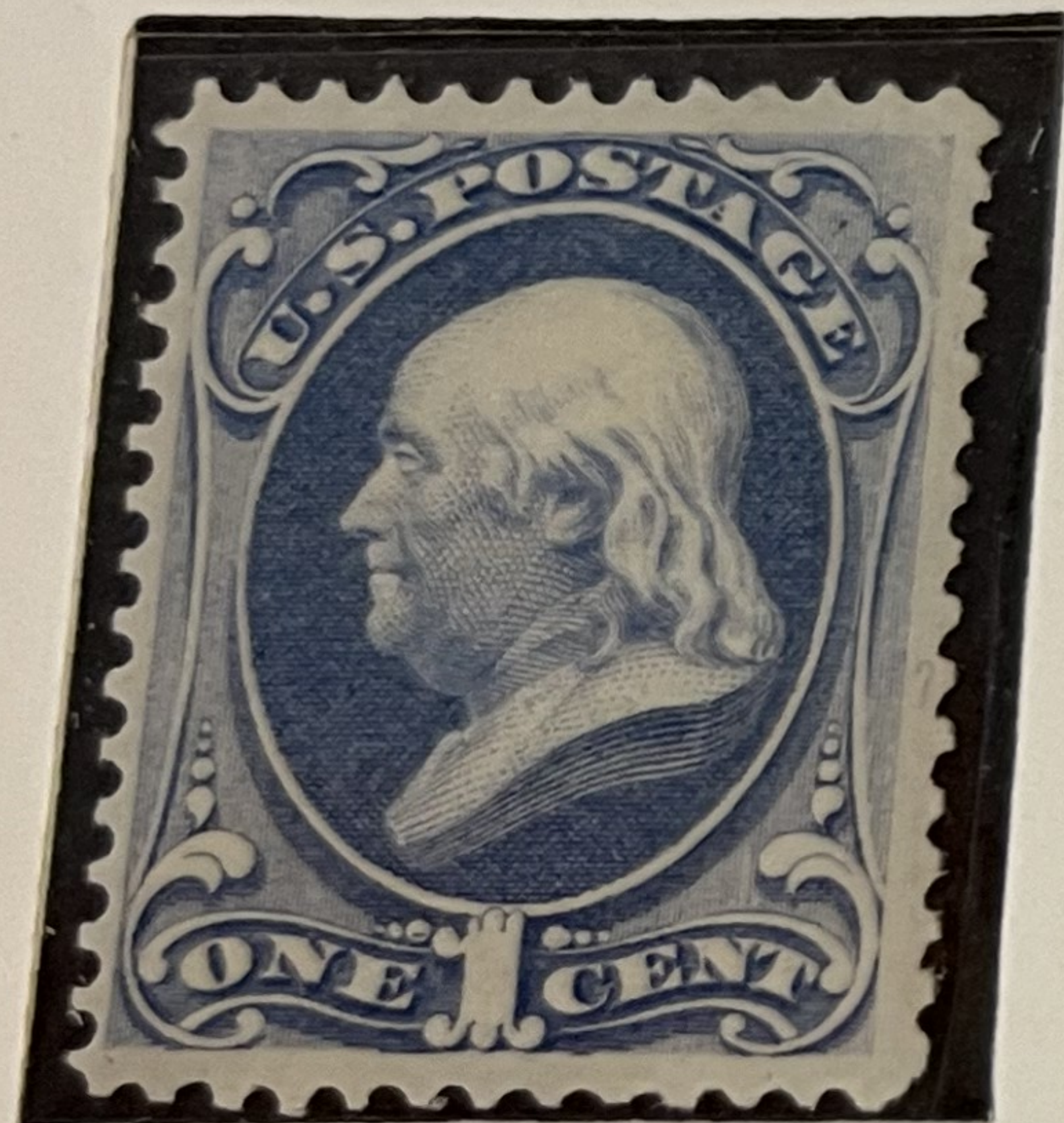




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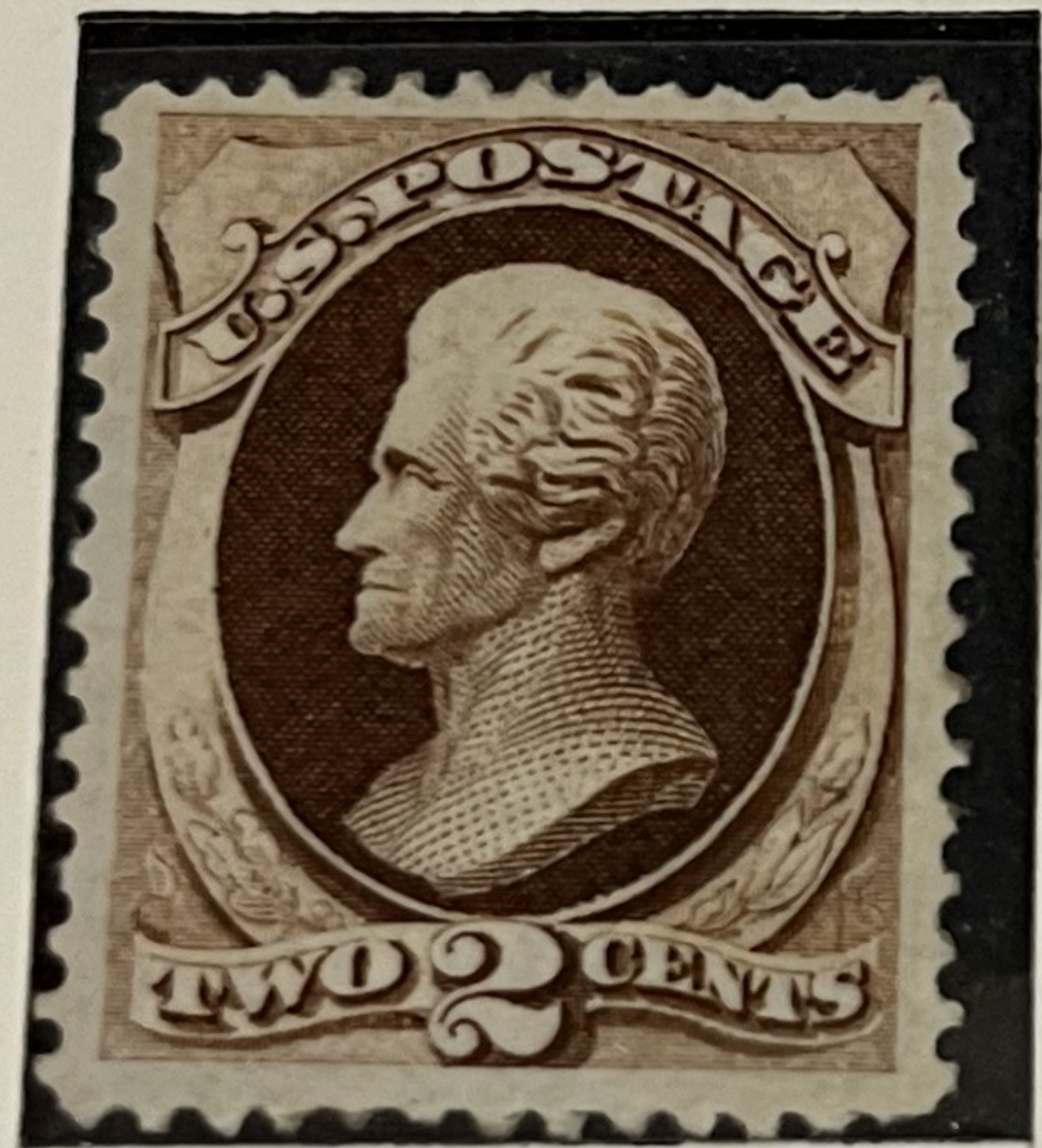
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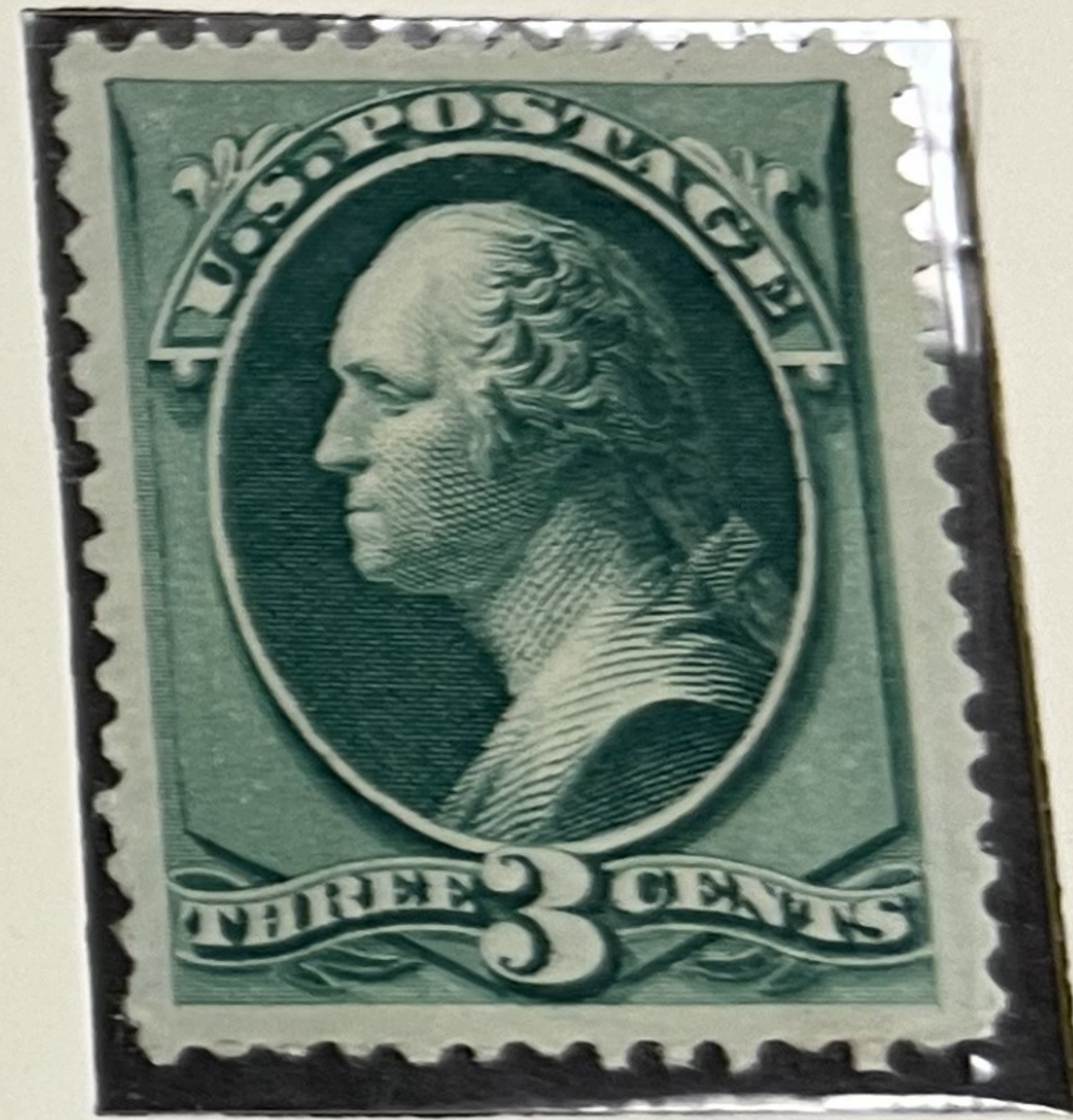
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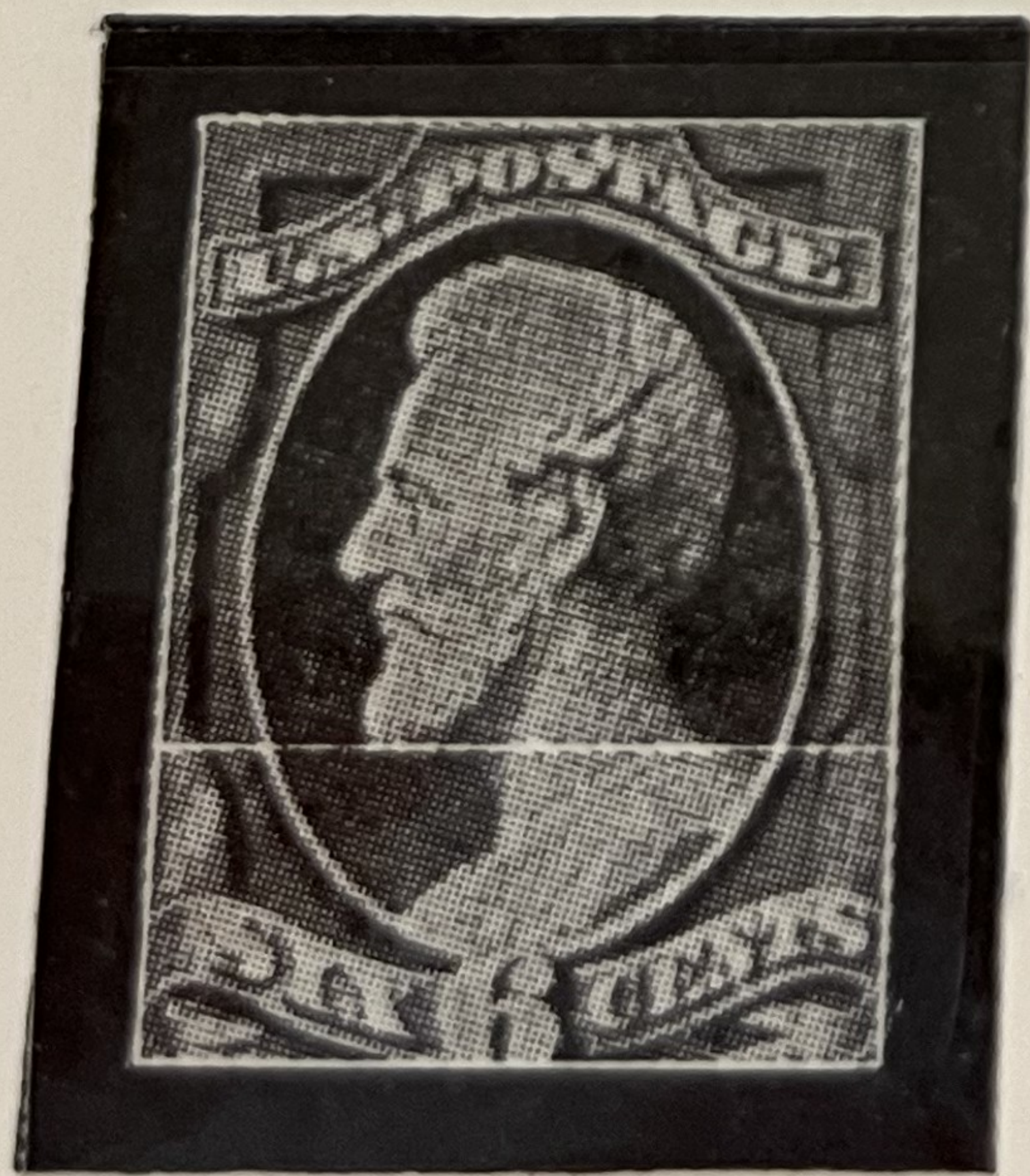
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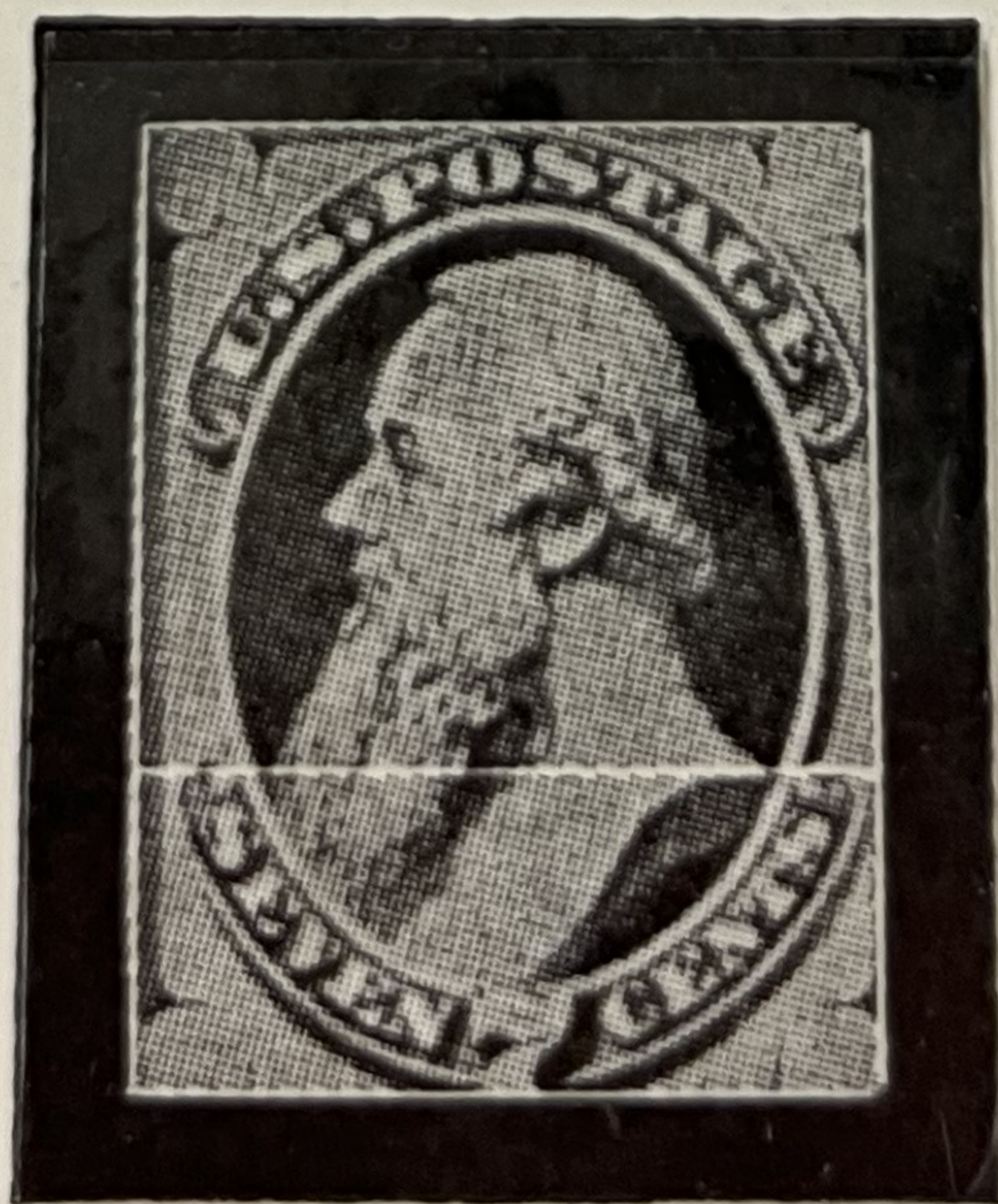


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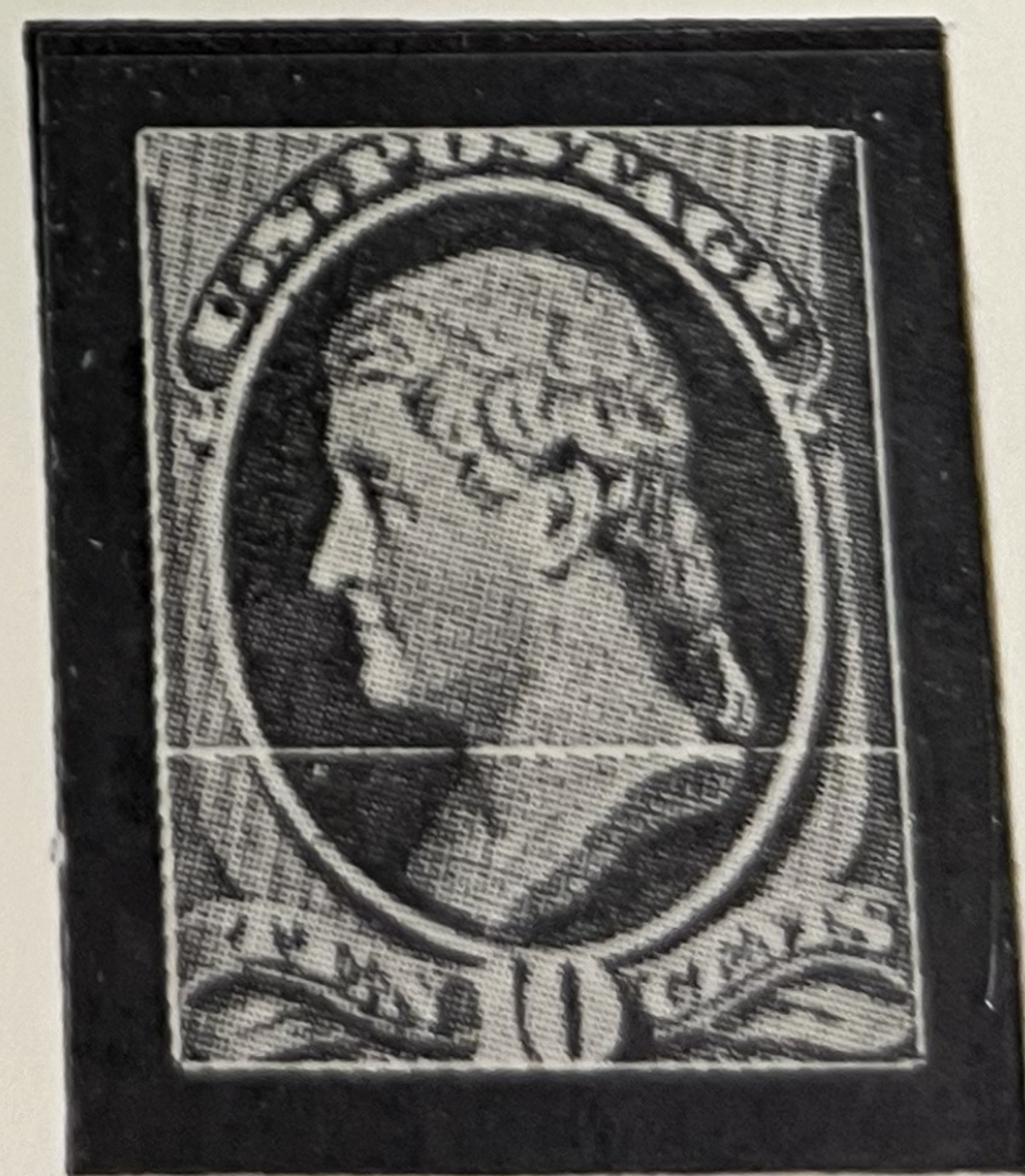
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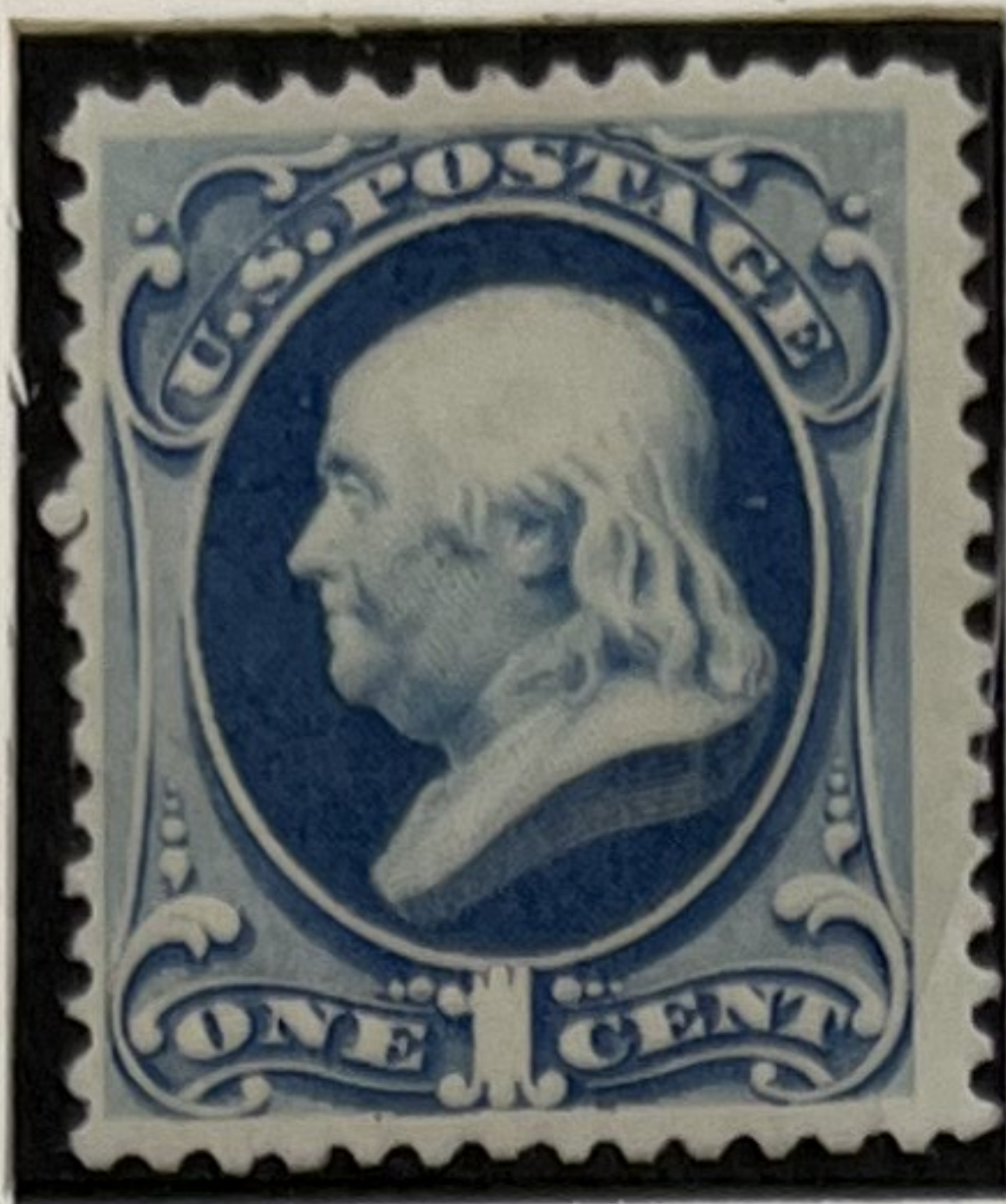
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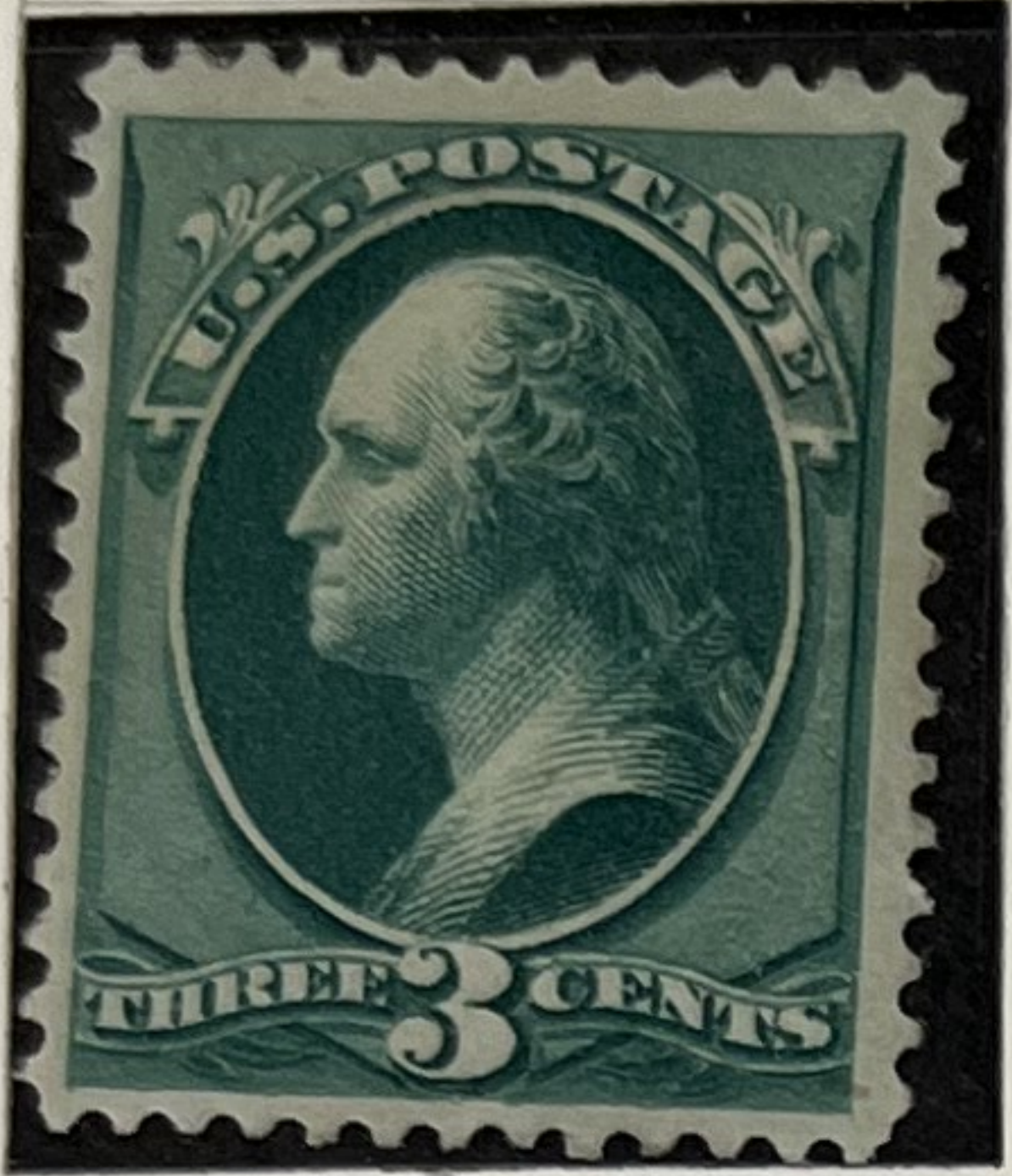
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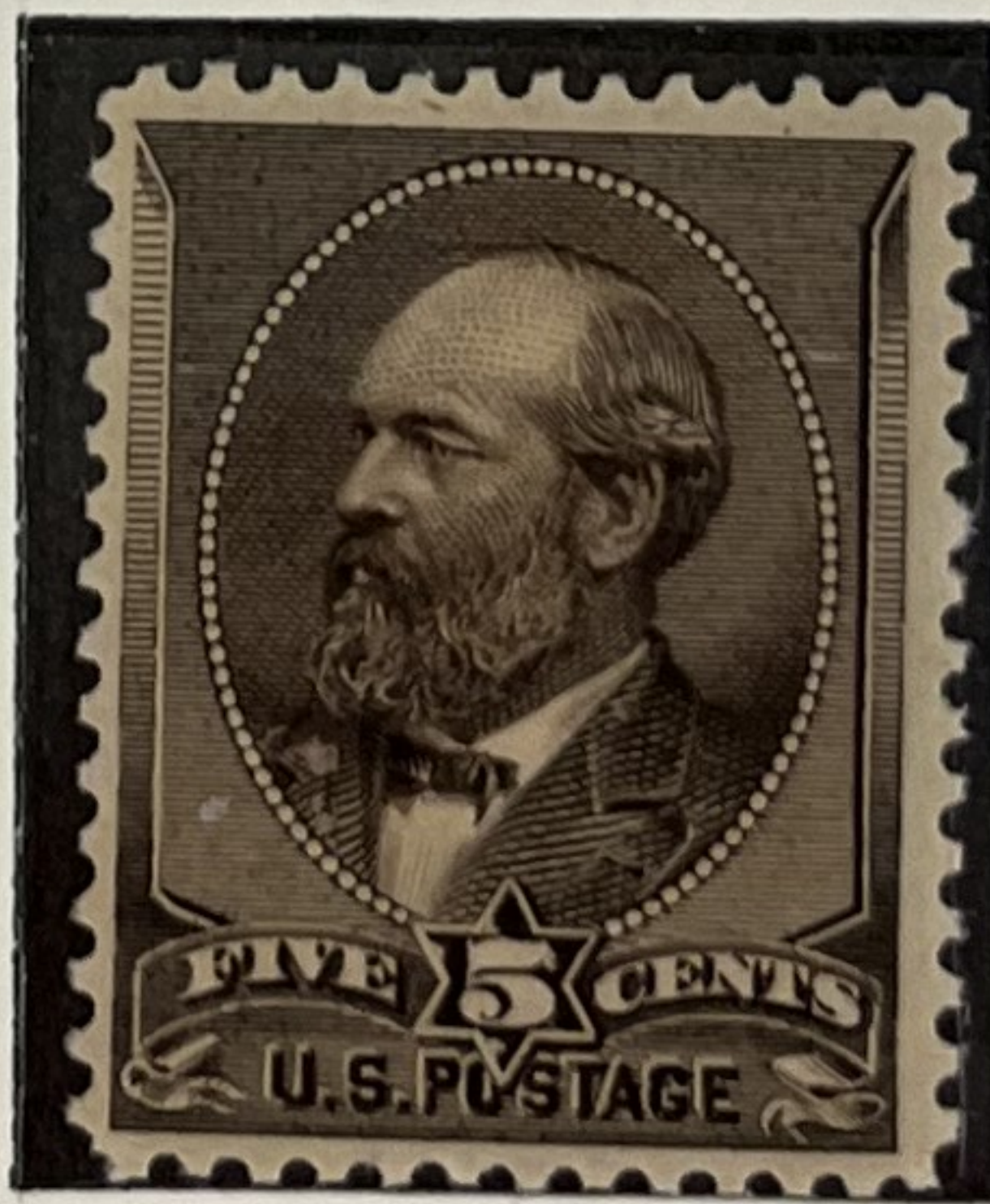
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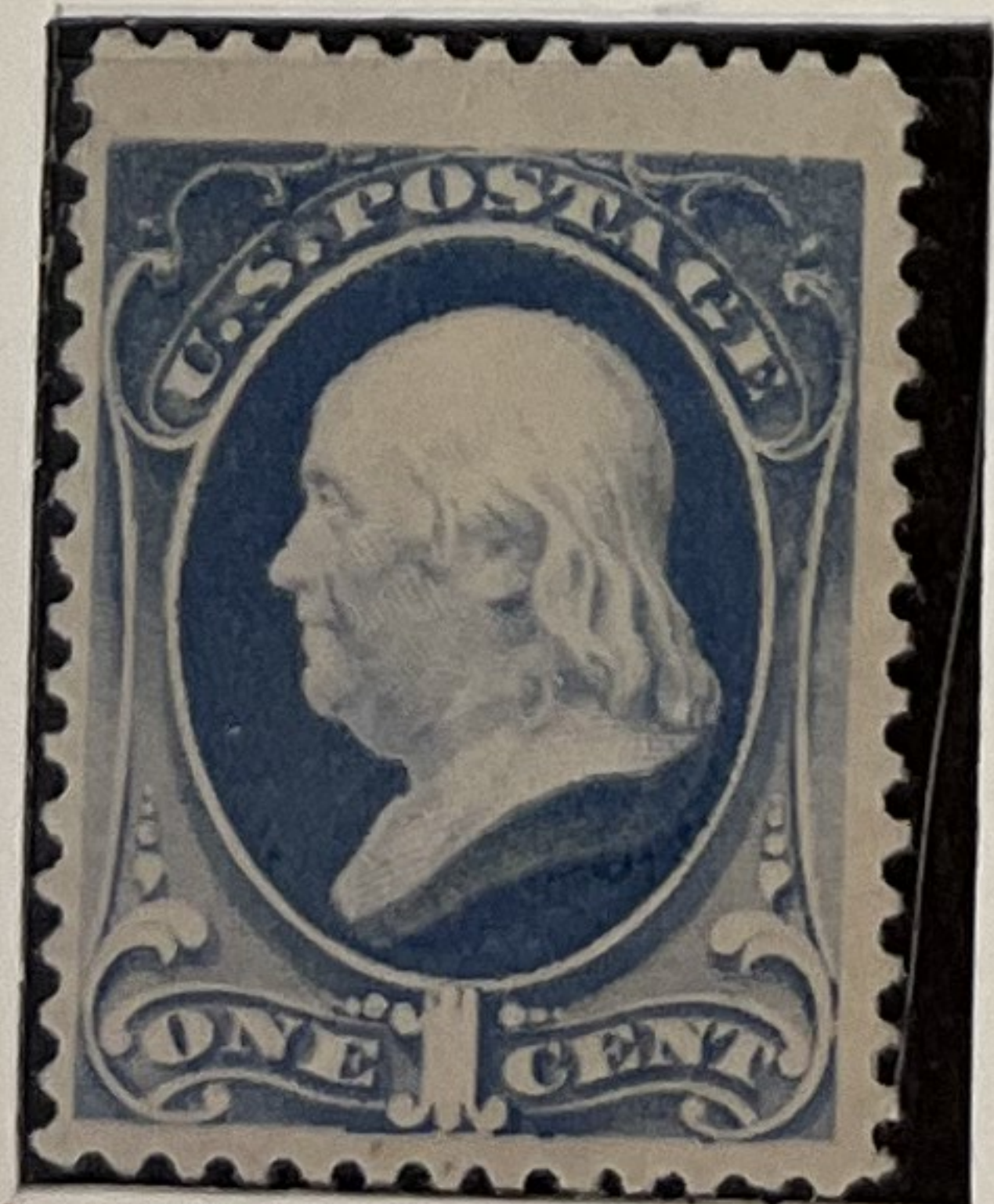


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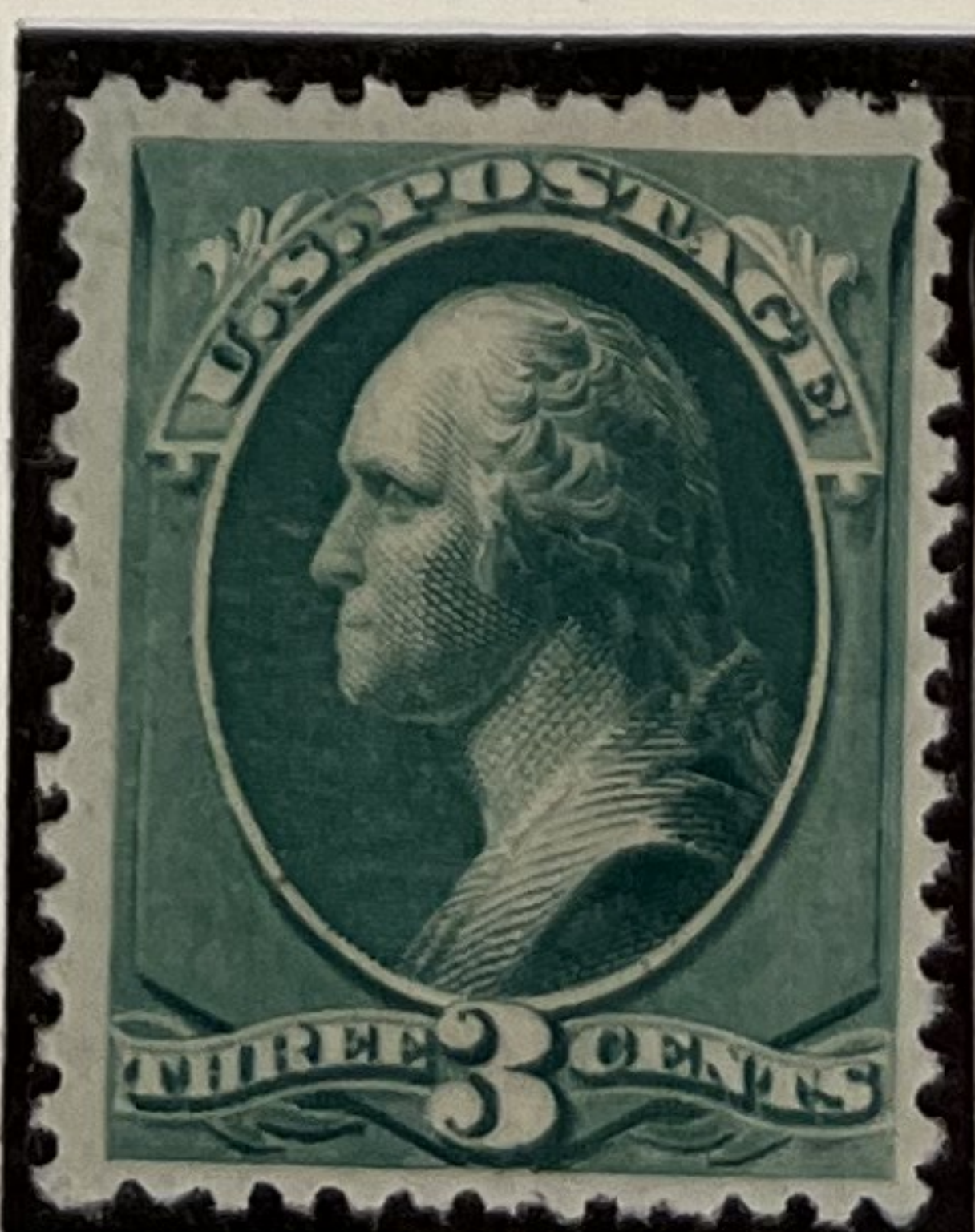


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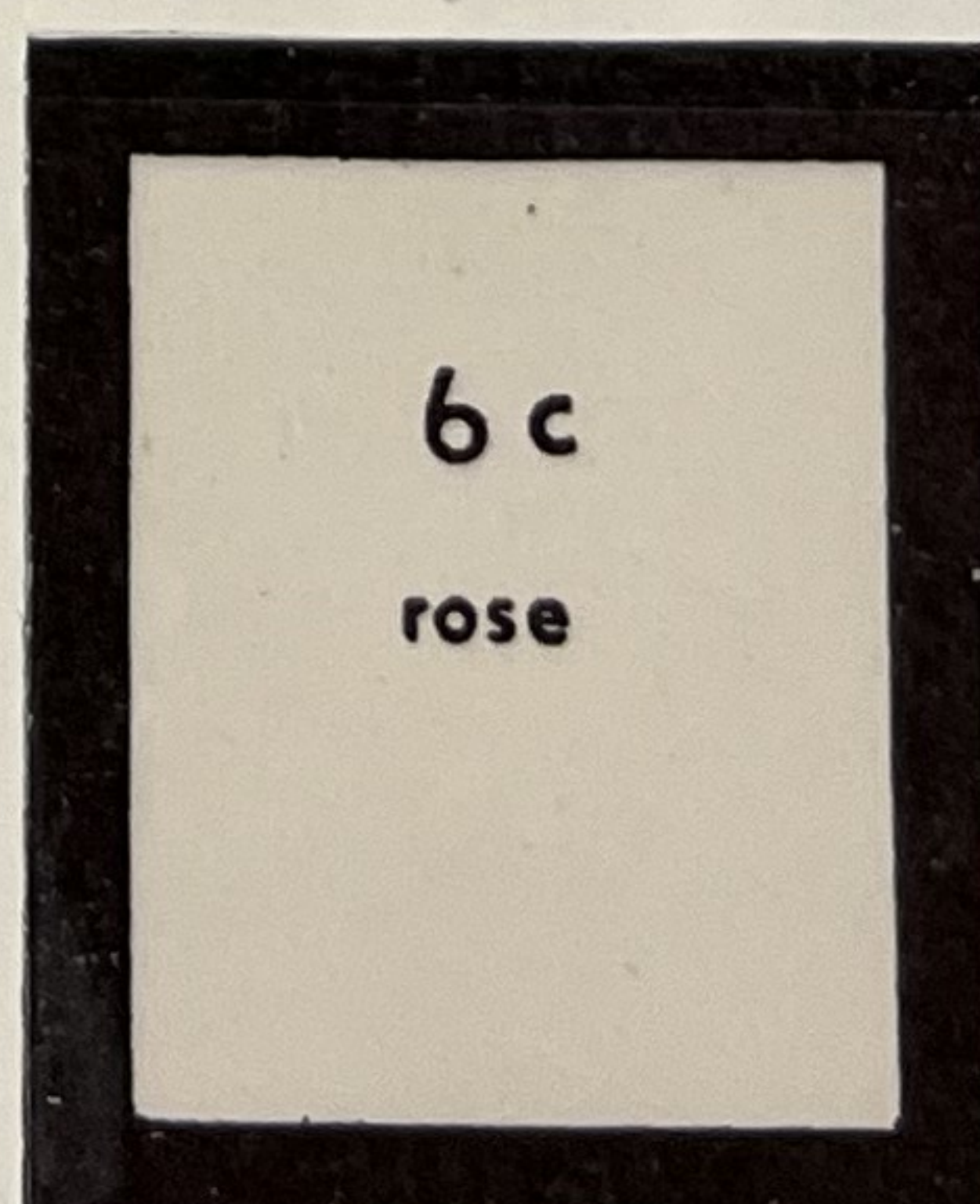
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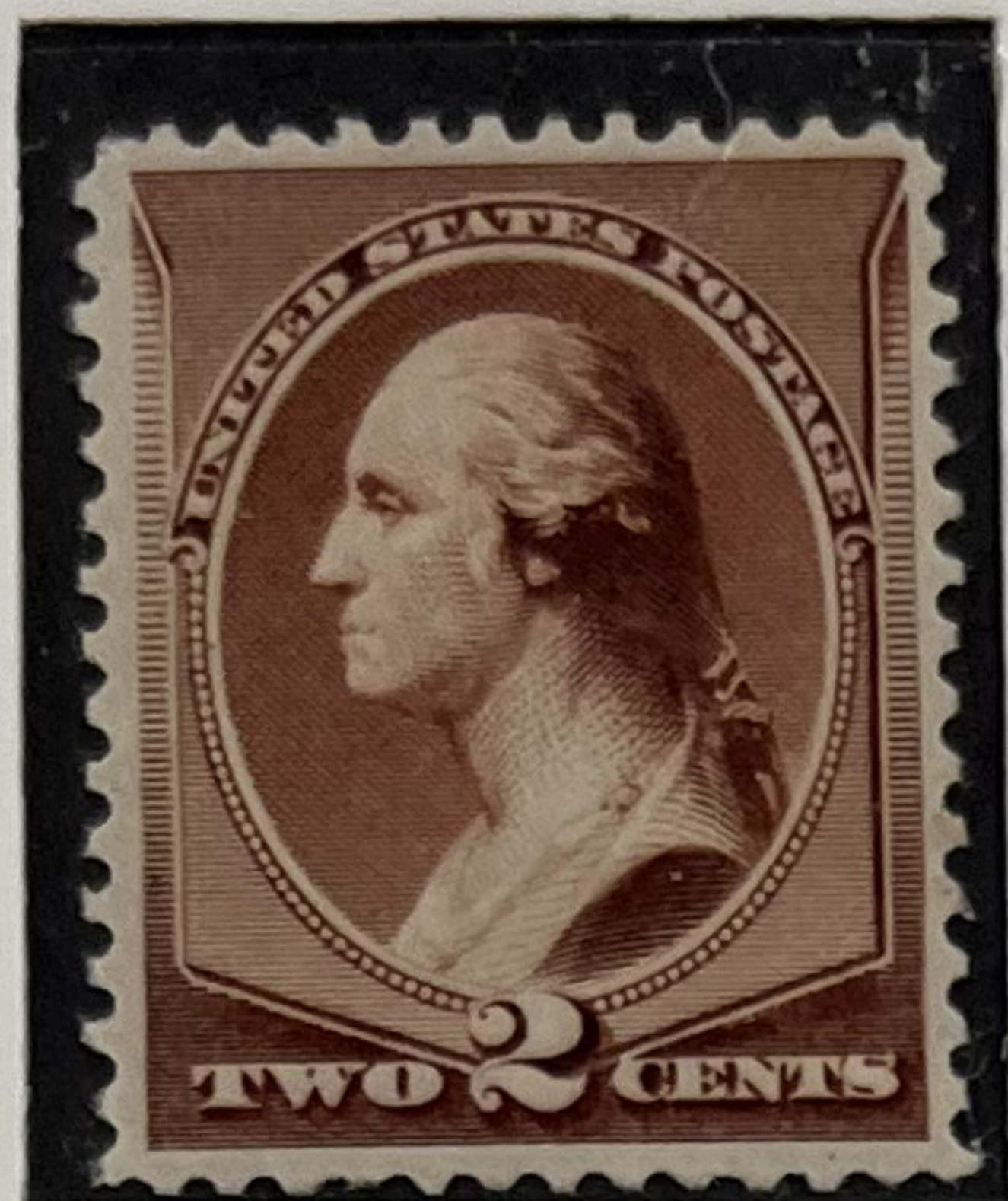
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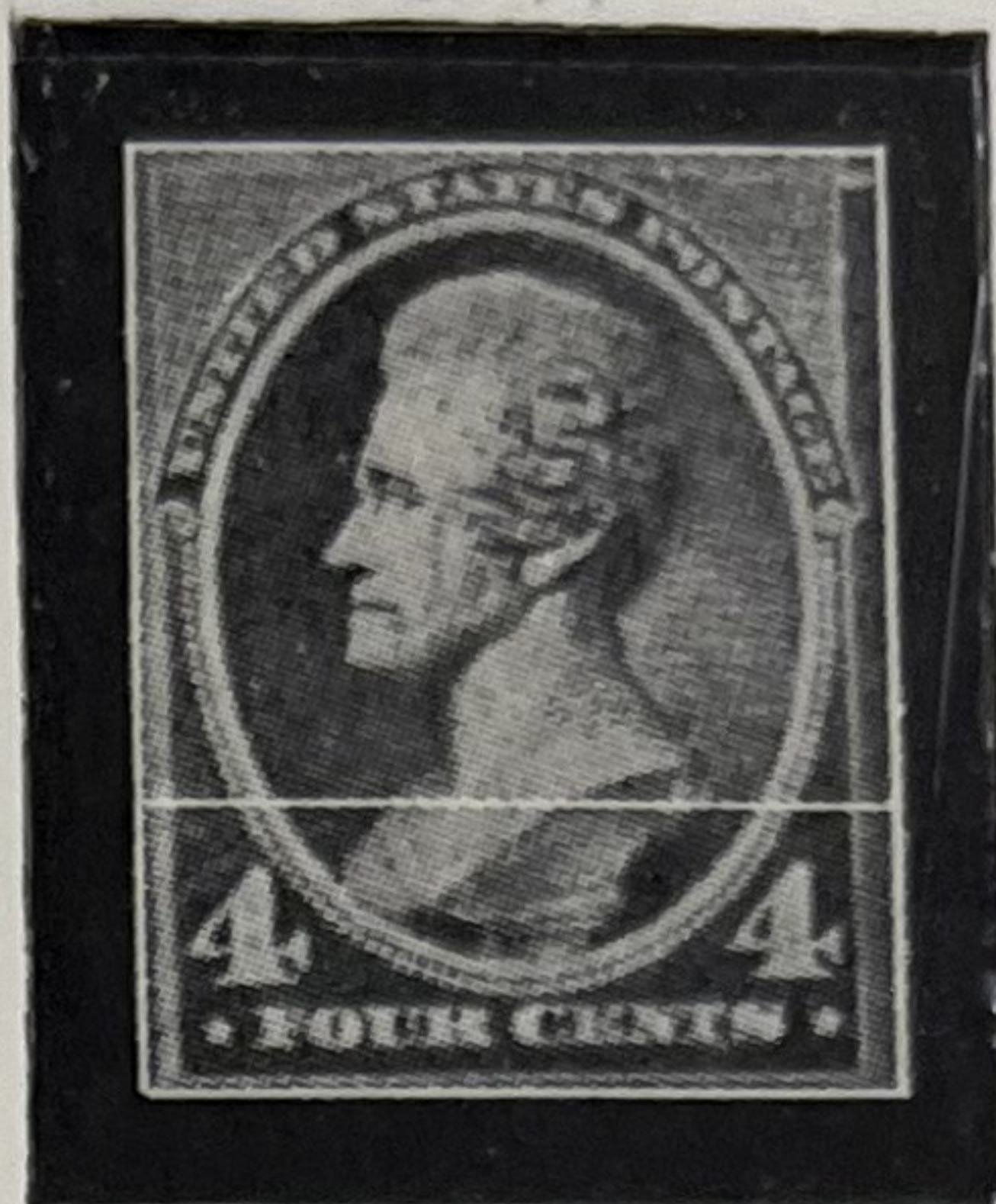
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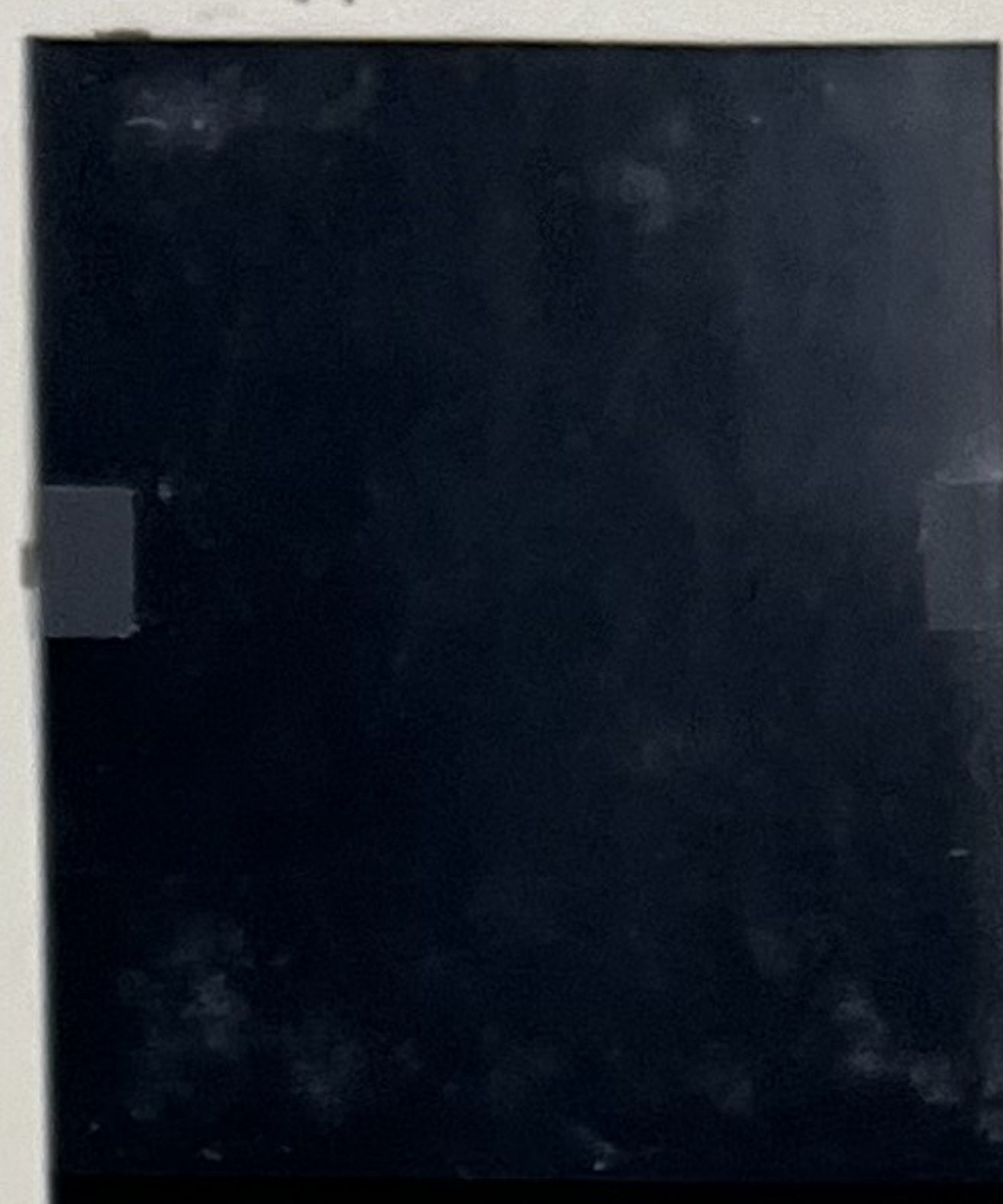
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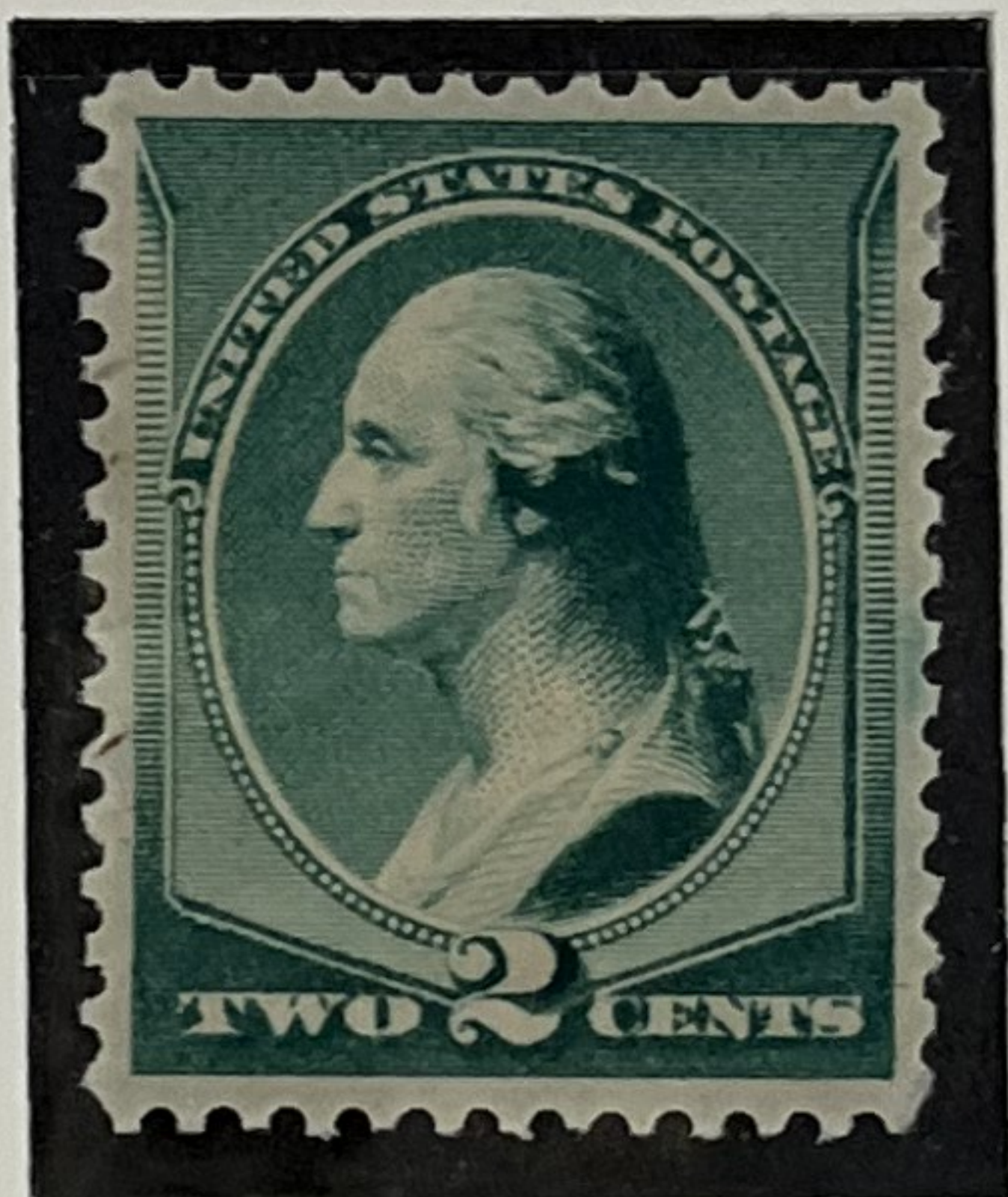
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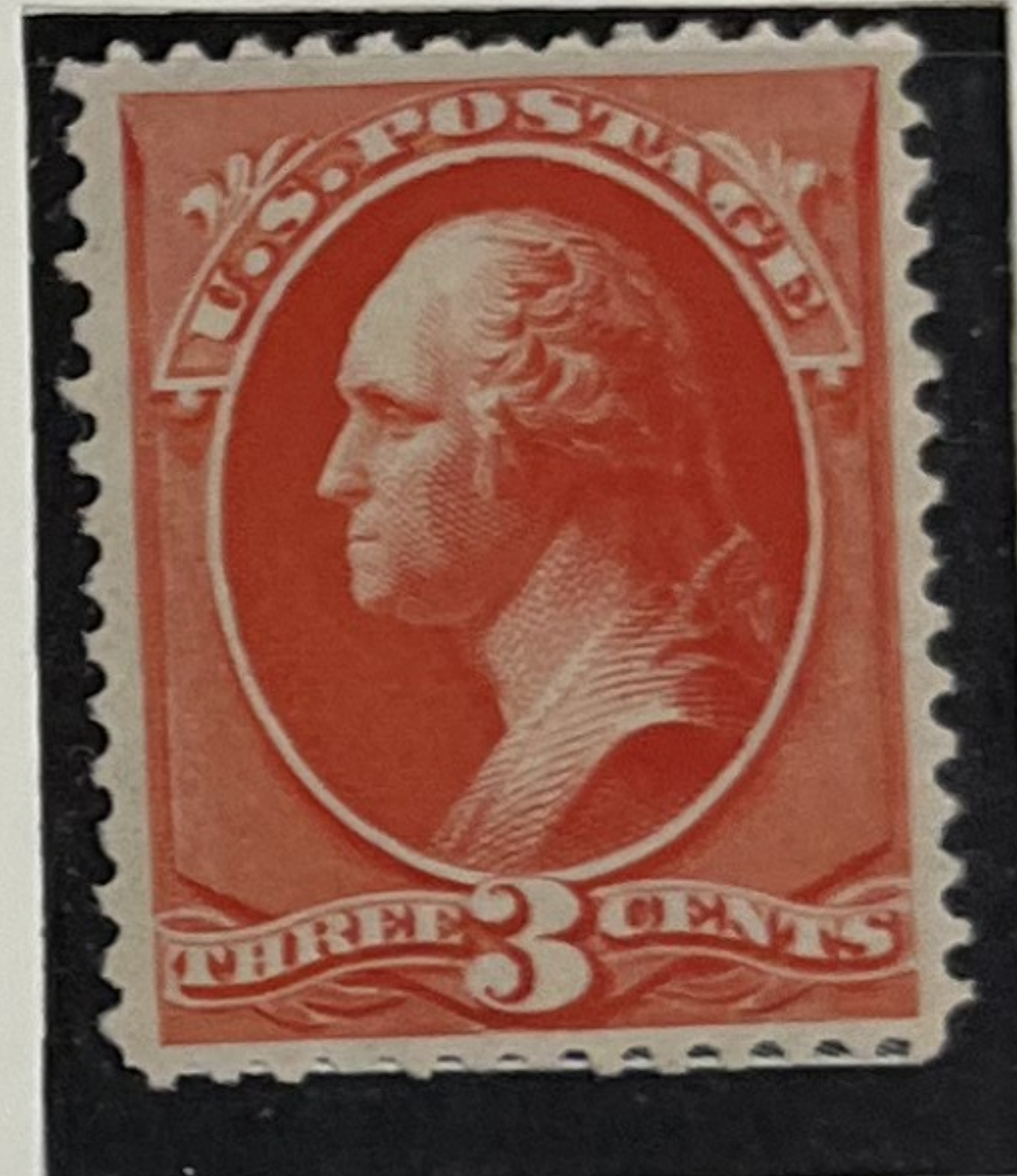
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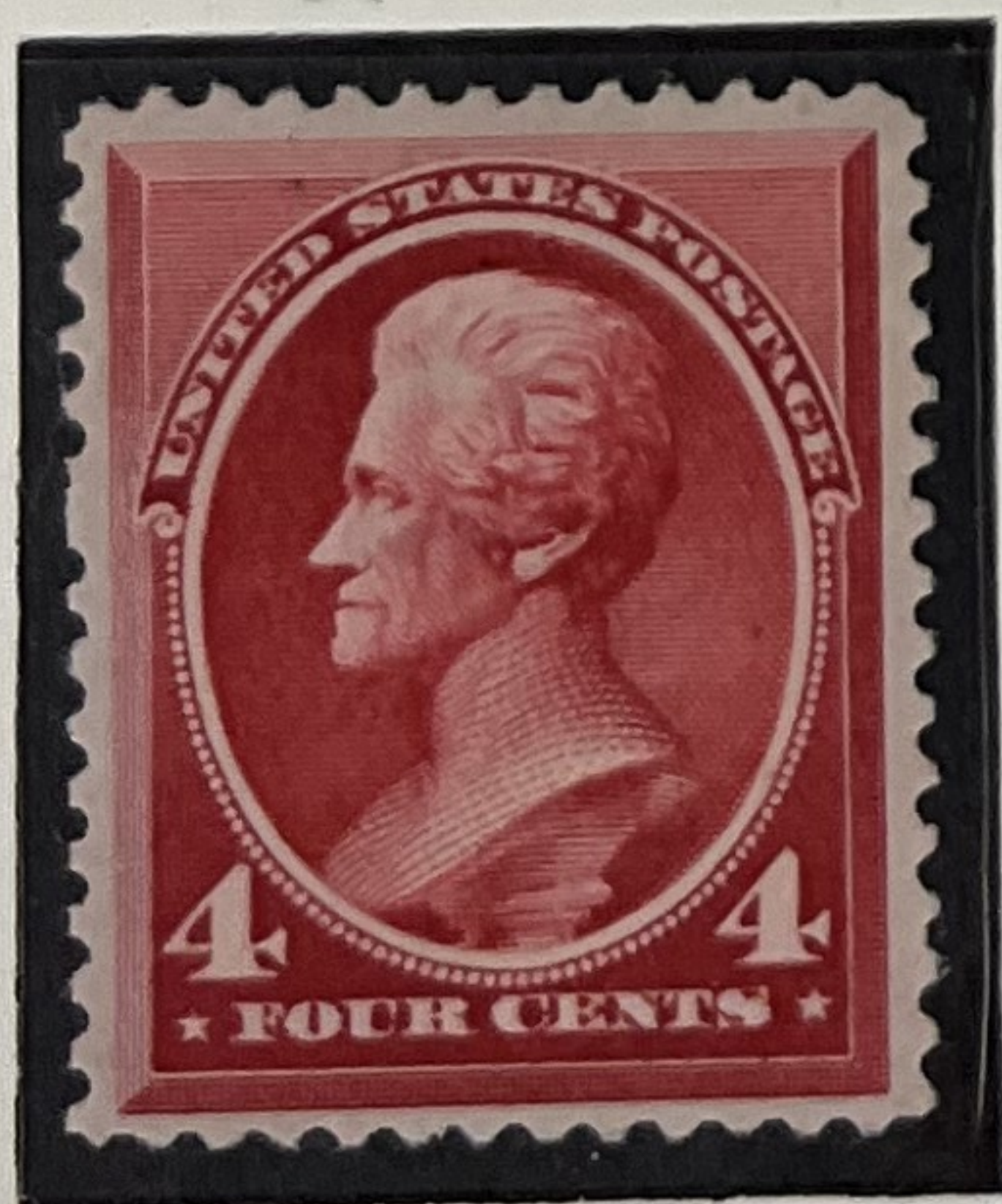
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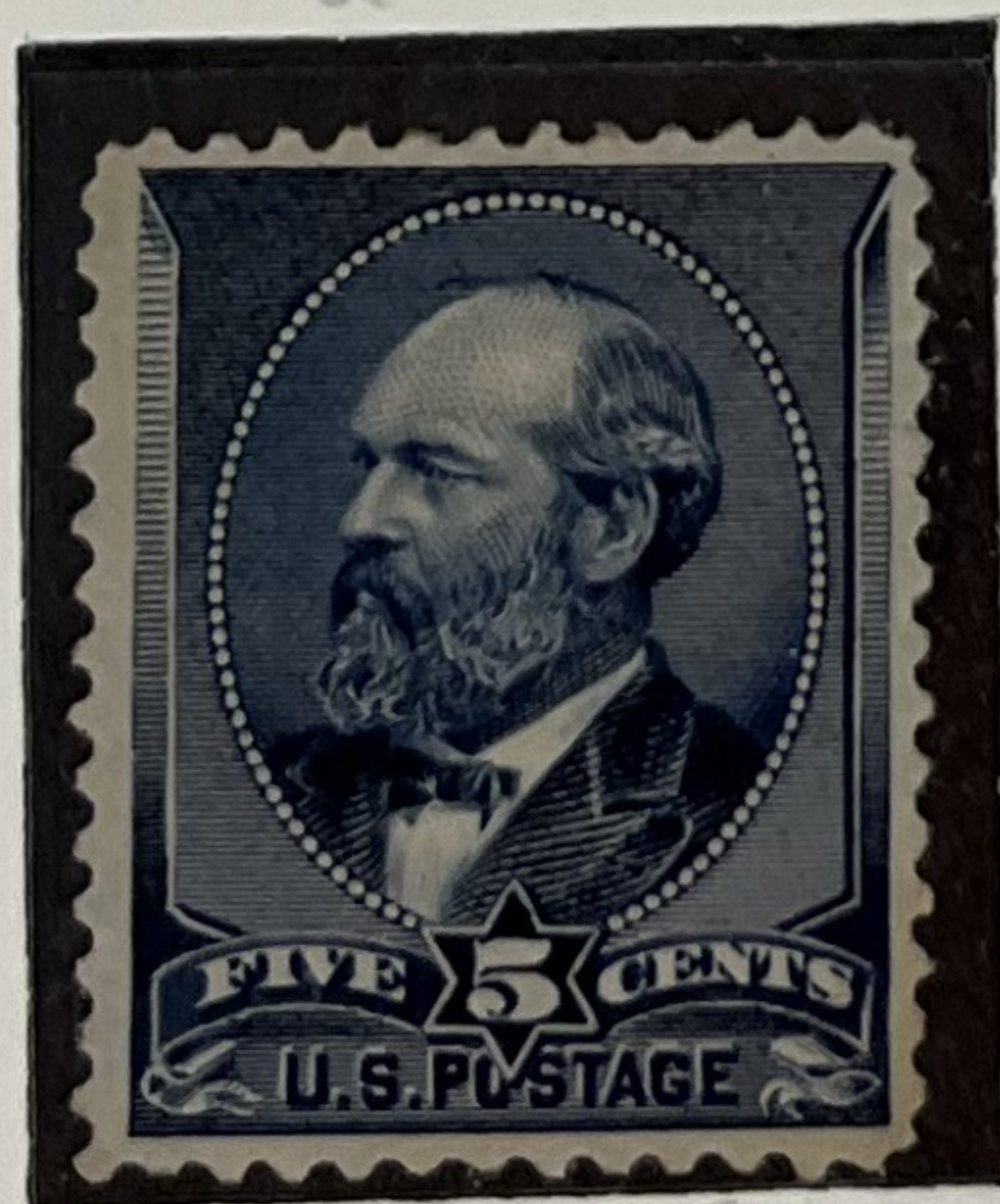
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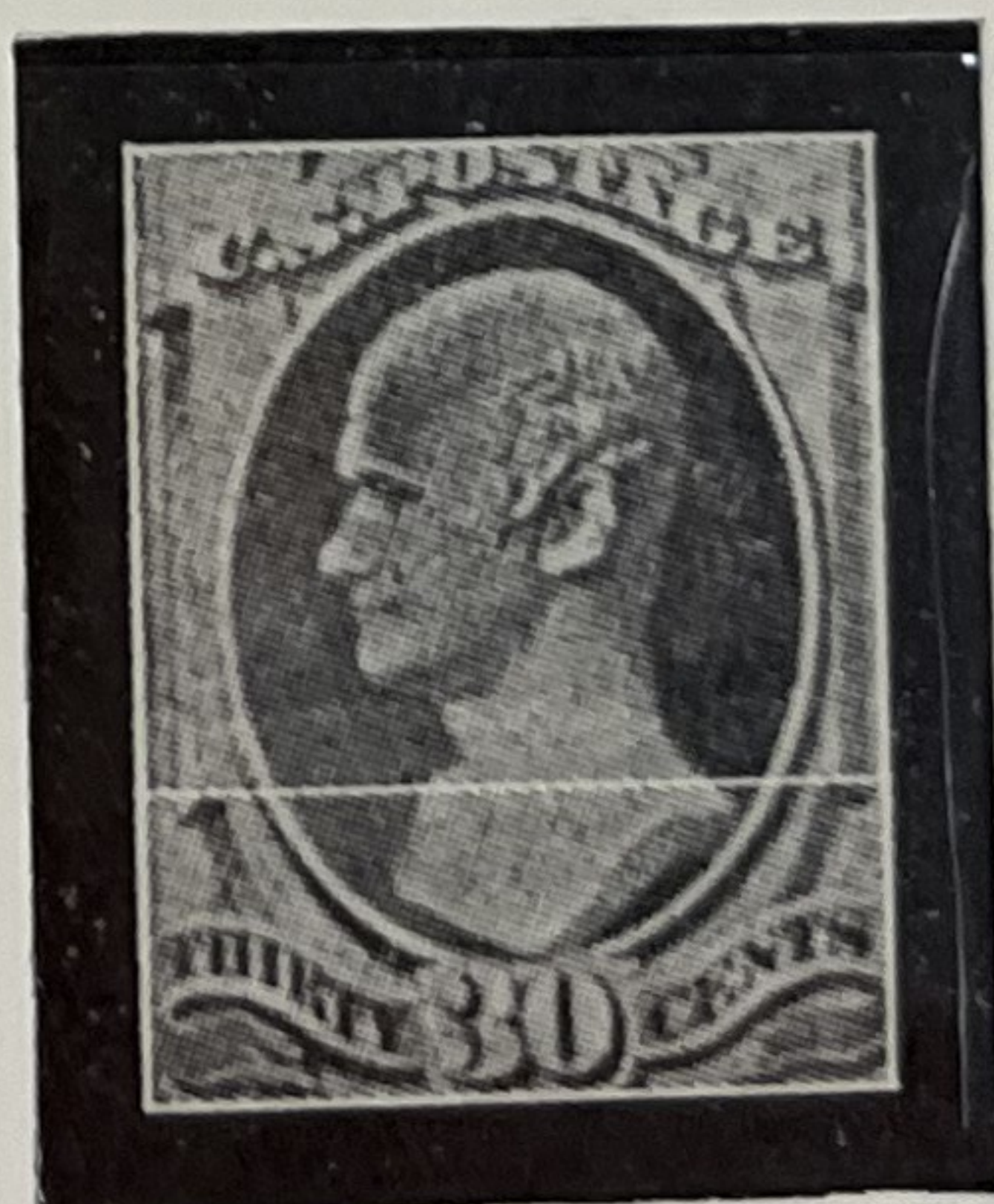
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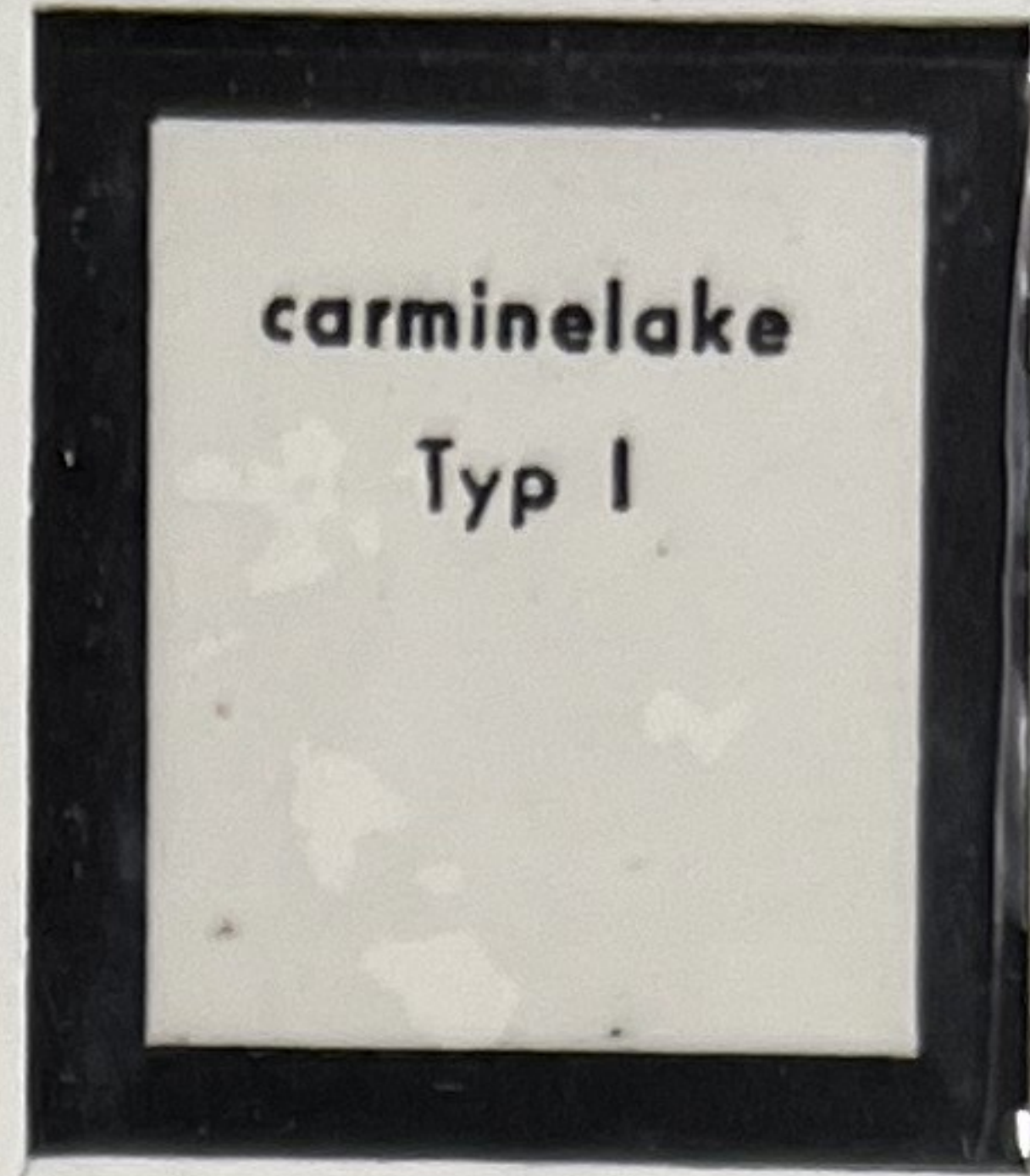
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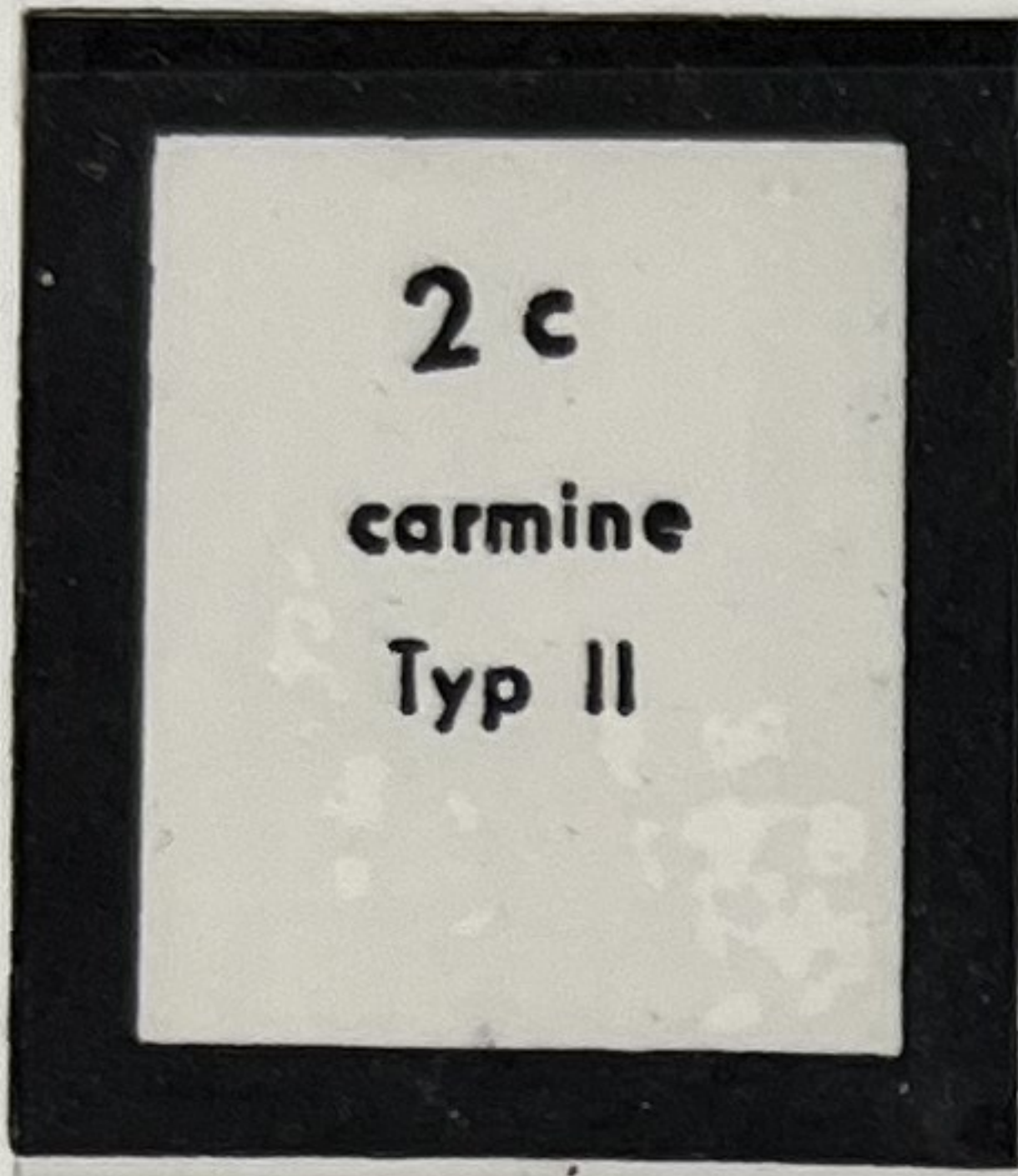
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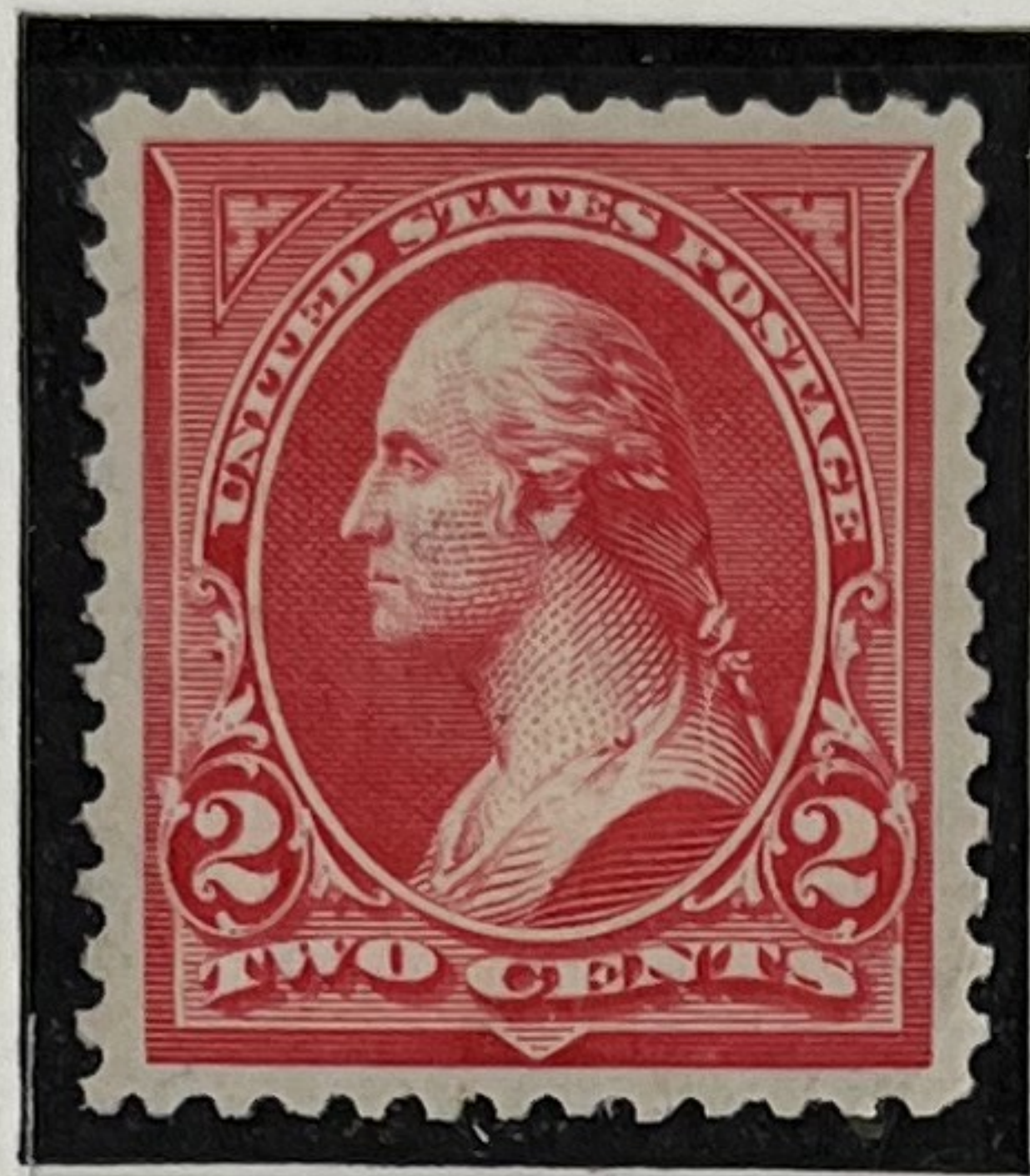
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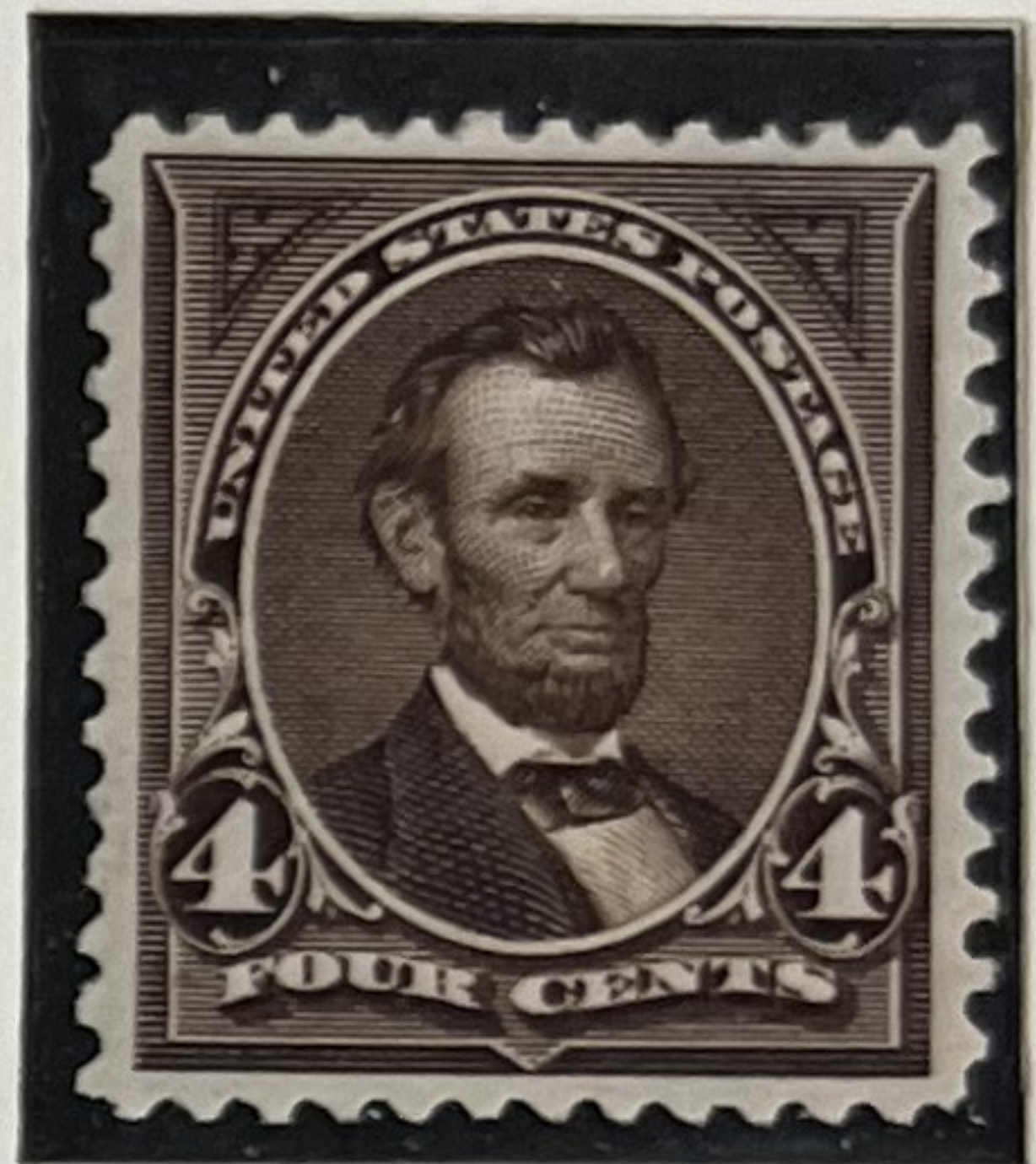
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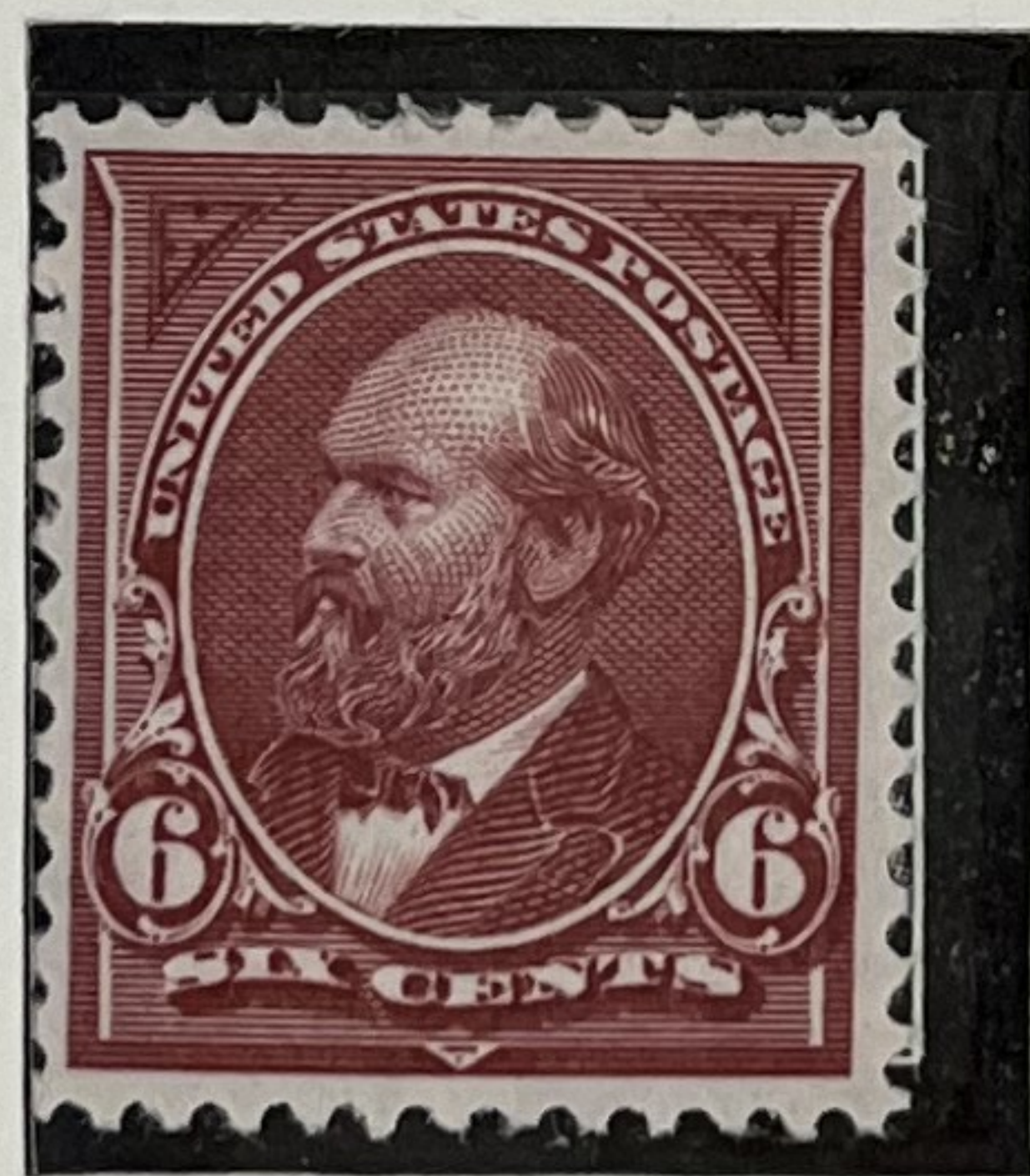
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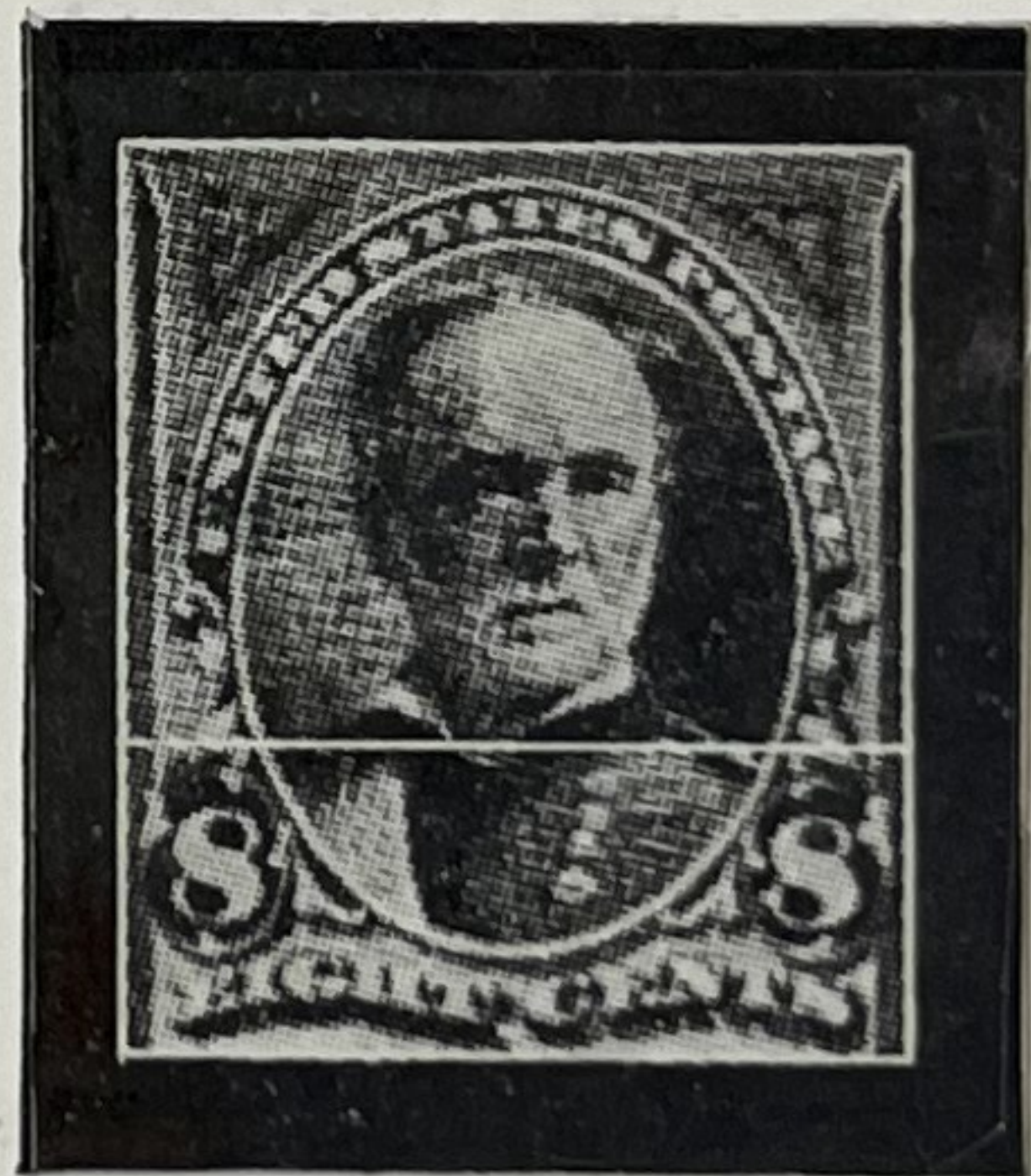
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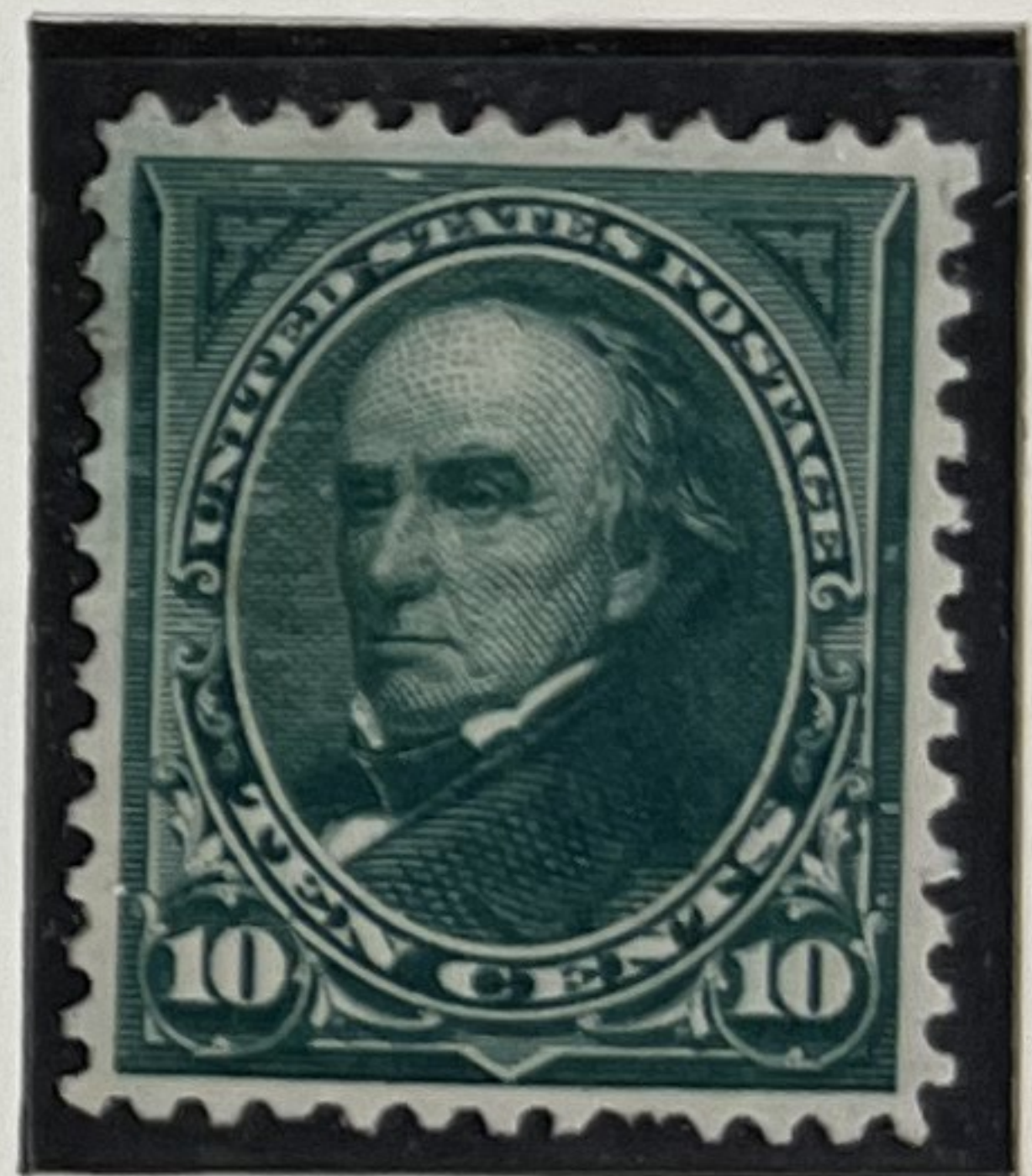
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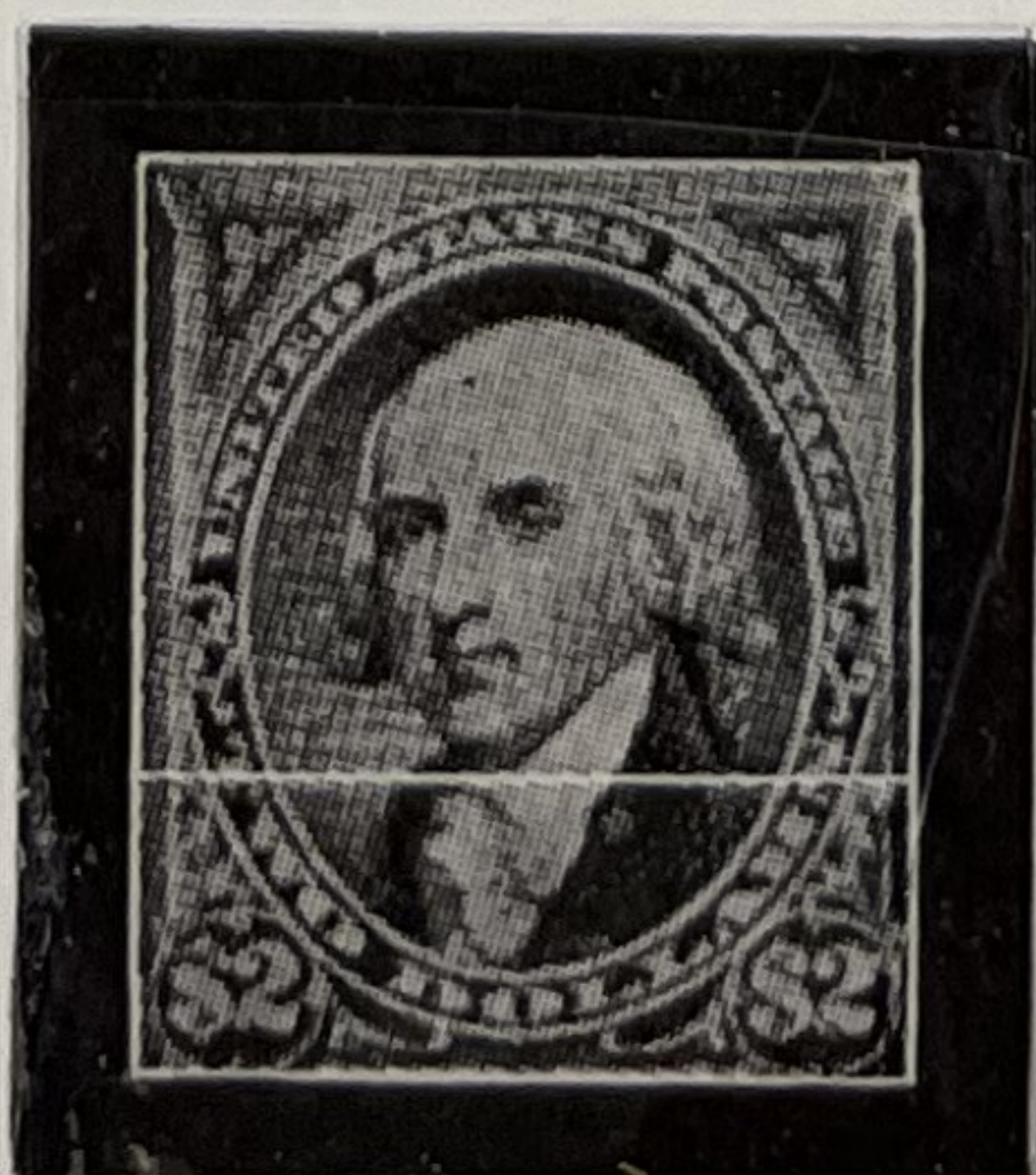
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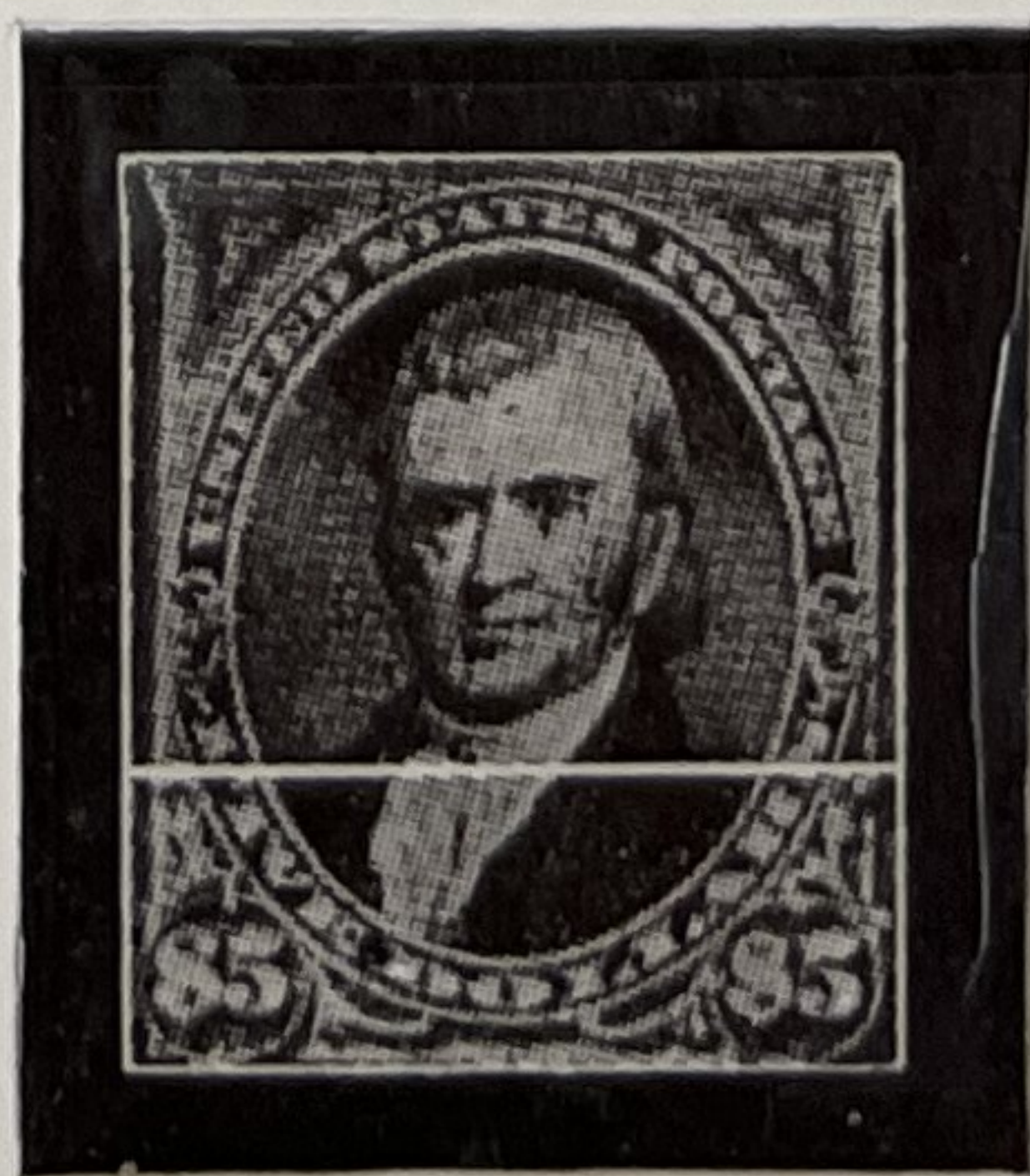
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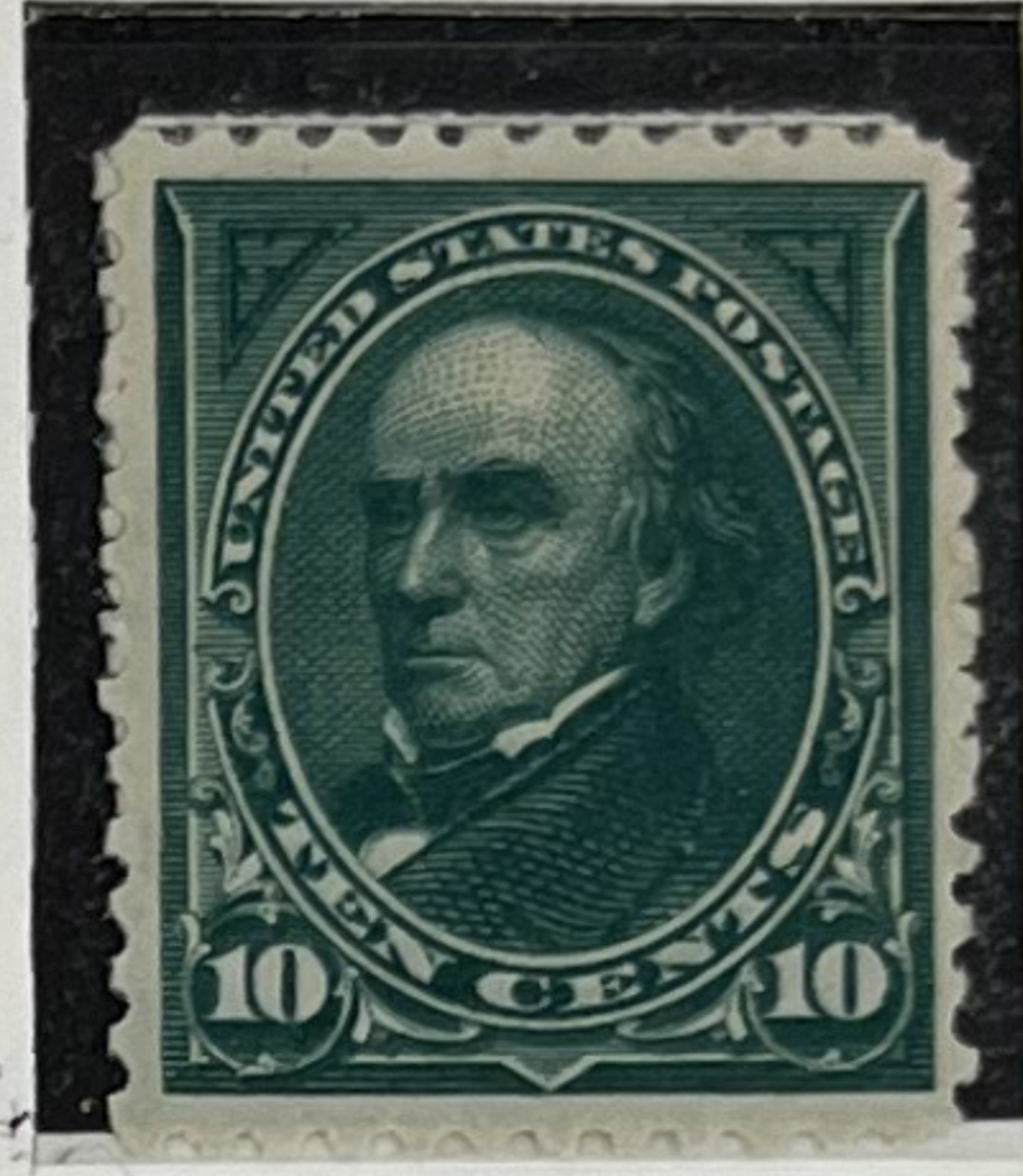
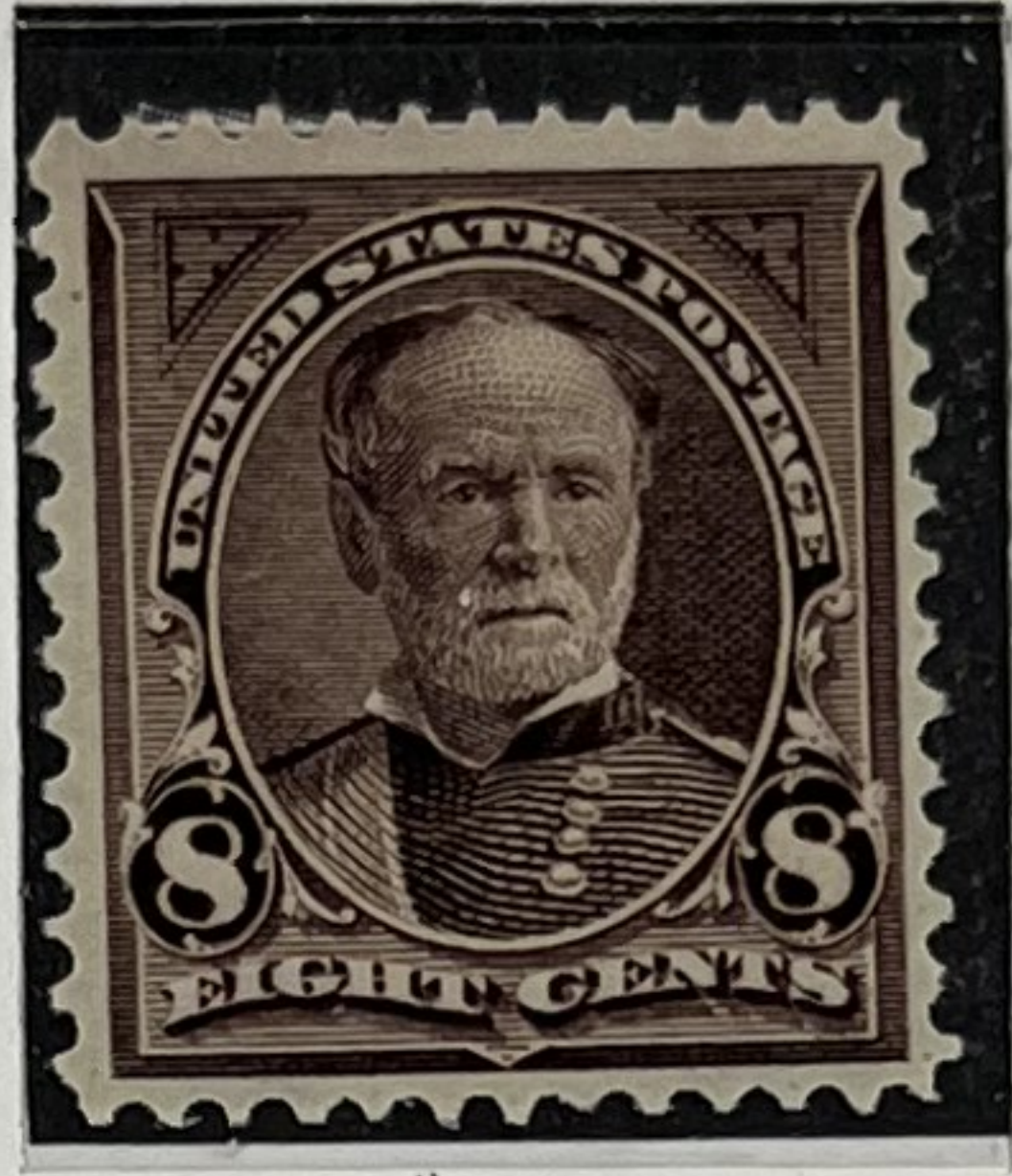
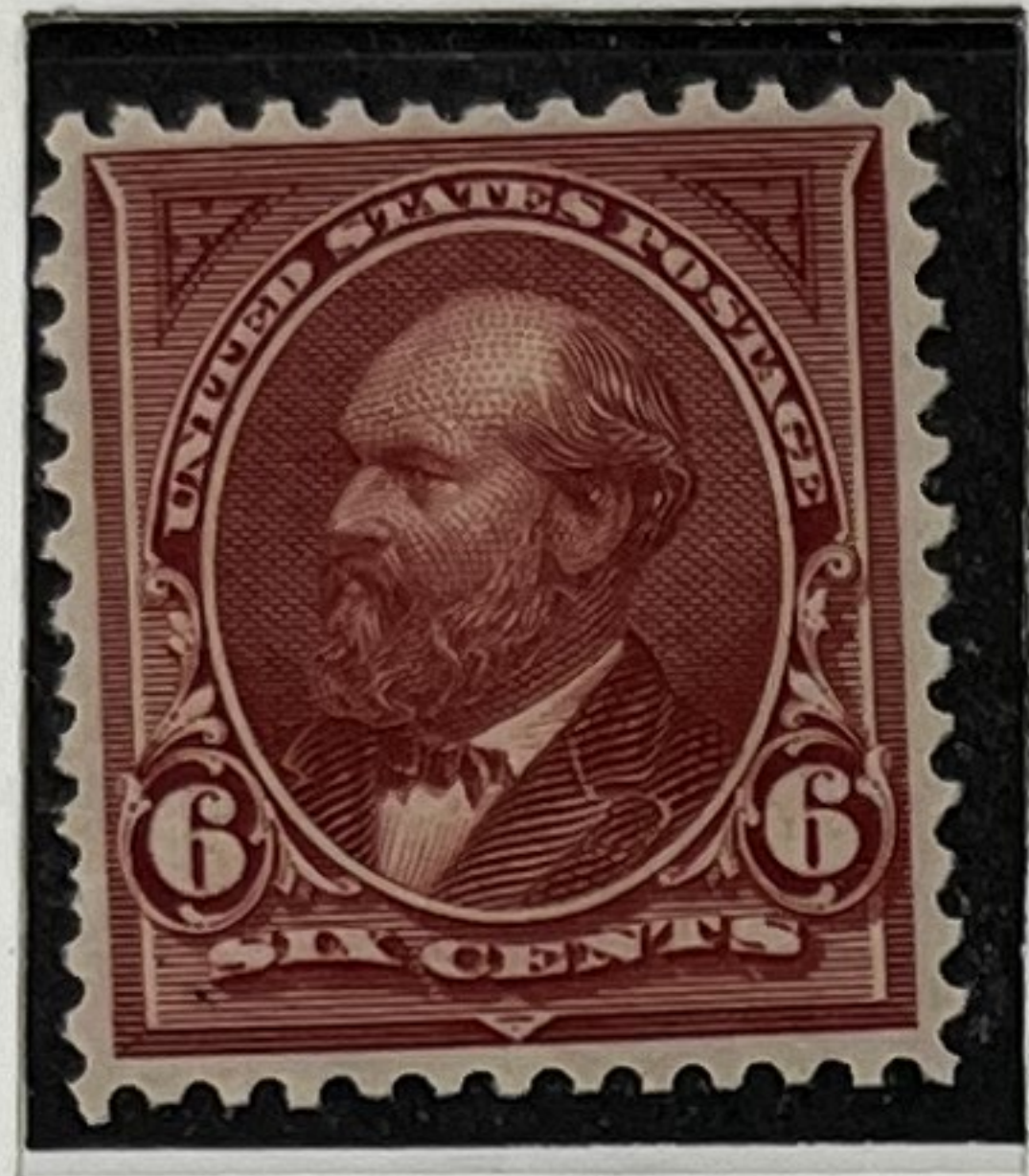
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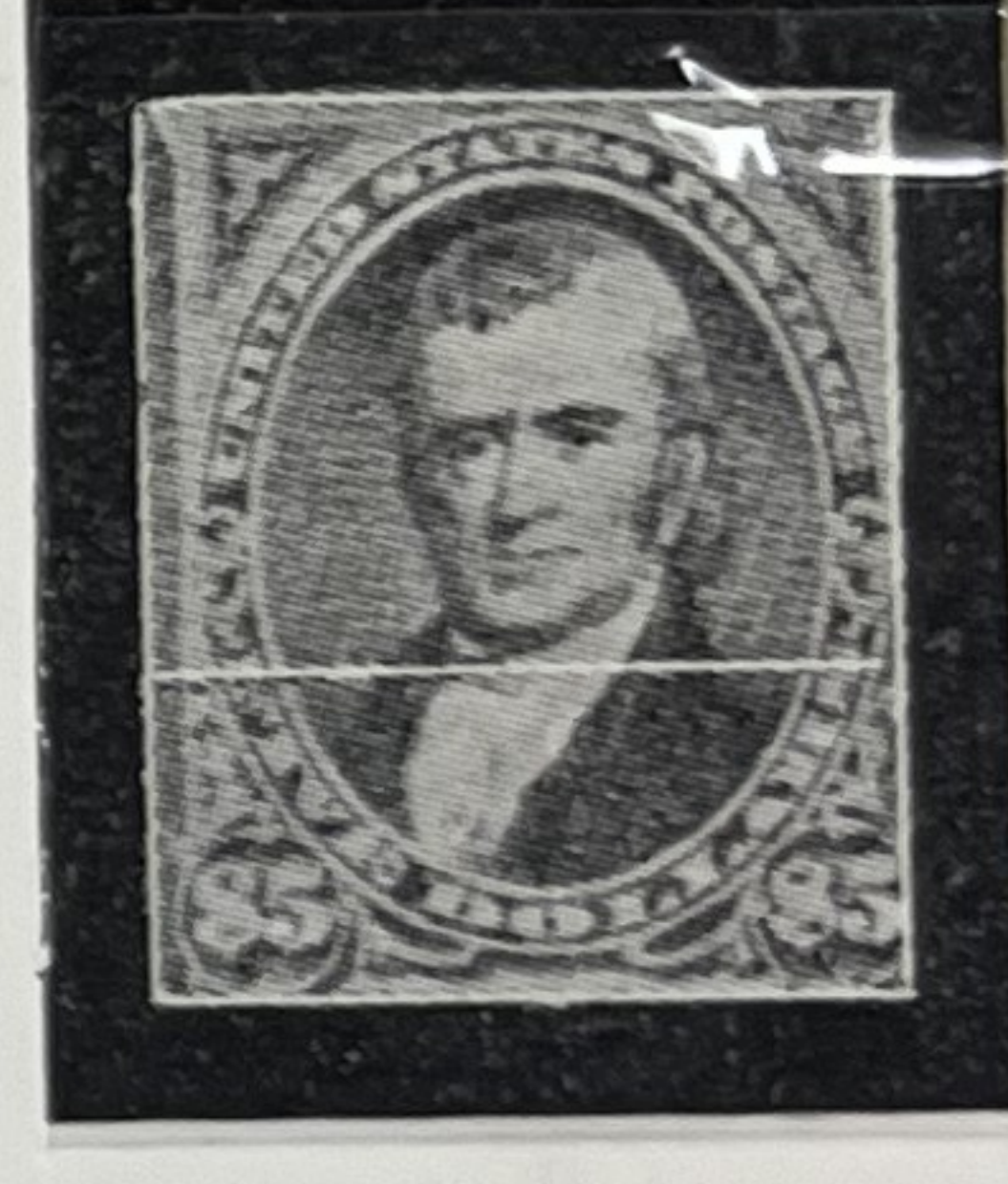
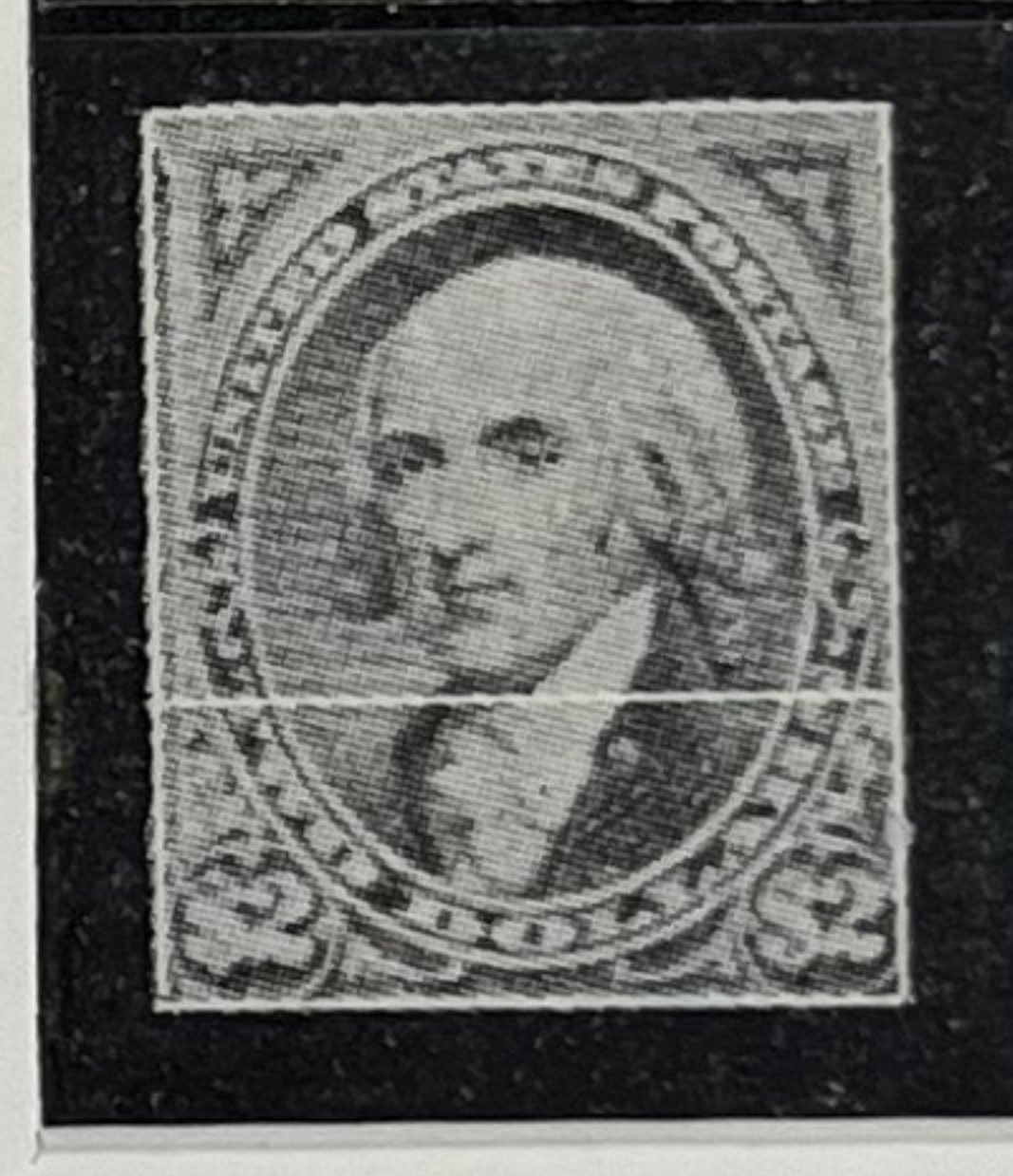
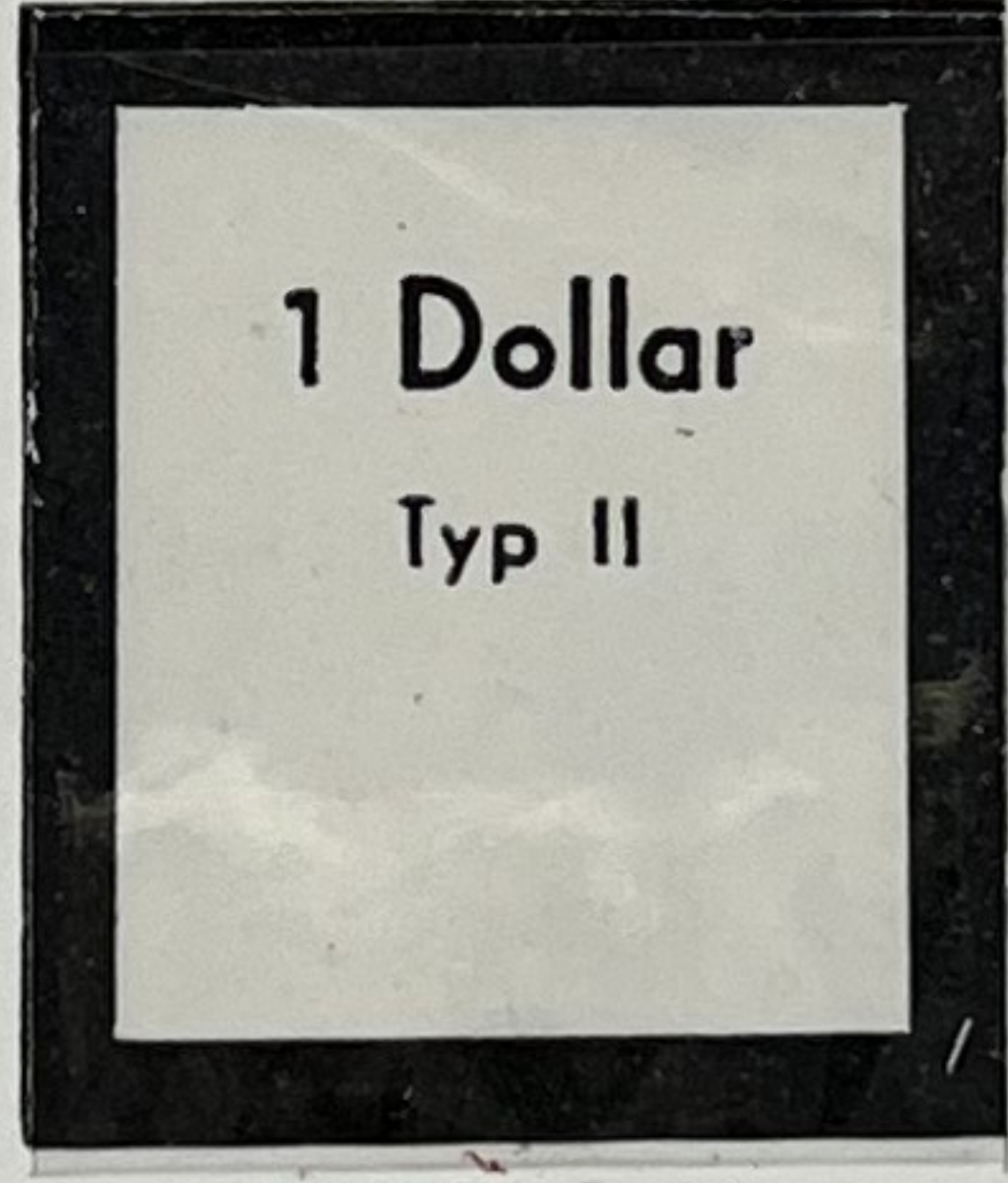
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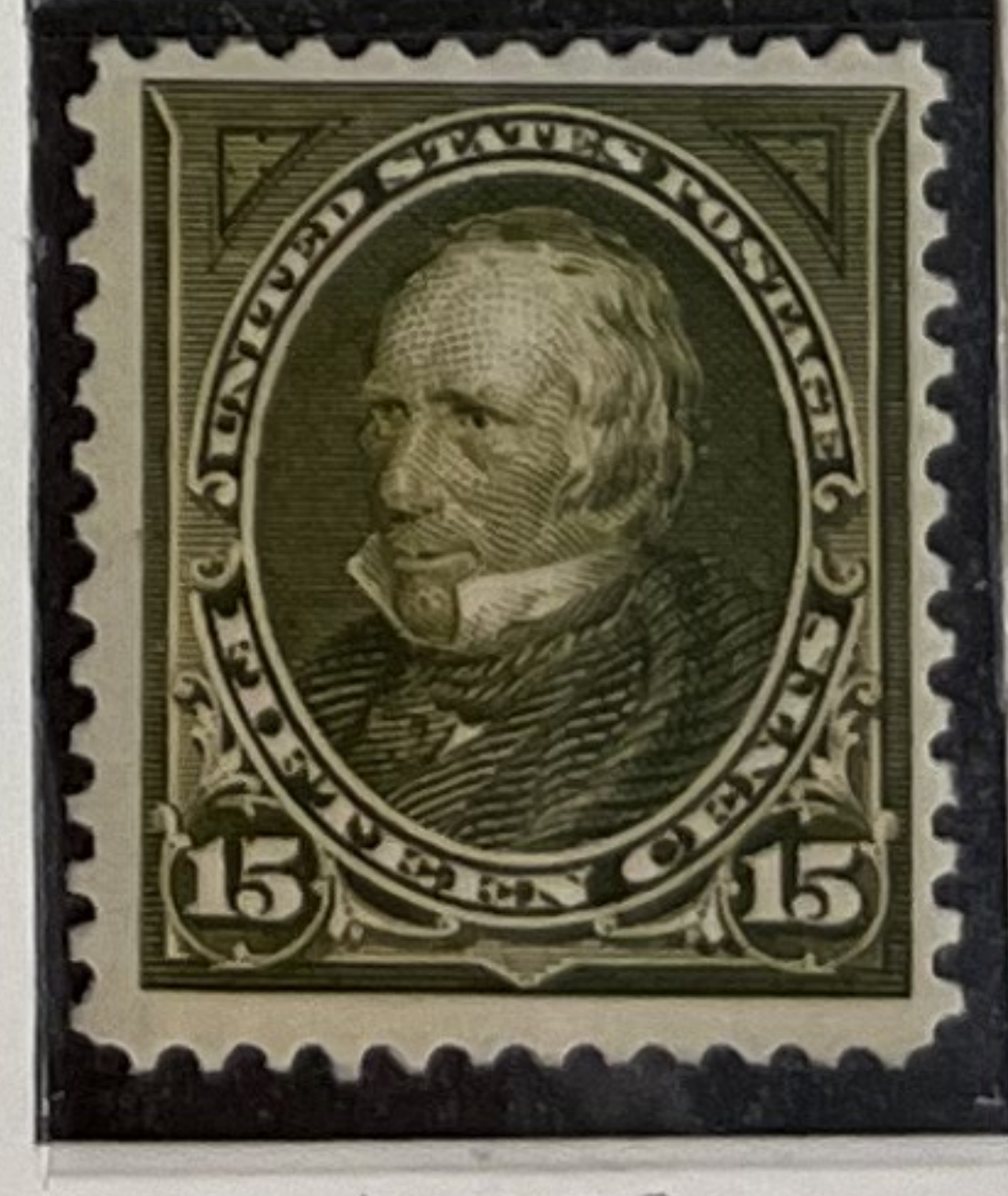
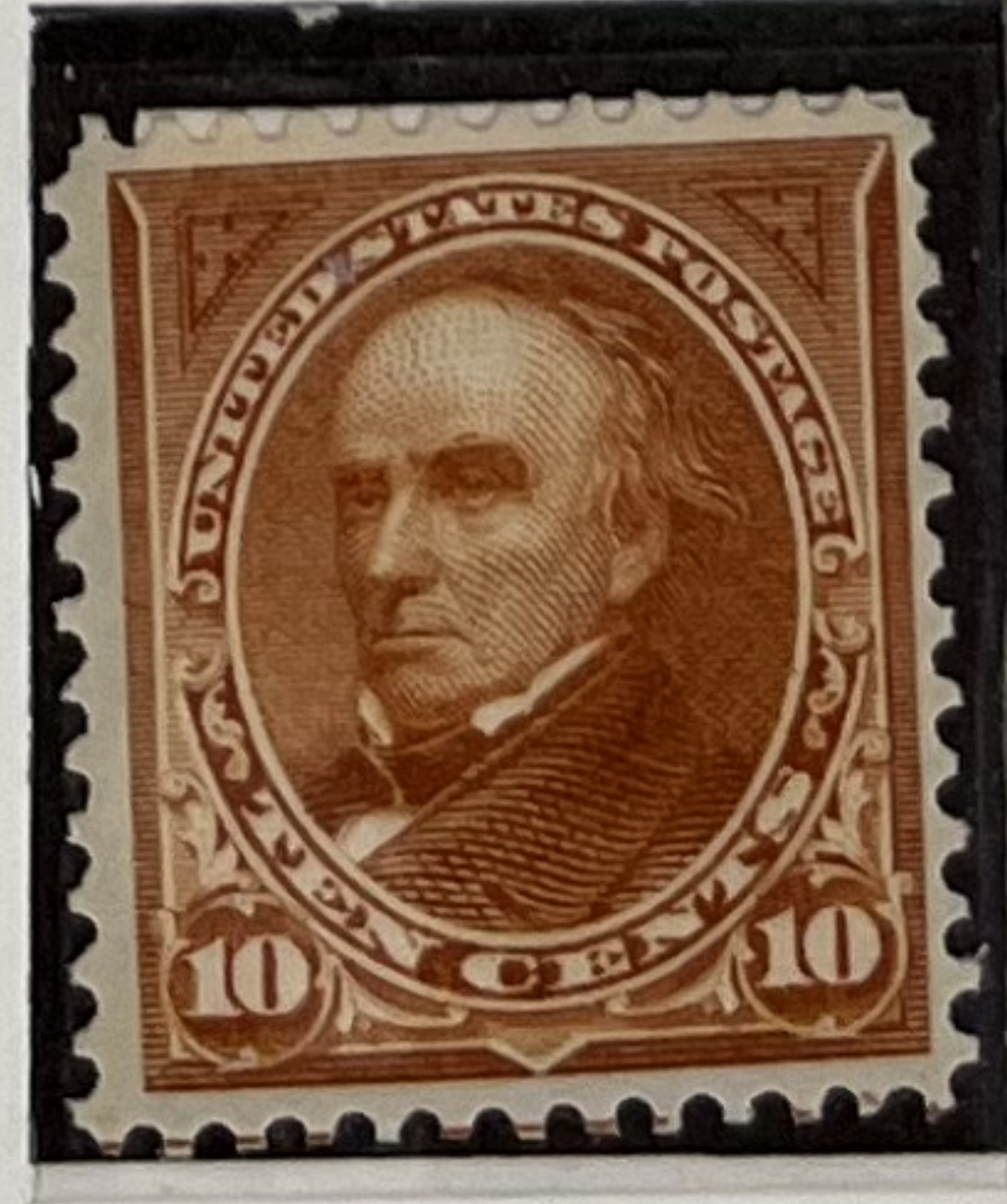
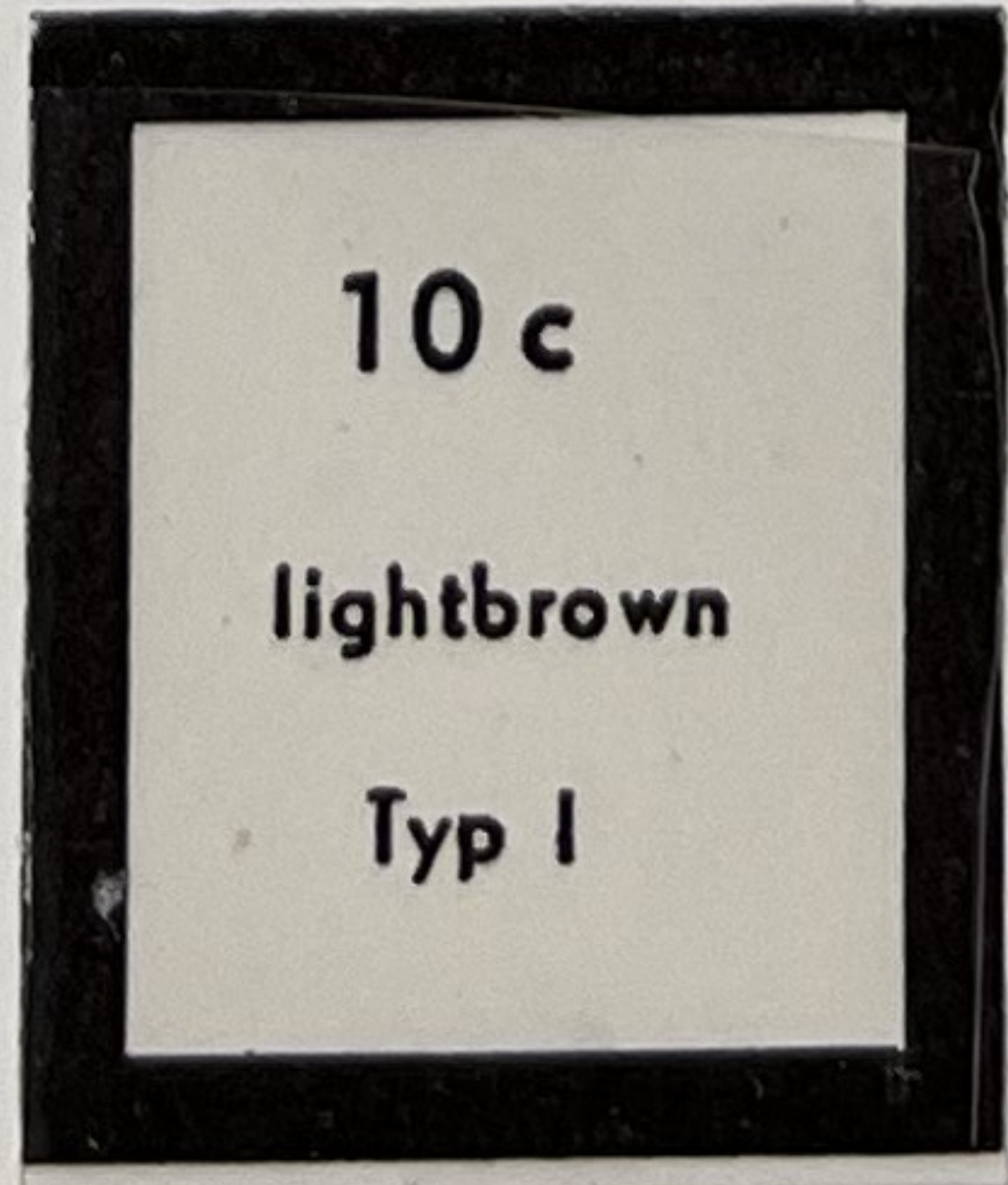
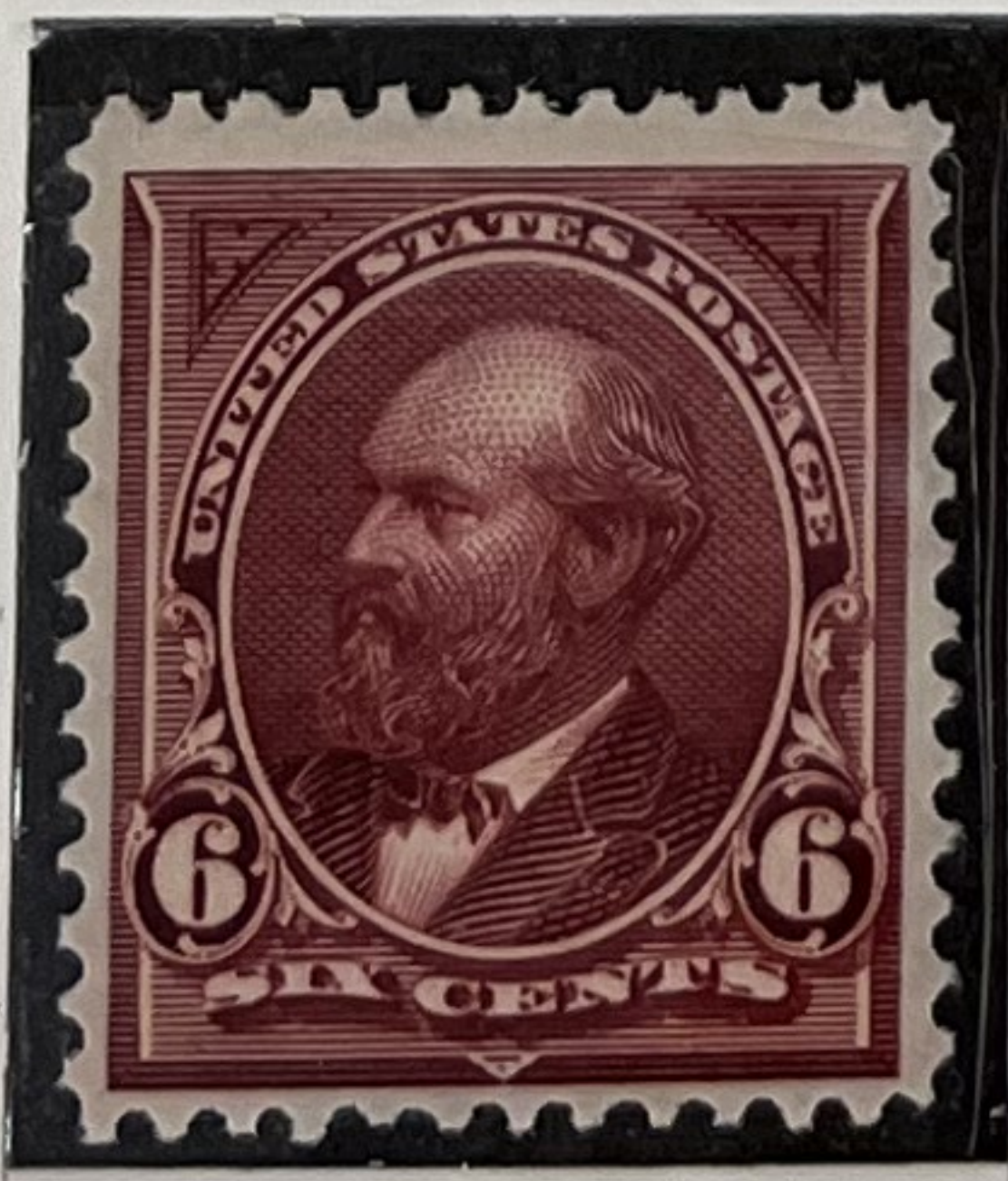
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REGULAR ISSUE

1898 Wmk. 191 Horizontally or Vertically Perf. 12

Plates for the 1898 Issue were of two sizes:  
400 subjects for the 1c and 2c denominations; 200 subjects for all 5c, 6c and 15c denominations; and both 400 and 200 for the 4c and 10c denominations; all issued in panes of 100 each.

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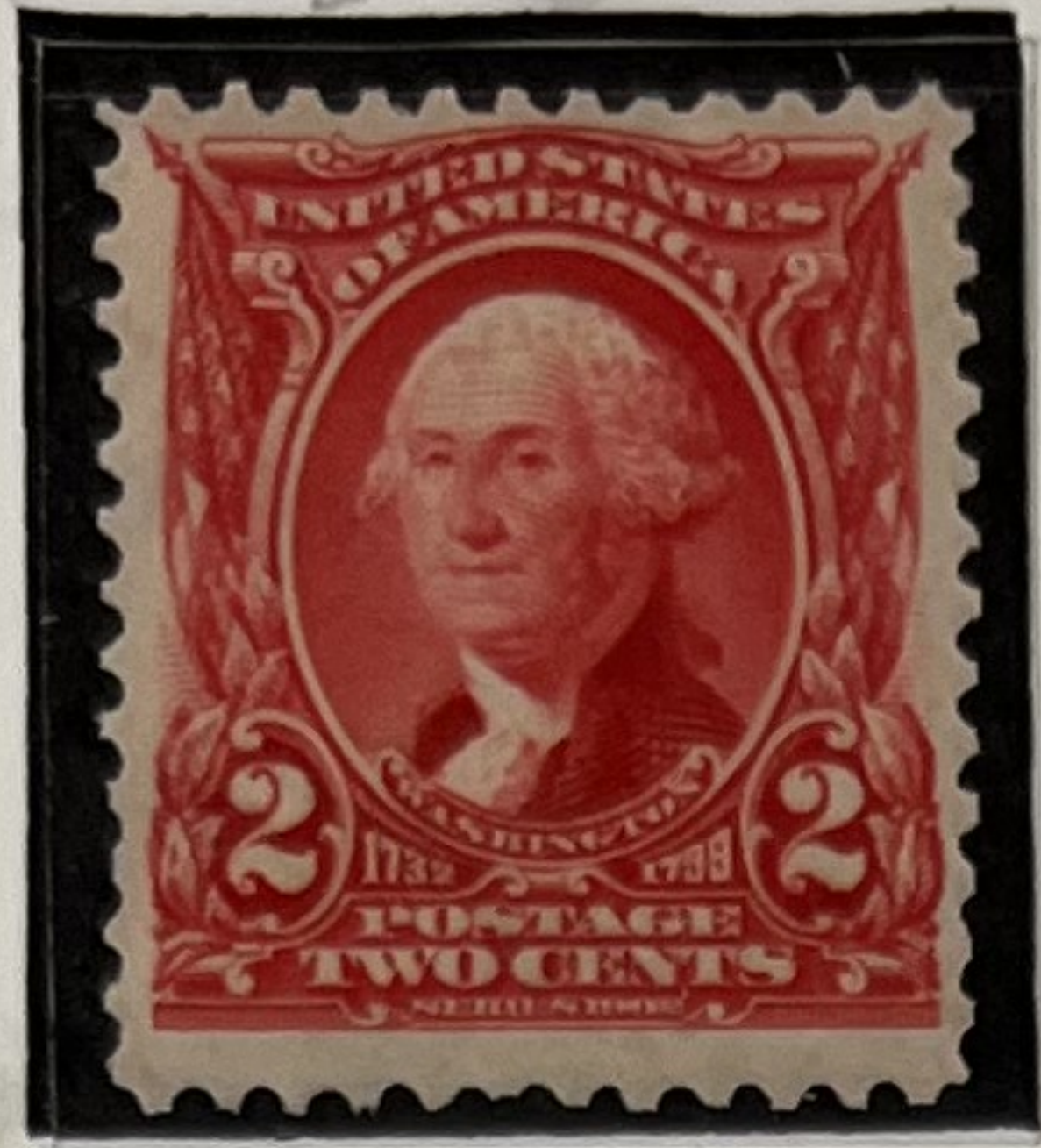


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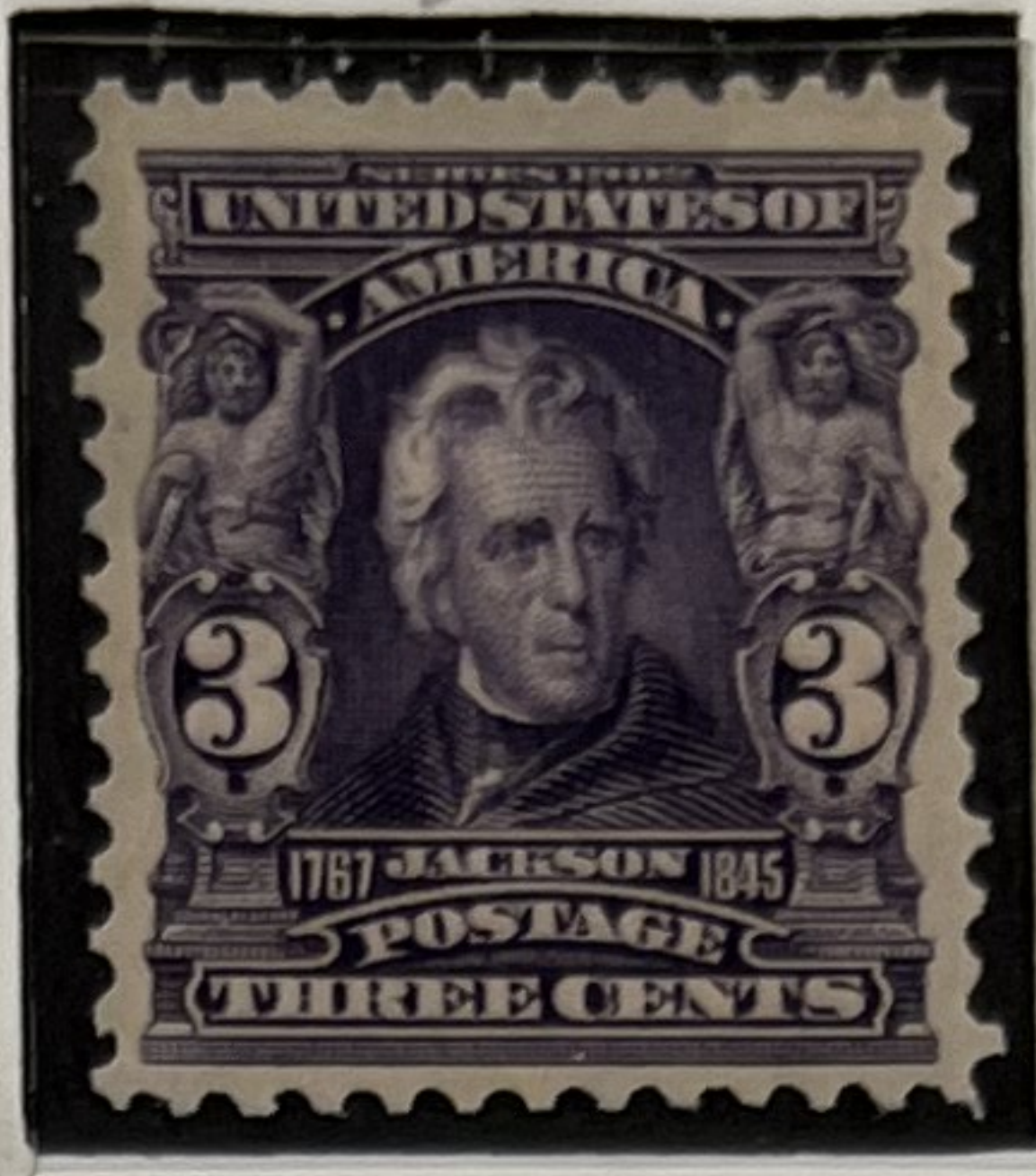
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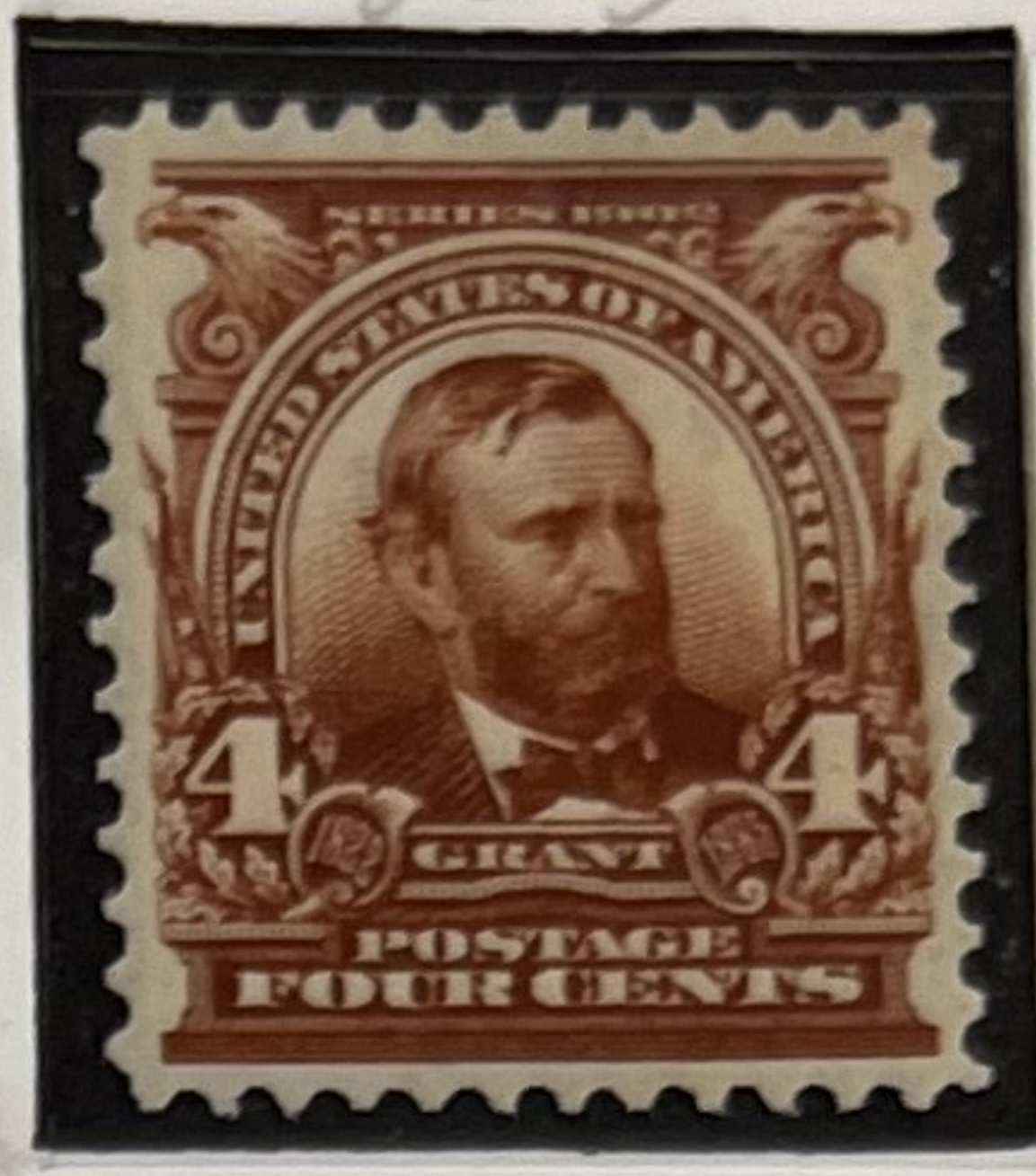
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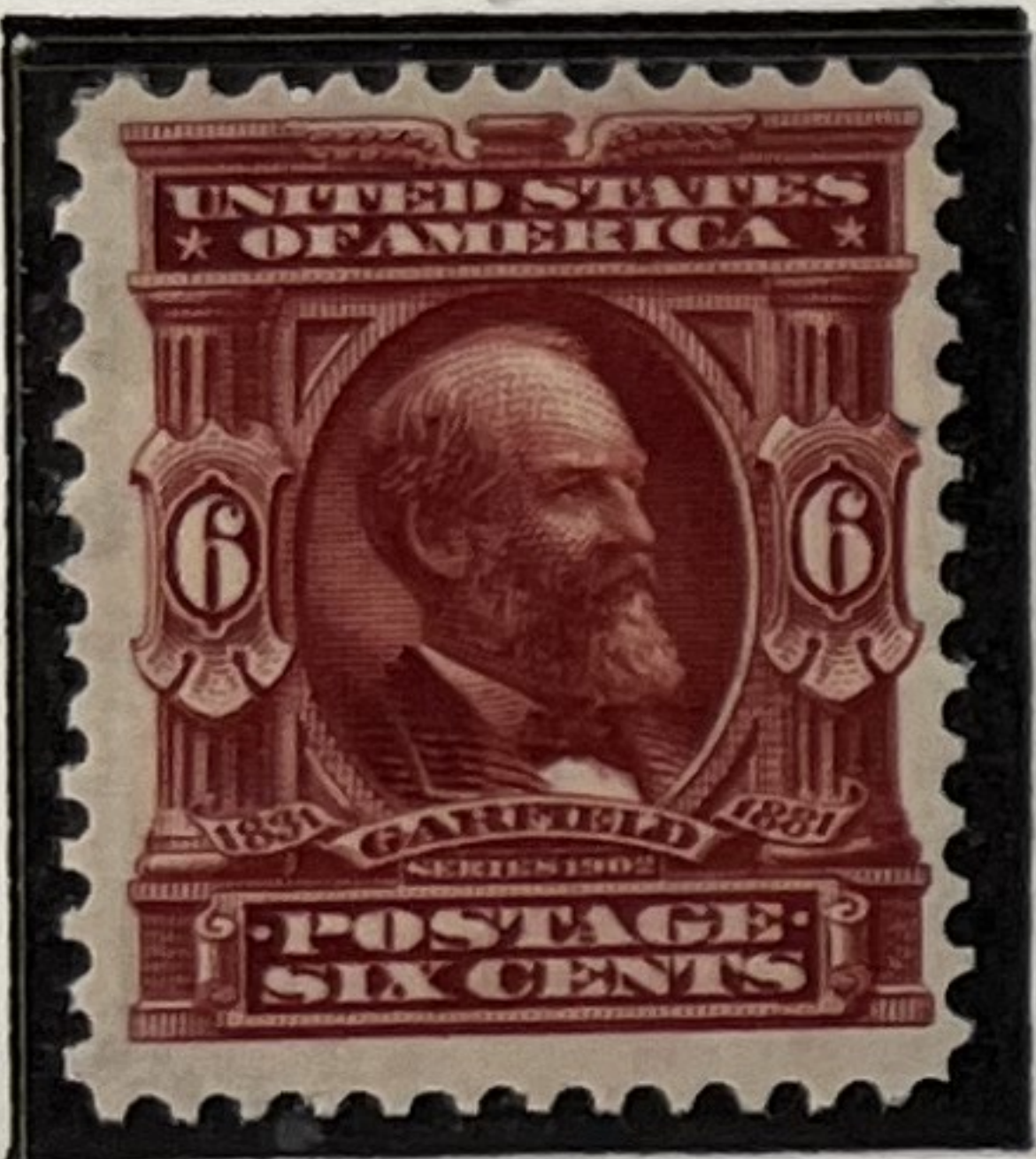
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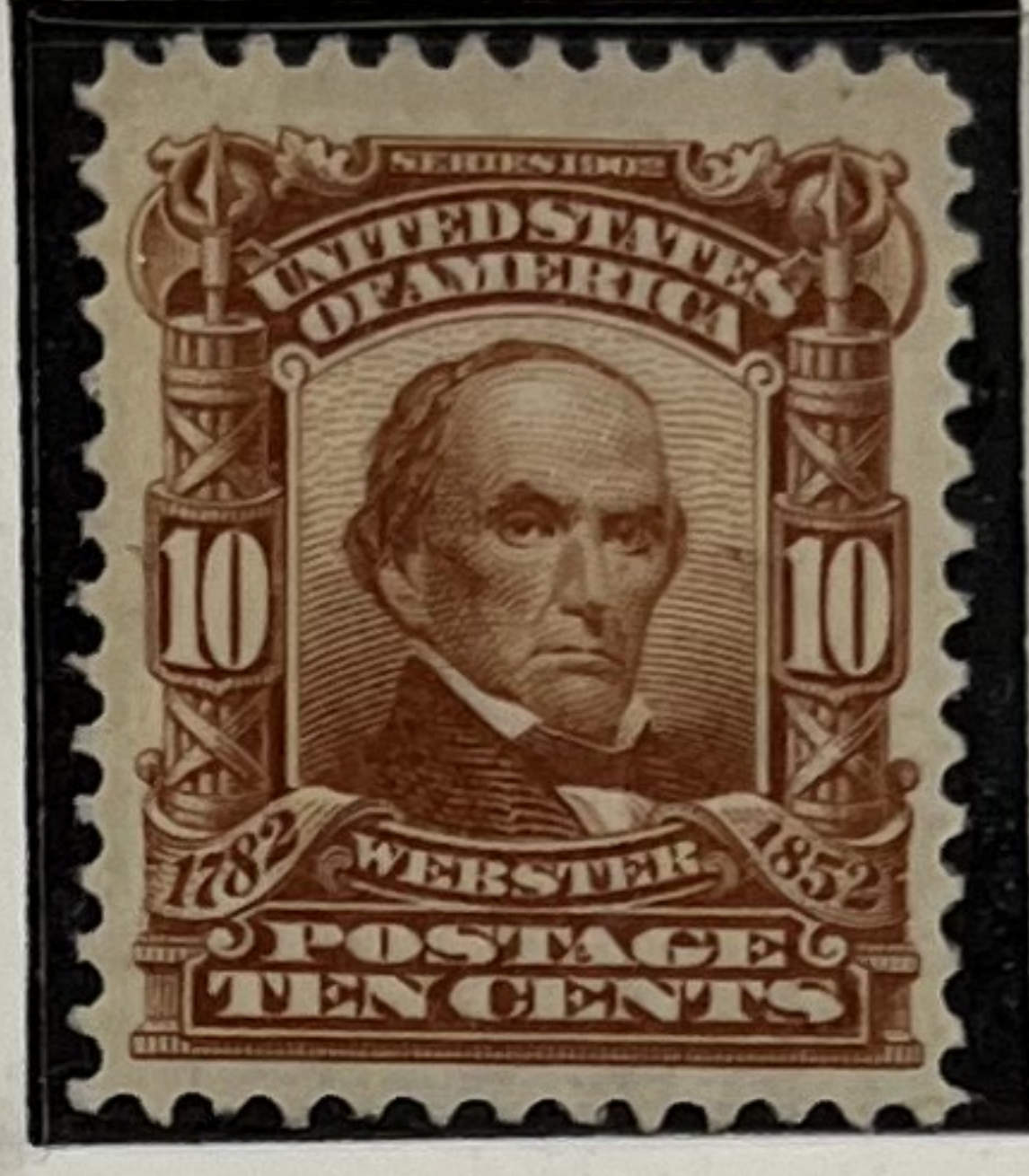
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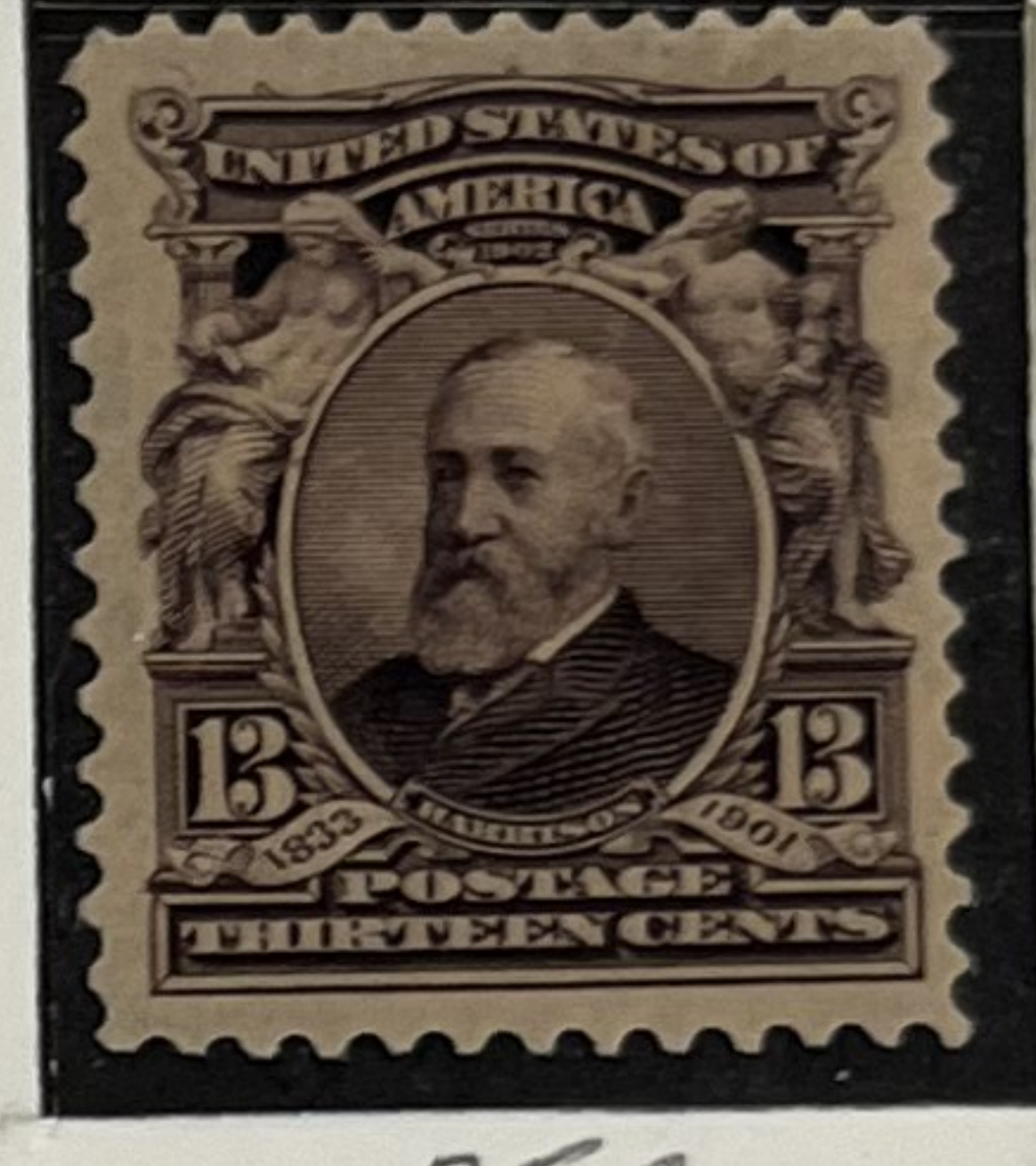
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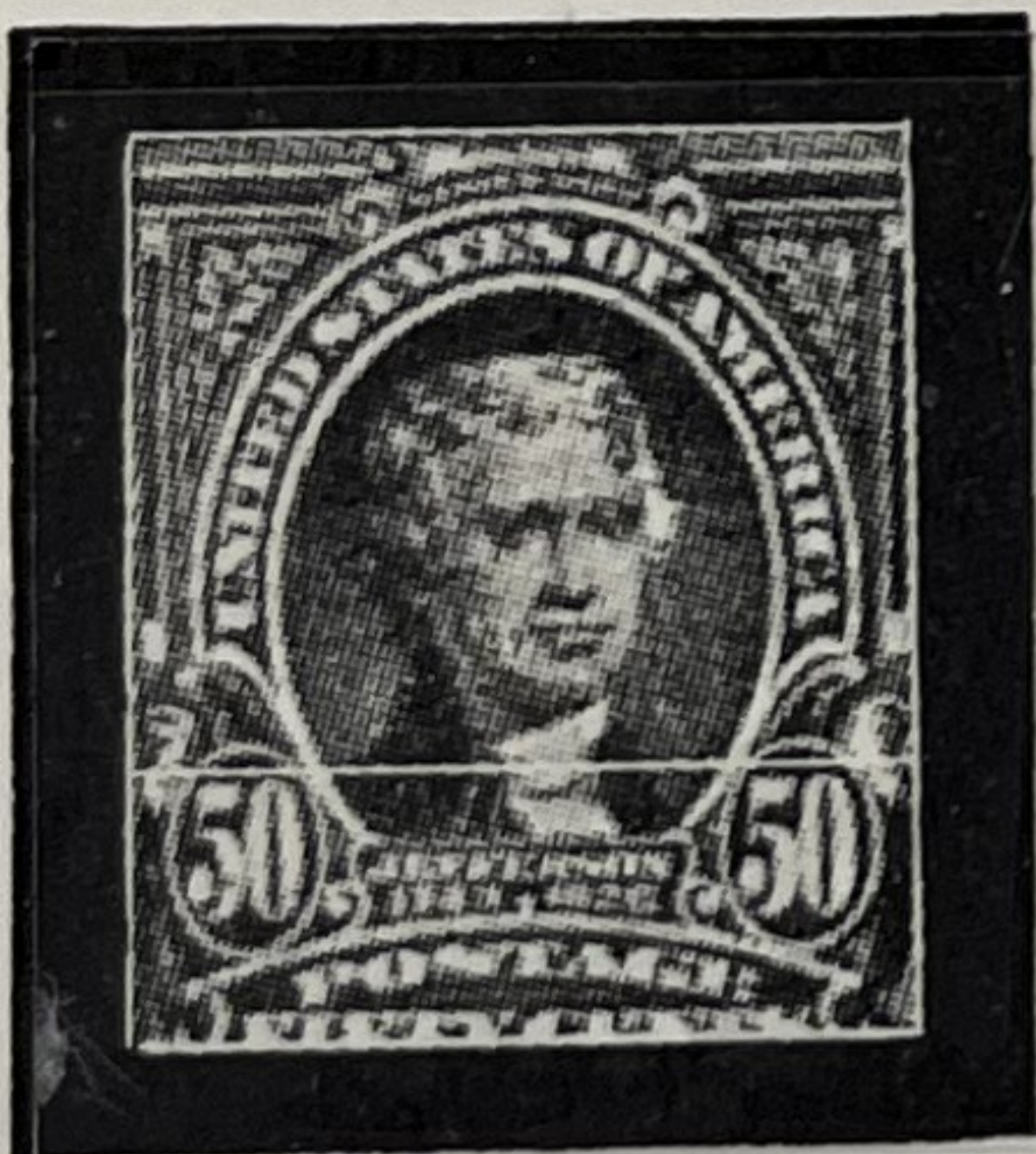
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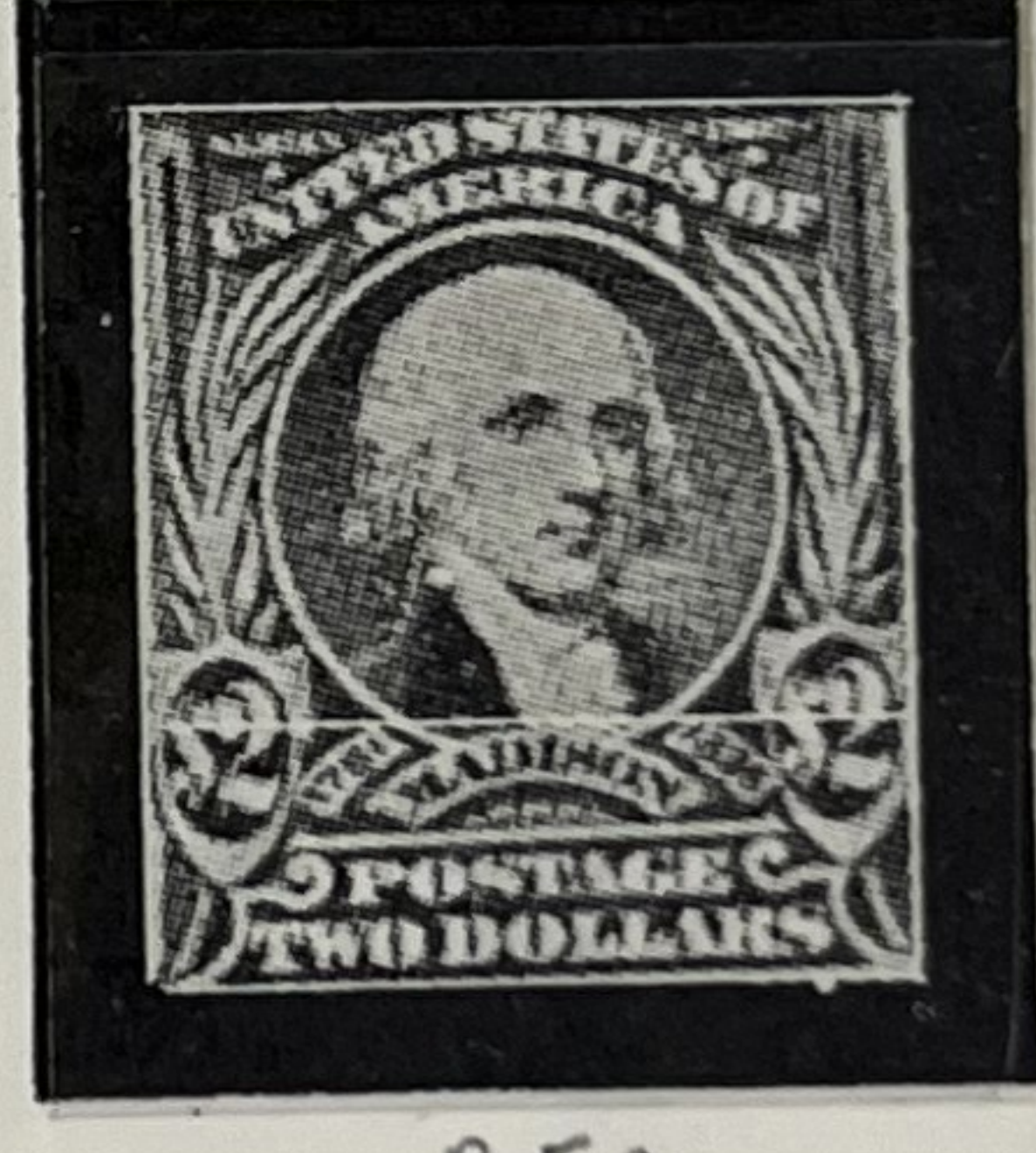
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Die I

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carmine  
Die II





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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>
252	1894	2¢	carmine

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UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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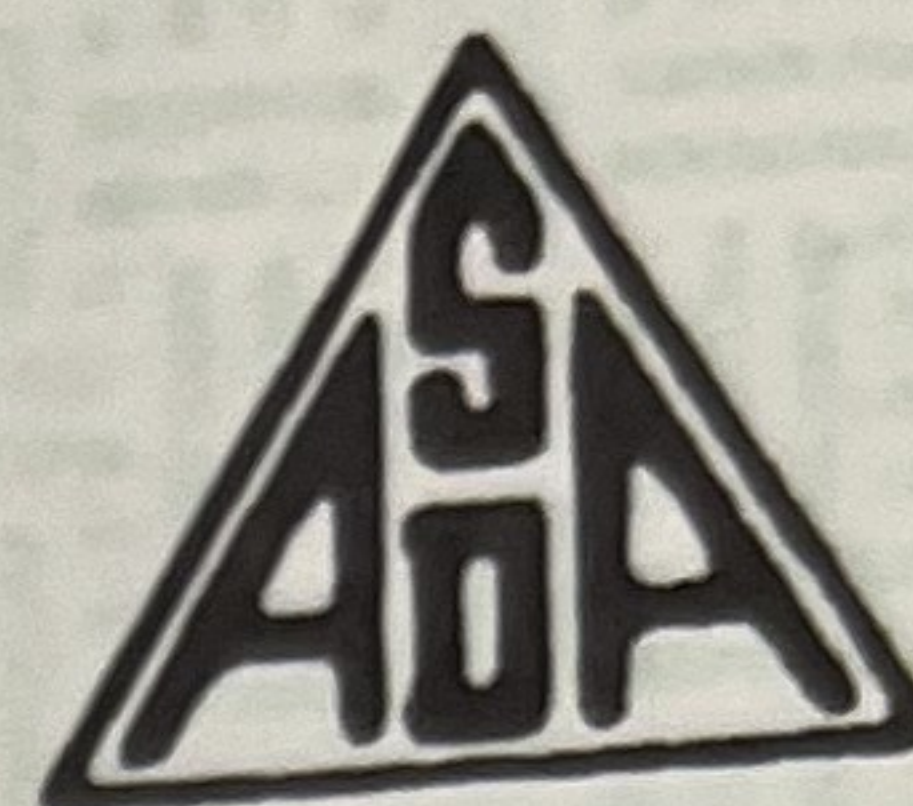
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For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

030272





The  
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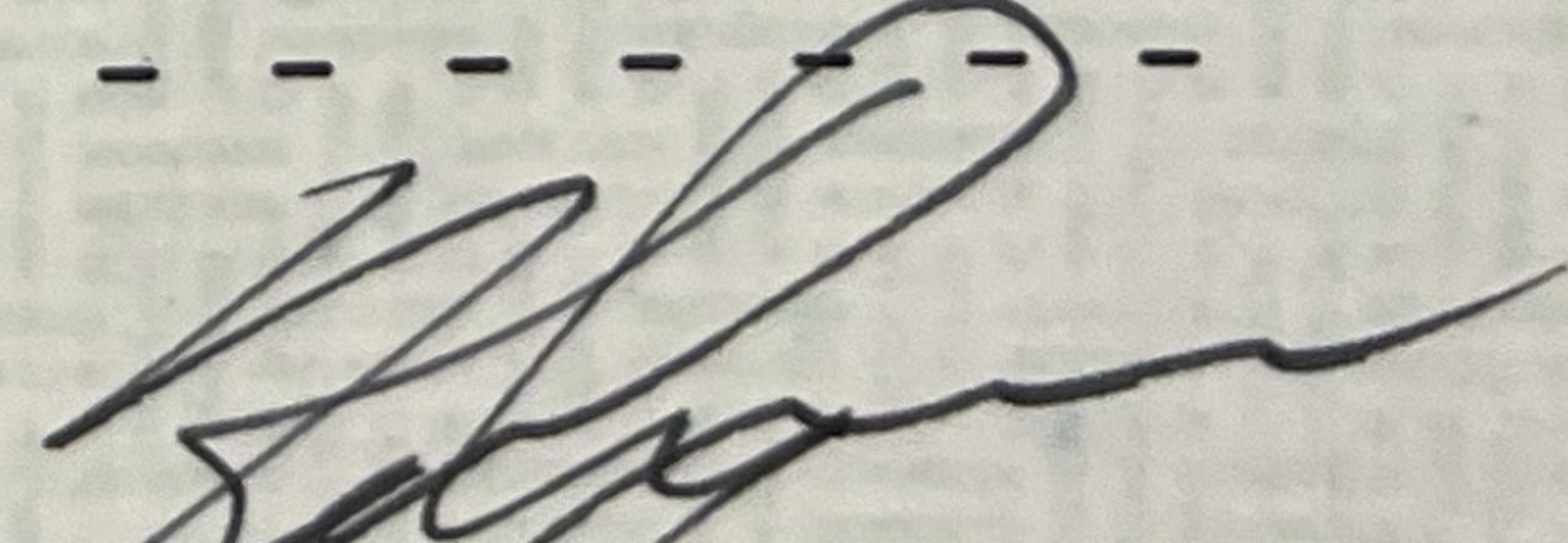
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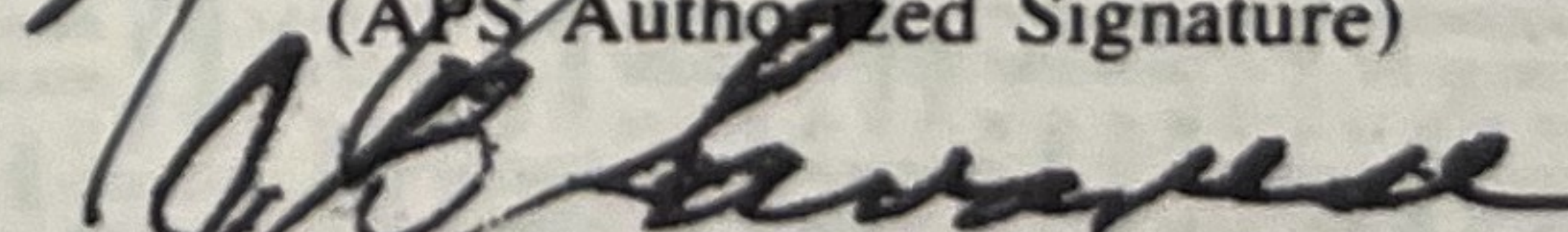


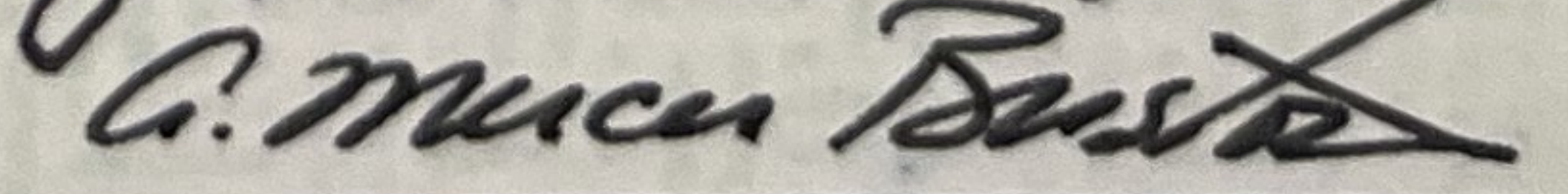
Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is

United States, Scott No. 178,  
unused, partly disturbed original  
gum, genuine. - - - - -

Date **AUG 24 1992**

  
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(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)

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THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 227387  
6/27/90

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

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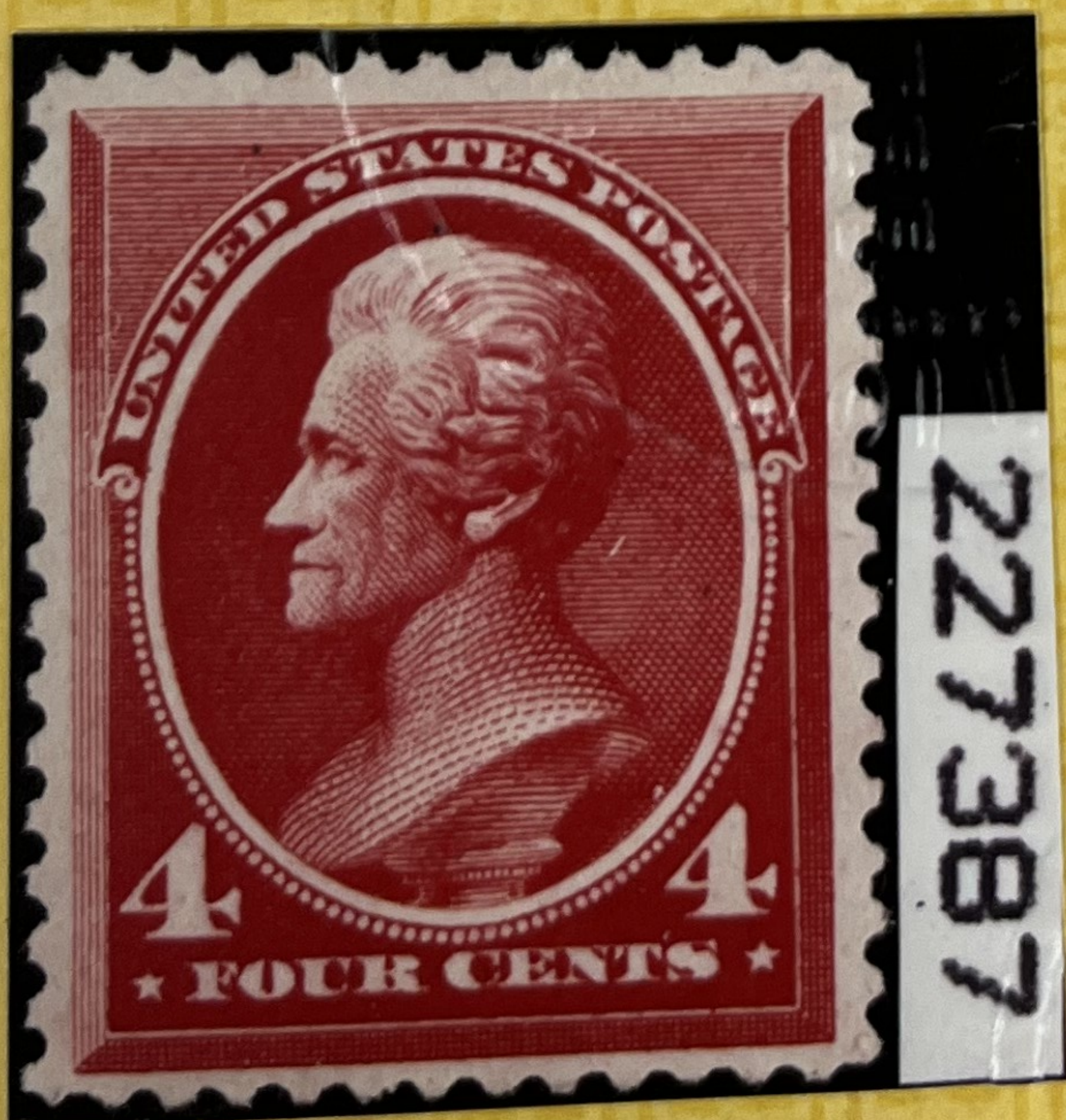
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Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

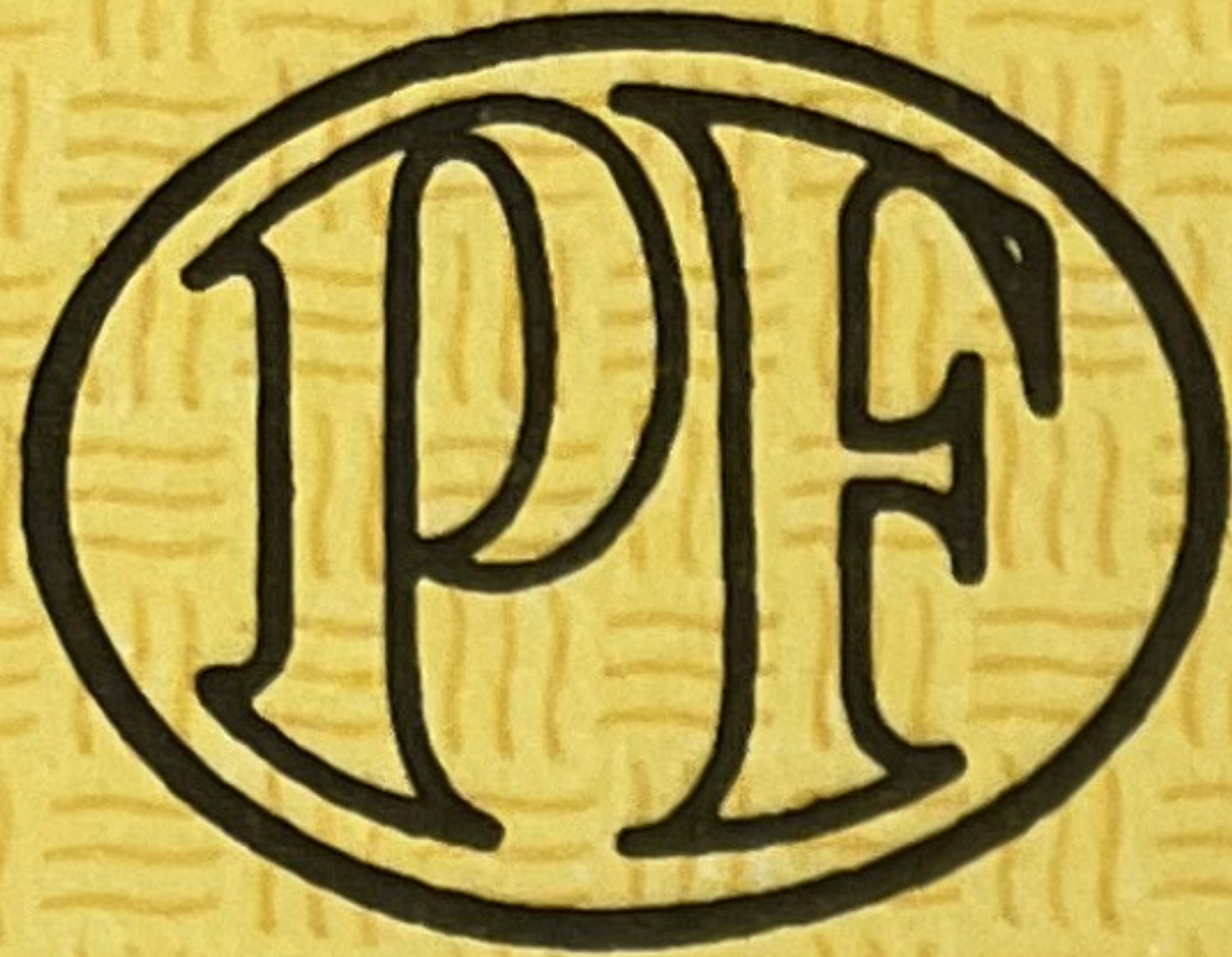
IT IS GENUINE PREVIOUSLY HINGED\* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 82303





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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0216528  
11/22/89

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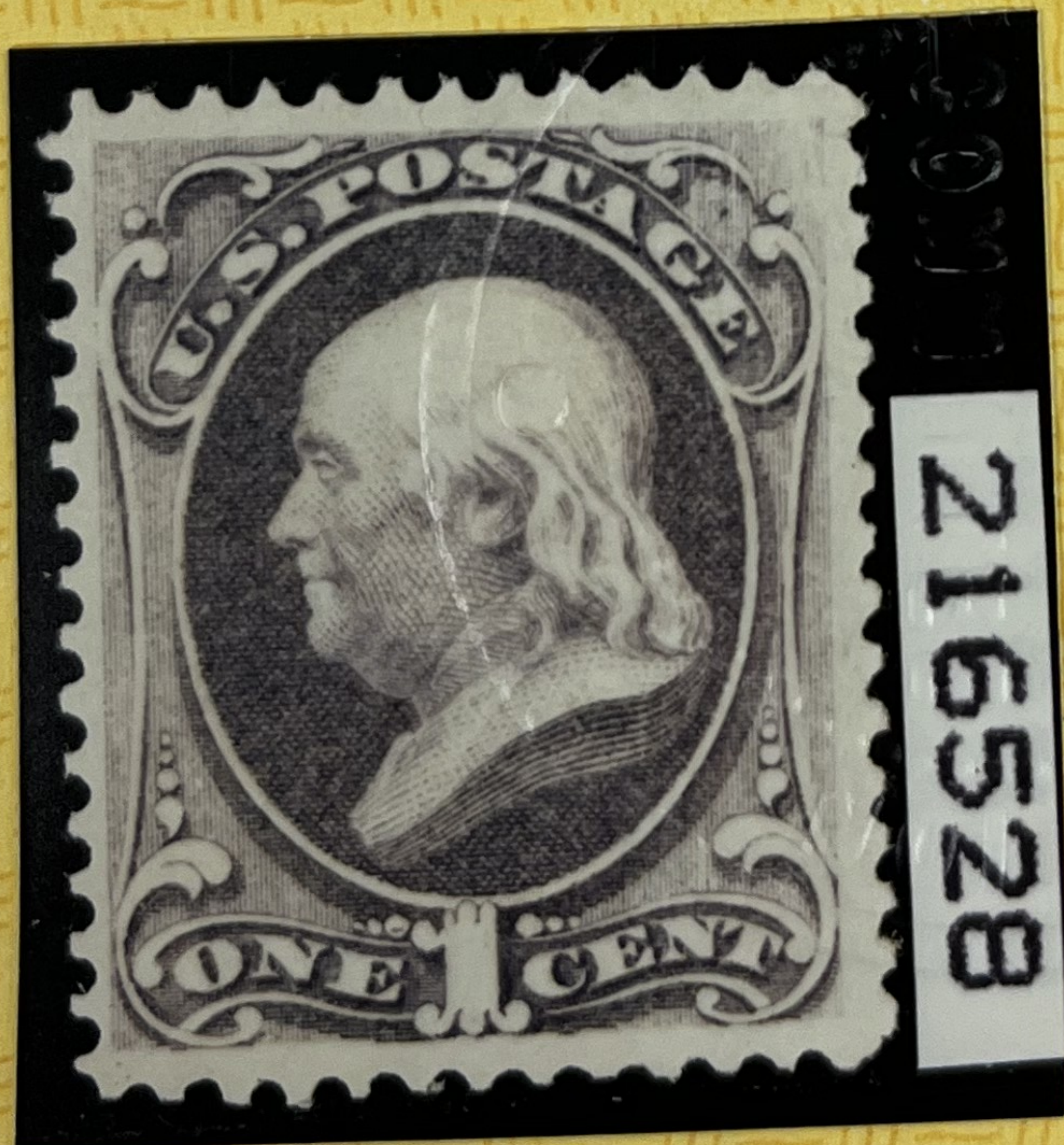
Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
156	1873	1¢	ultramarine

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE\* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A70257



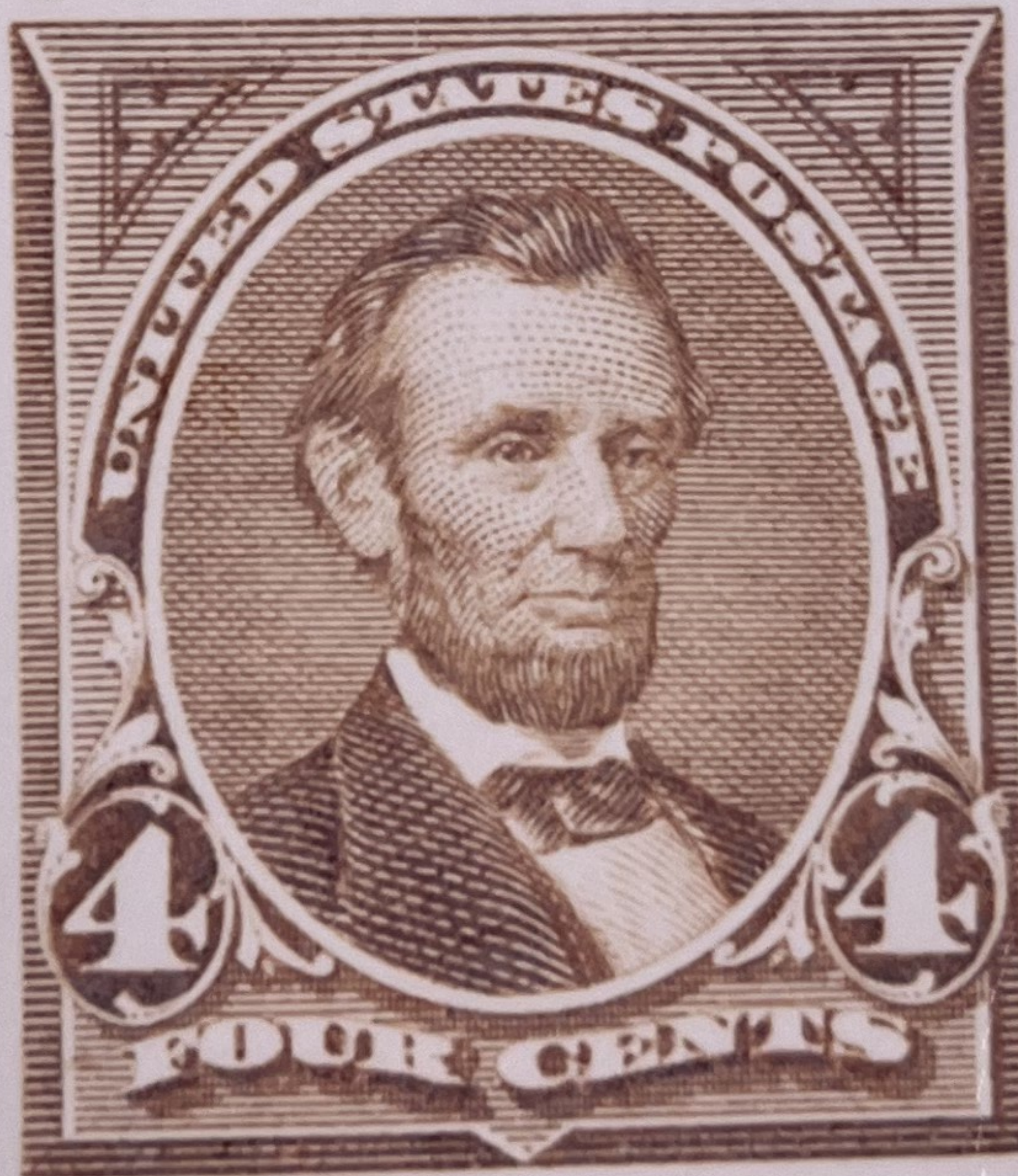
# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 254, unused, original gum, previously hinged, genuine in all respects.**

**APEX 129837**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **129837**

*A. Mercer Boush*

(Administrator Signature)

Date: **DEC 4, 2000**

**The American Philatelic Expertizing Service**

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# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 207, unused, full original gum, never hinged, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

*C. Meric Bus*

(Administrator Signature)

No. **166873**

Date: **1/25/2006**

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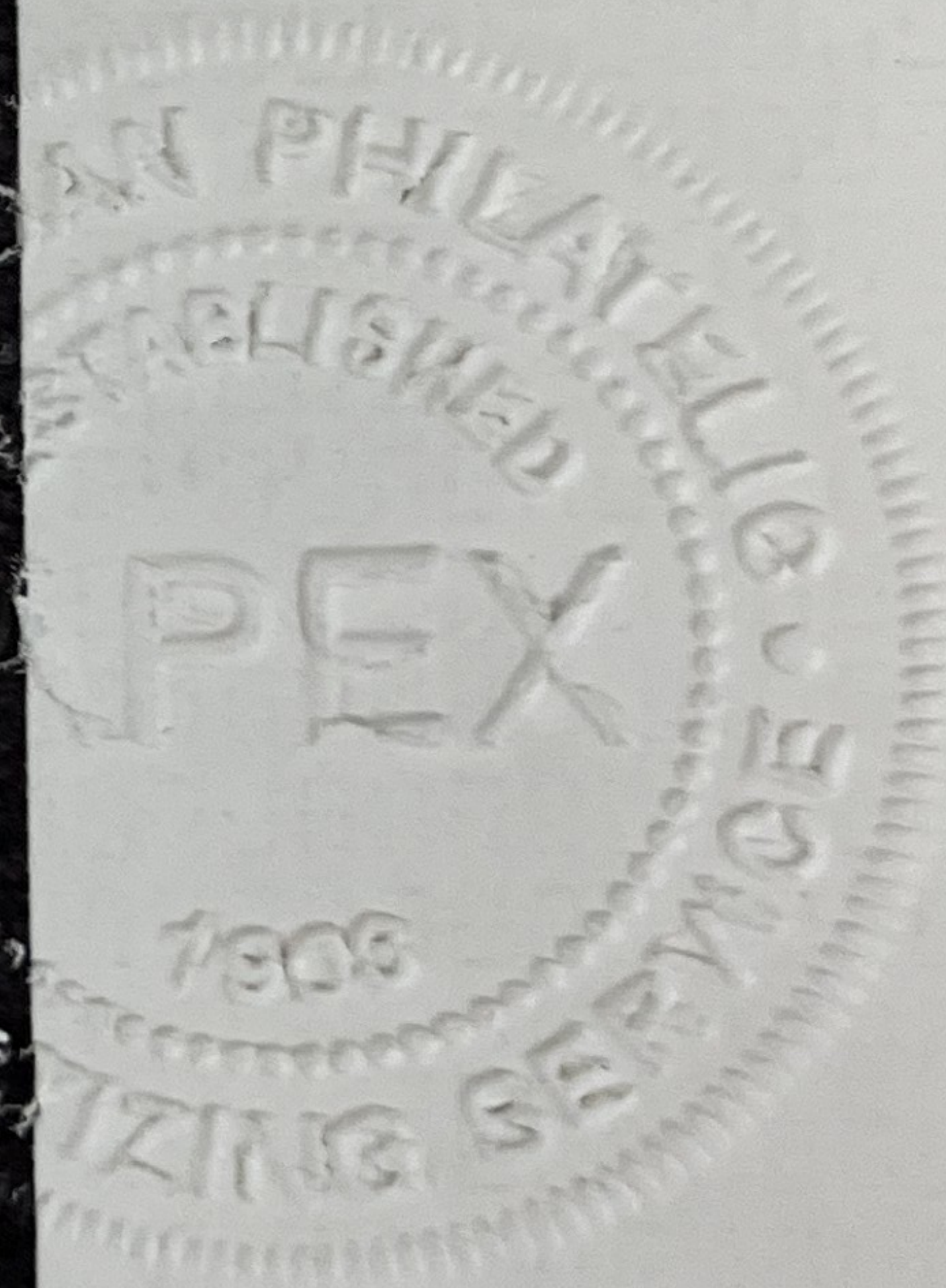
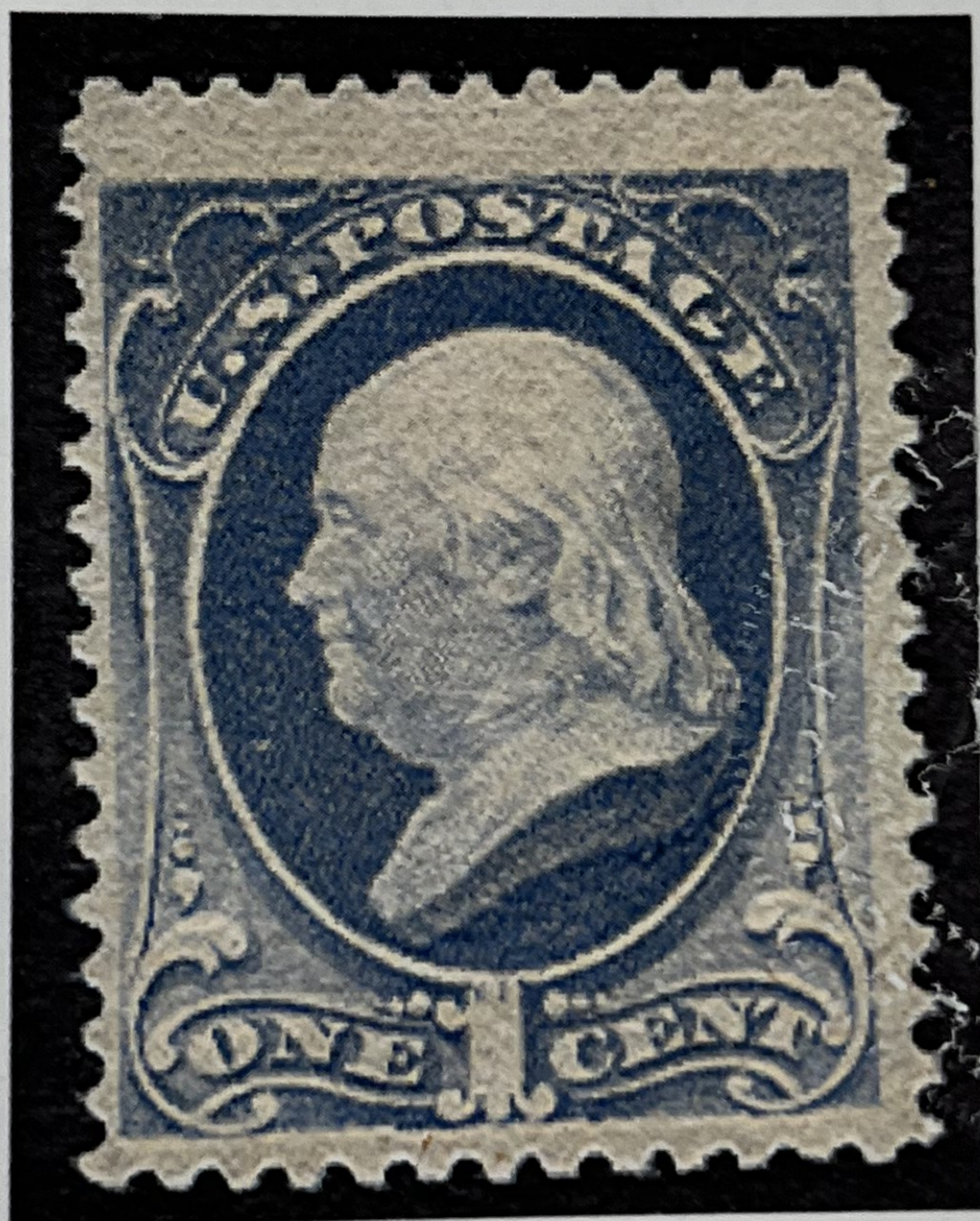


# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 206, unused, full original gum, never hinged, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **164581**

*G. Marc Bus*

(Administrator Signature)

Date: **9/7/2005**

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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0235866  
1/18/91

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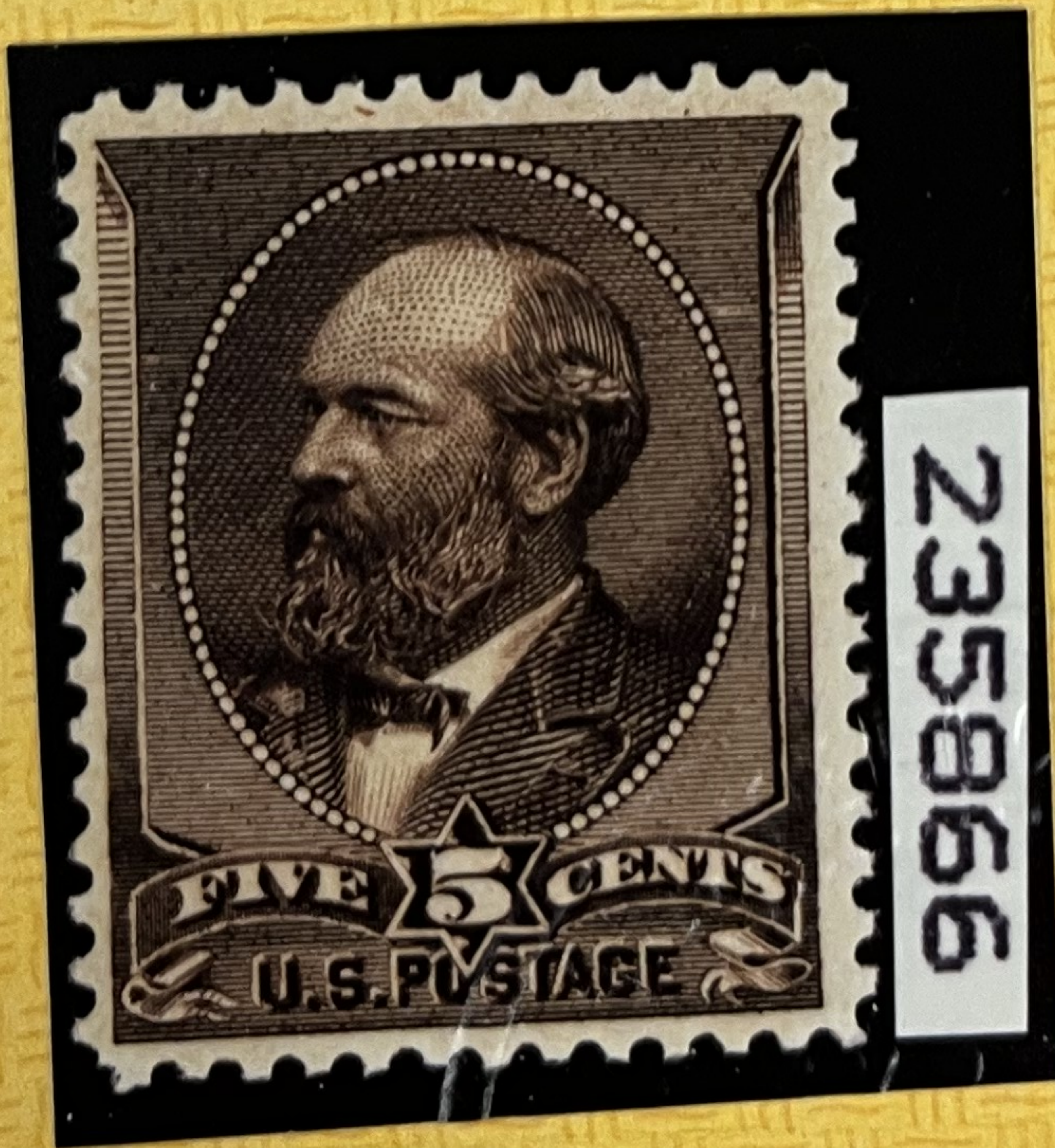
Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
205	1882	5¢	yellow brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 091352





No. 53511

06/28/2001

## **Professional Stamp Experts**

P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

### *Authentication Committee*

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

<u>Cat.#</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Denom.</u>	<u>Color</u>
<b>US#183</b>	<b>1879</b>	<b>2c</b>	<b>Vermilion</b>

**"it is genuine unused, o.g., previously hinged."**

*For The Expert Committee*







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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0255853  
3/16/92

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
78c	1863	24¢	blackish violet

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE SCOTT 78b, GRAY. \* \* \* \* \*  
\* \*



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

A 114579





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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0207163  
4/06/89

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>
158	1873	3¢	green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG  
BLOCK OF EIGHT (2X4).

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE \* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman  
VICE

A 59298





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CERTIFICATE: 71957

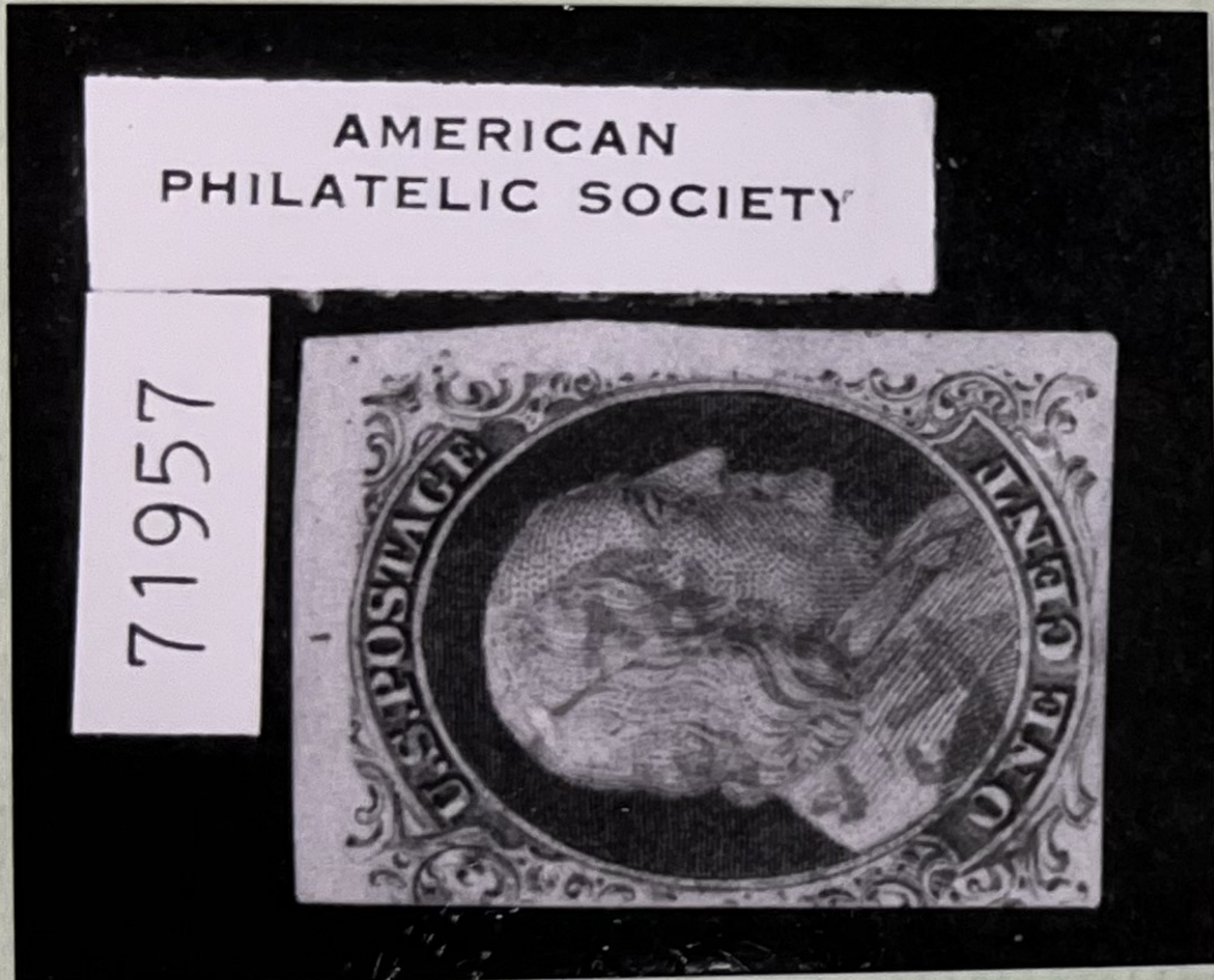


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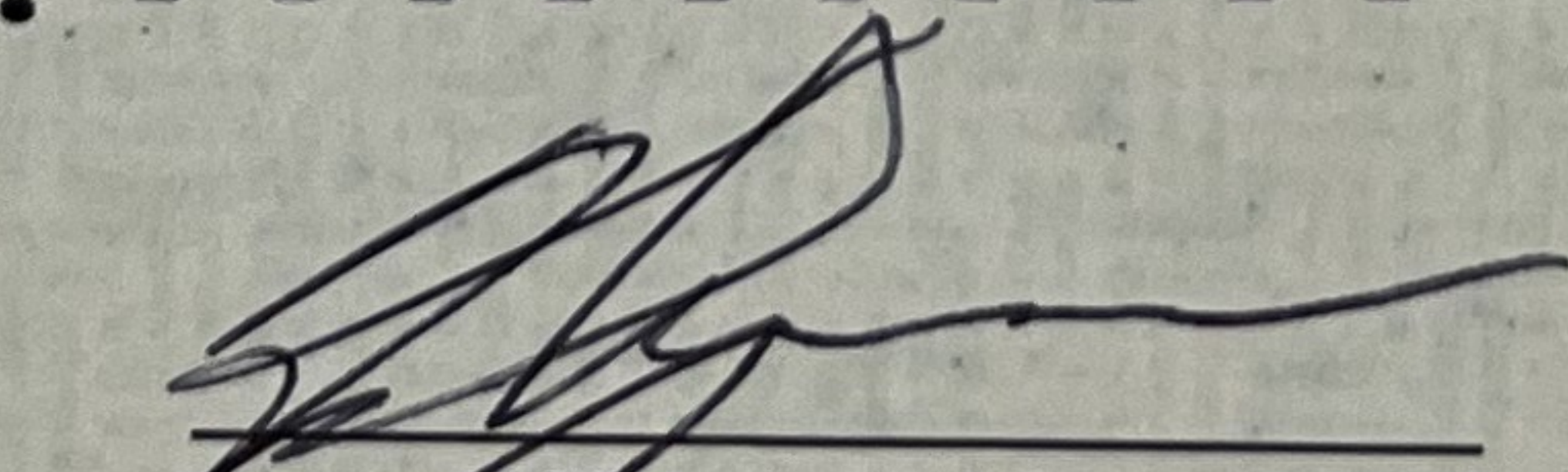
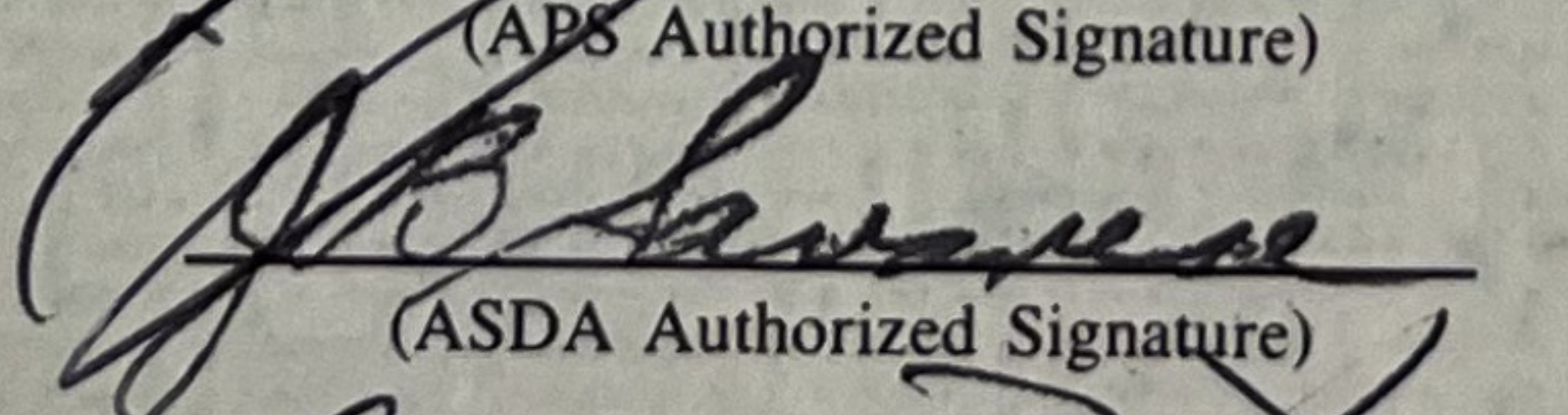
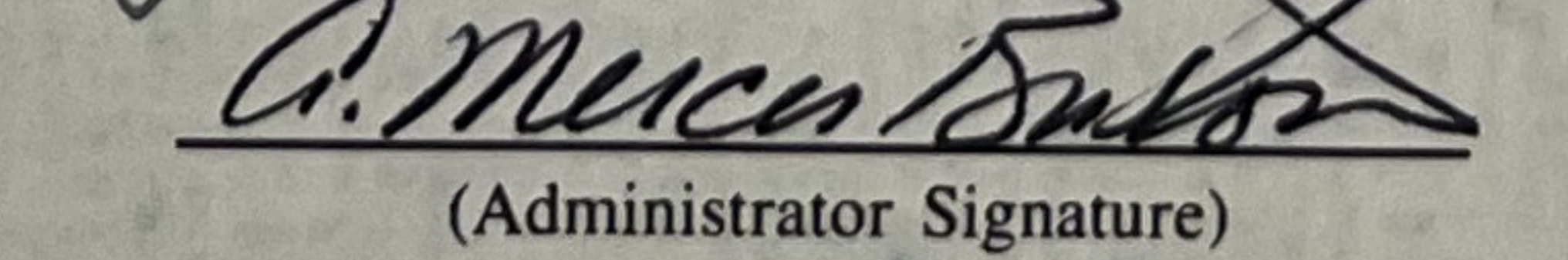
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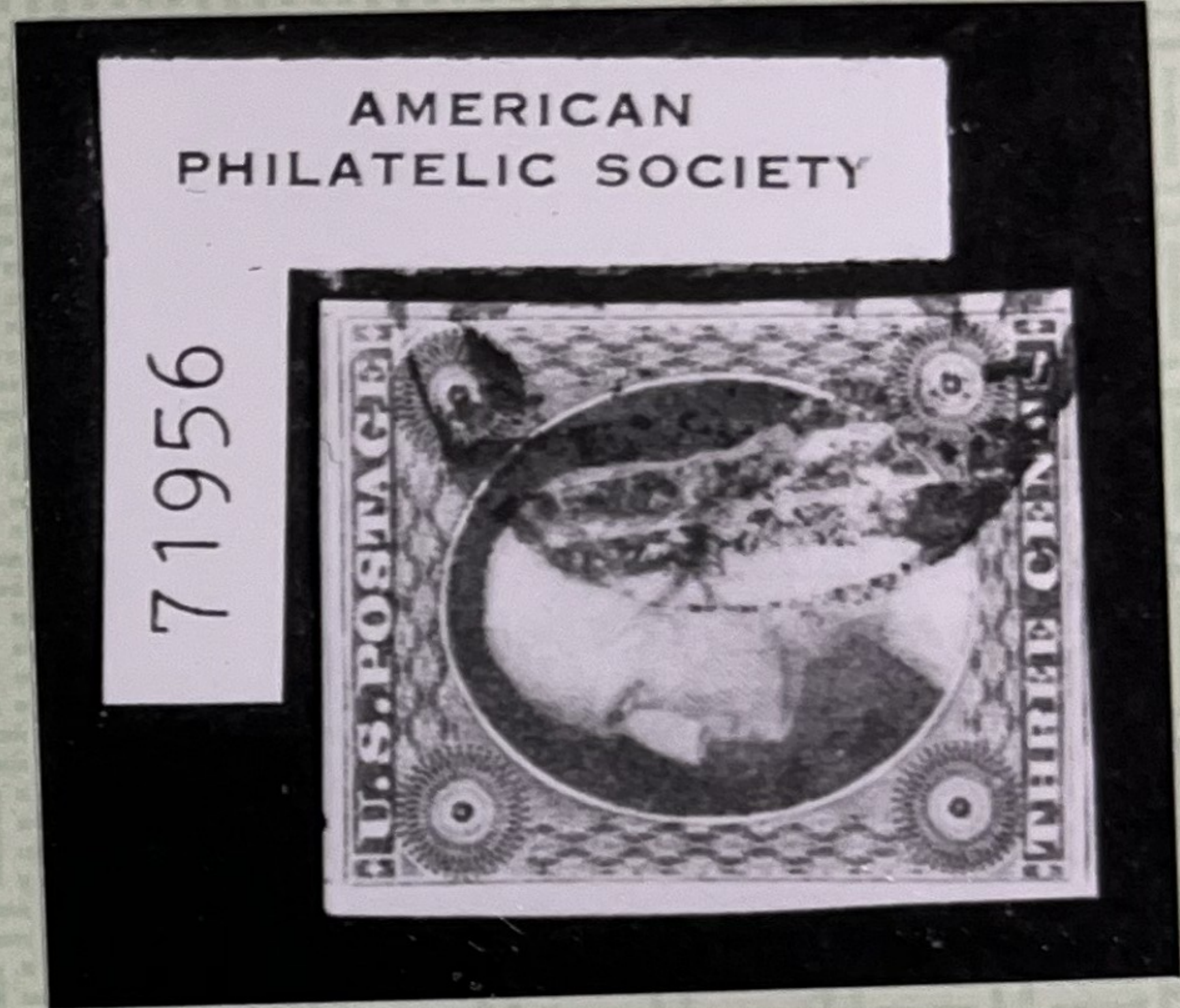
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Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
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Pos. 9L2, used, carrier use, genuine  
in all respects. - - - - -

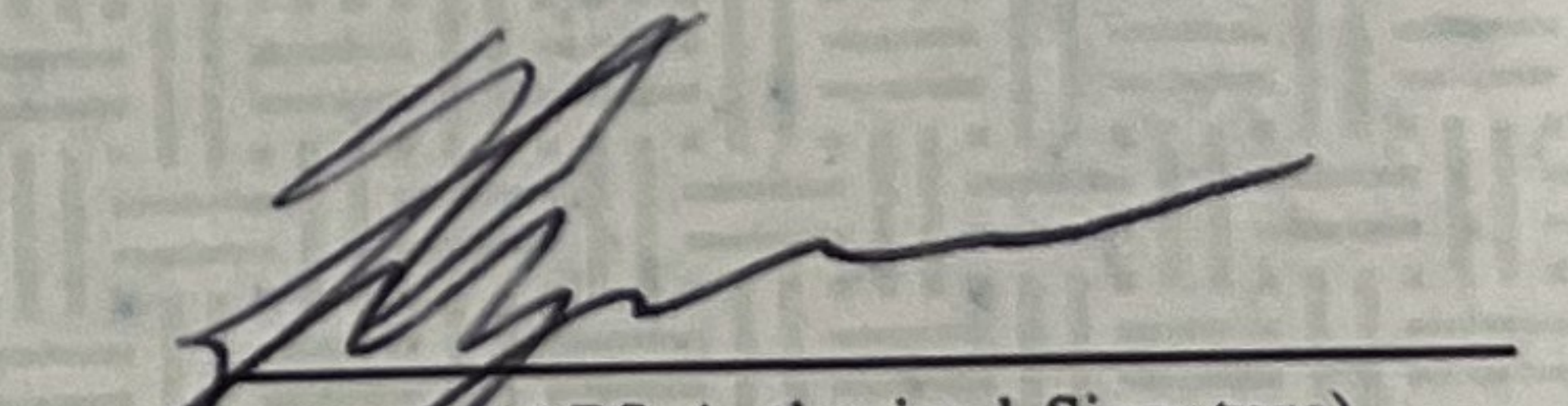
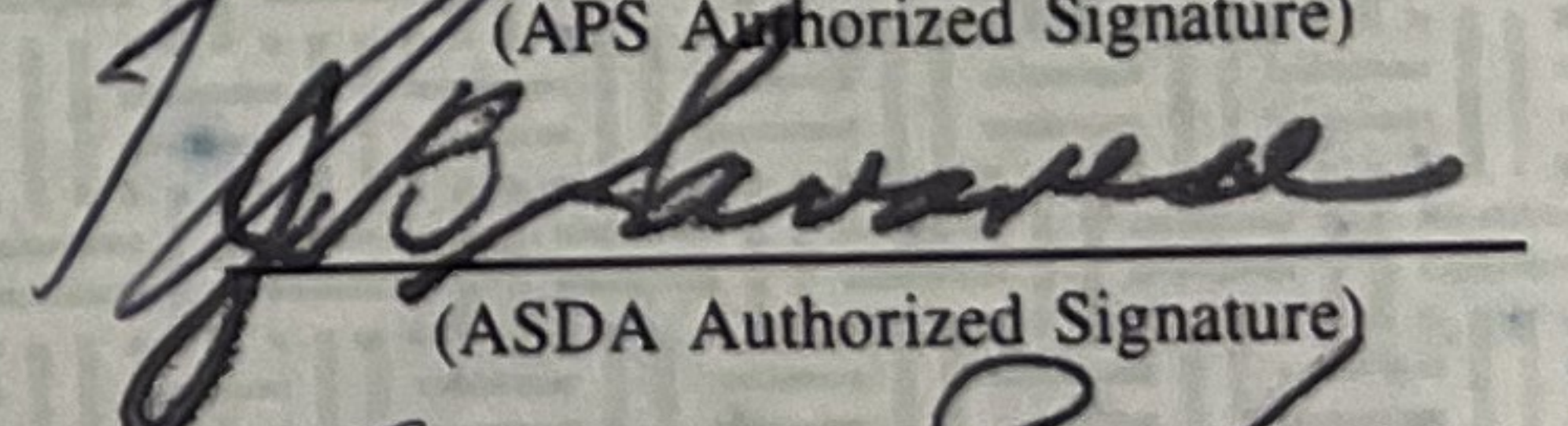
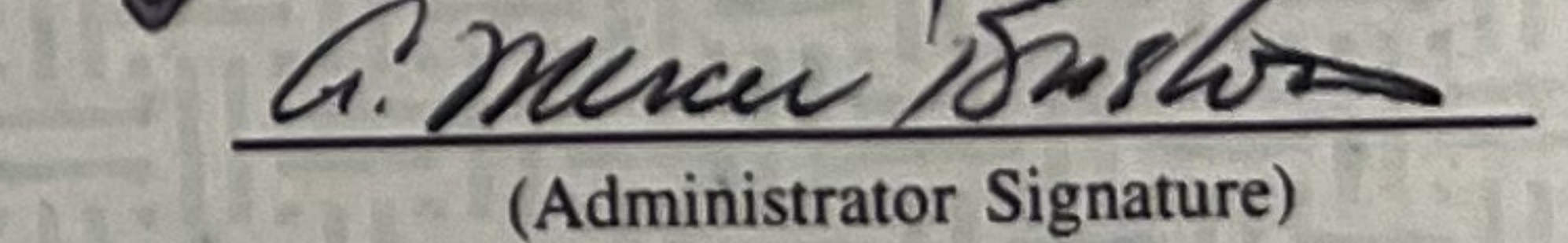
Date **APR 24 1990**

  
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(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
United States, Scott No. 11, deep  
claret, used, genuine in all respects.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

  
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(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)





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CERTIFICATE: 71960



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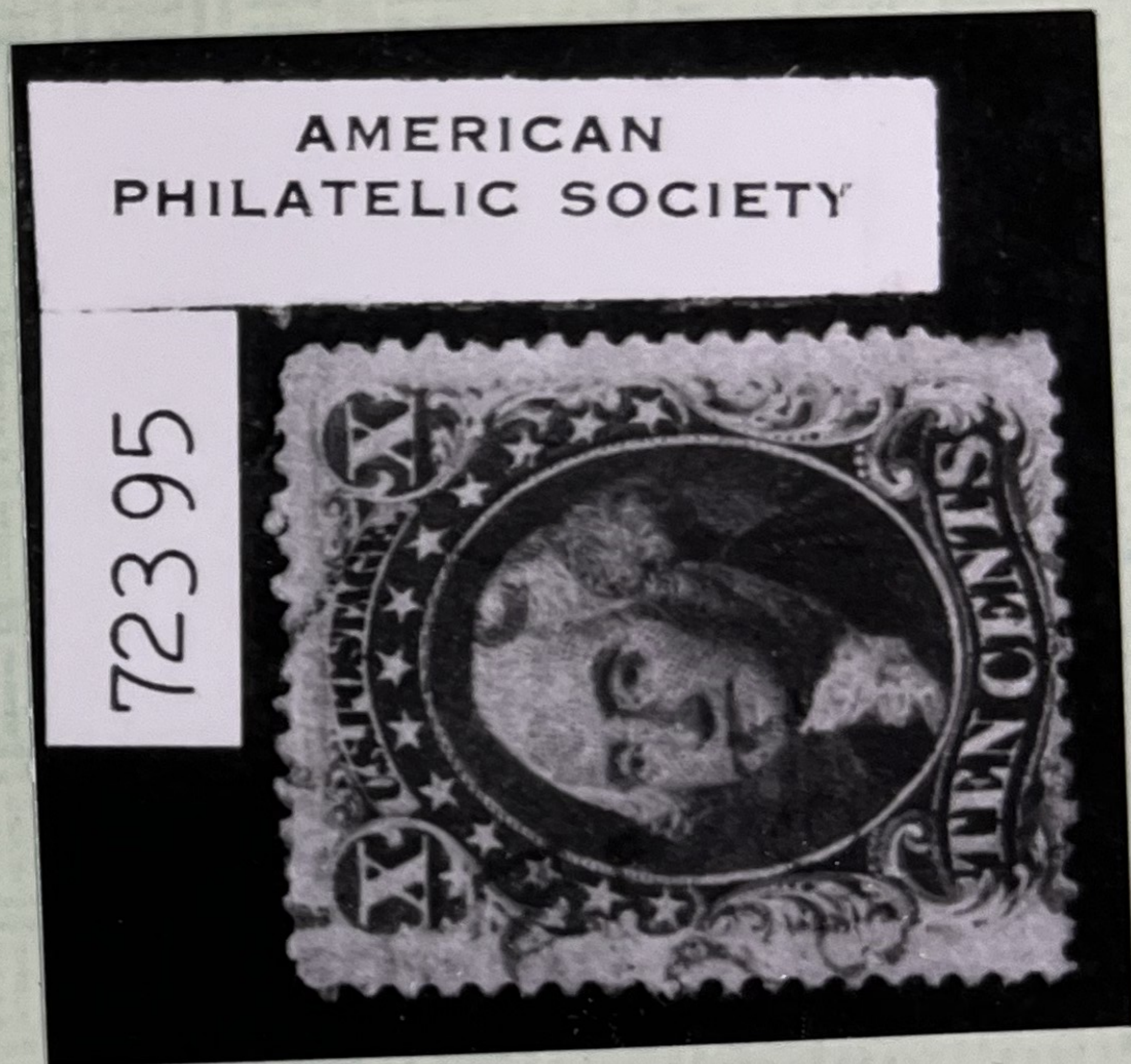
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Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 32, used, red and black cancels, genuine, corner creased. - - - - -

Date \_\_\_\_\_

(APS Authorized Signature)  
  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 35, used, genuine in all respects. - - - - -

Date **MAY 3 1990**

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(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)





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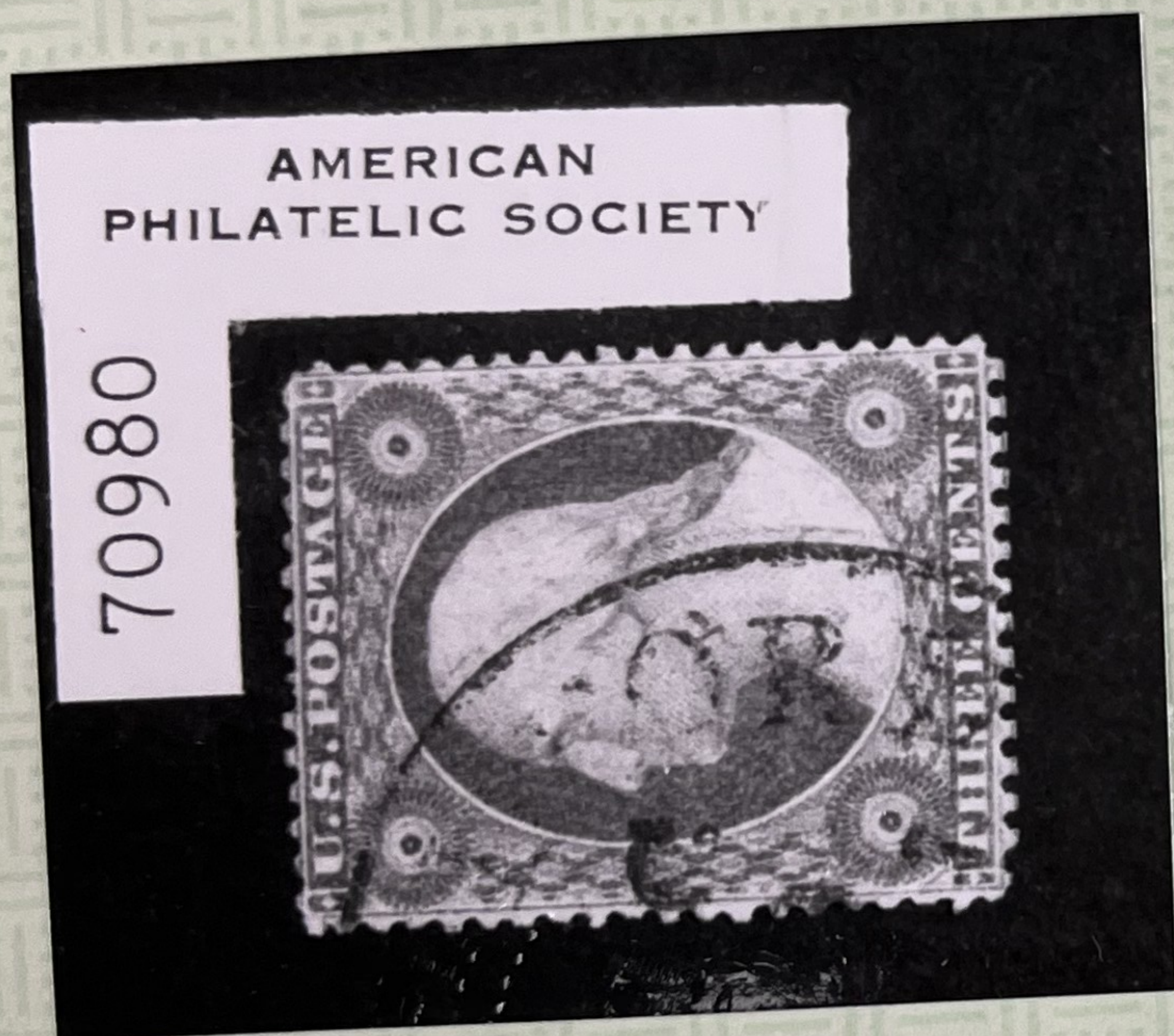


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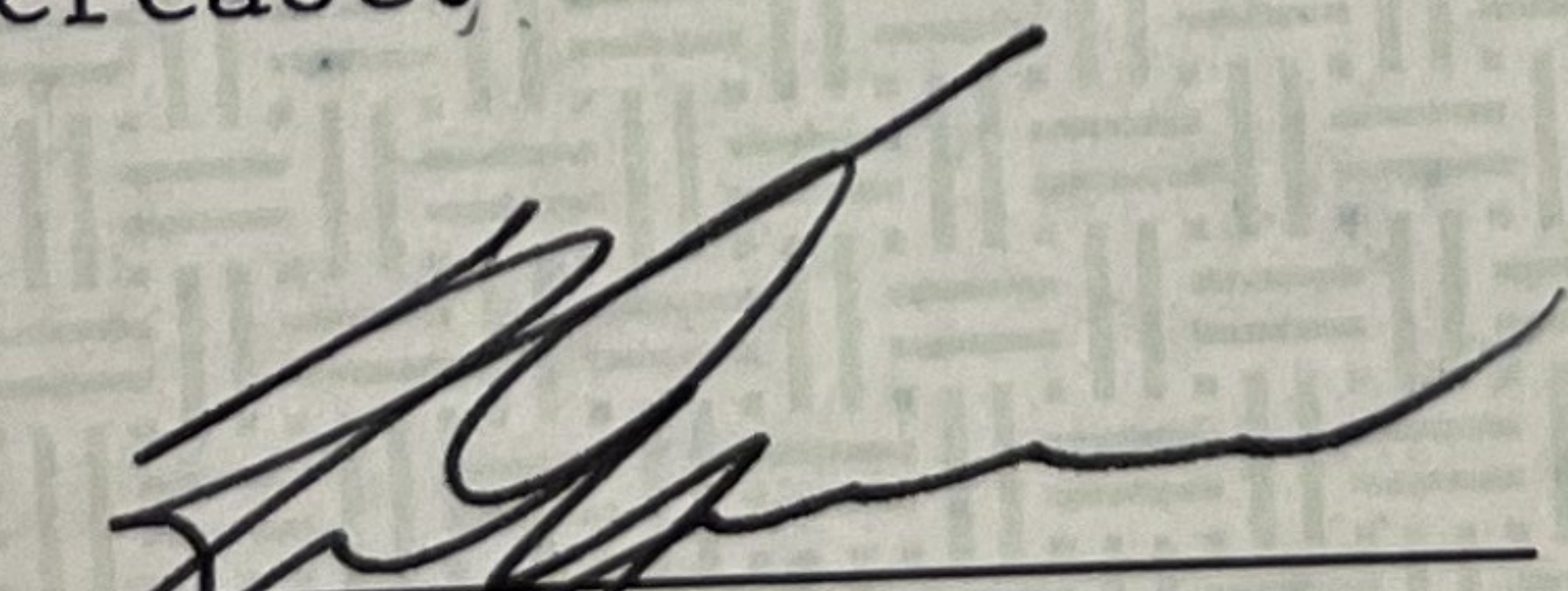
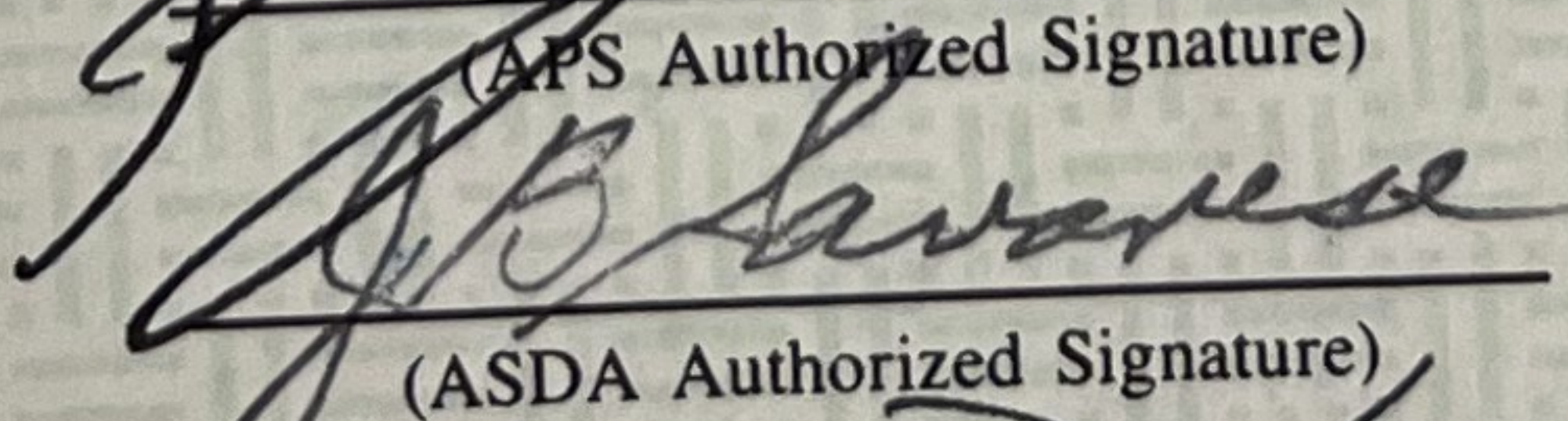
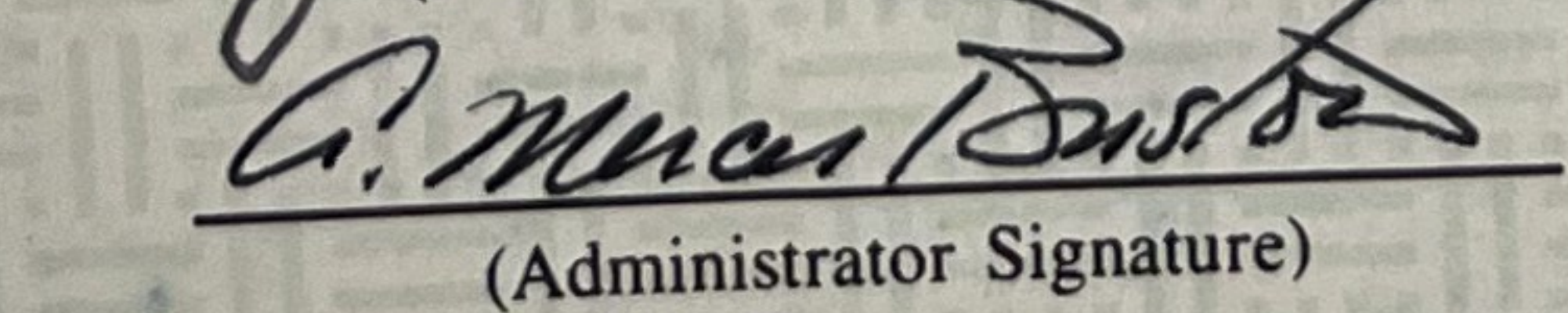
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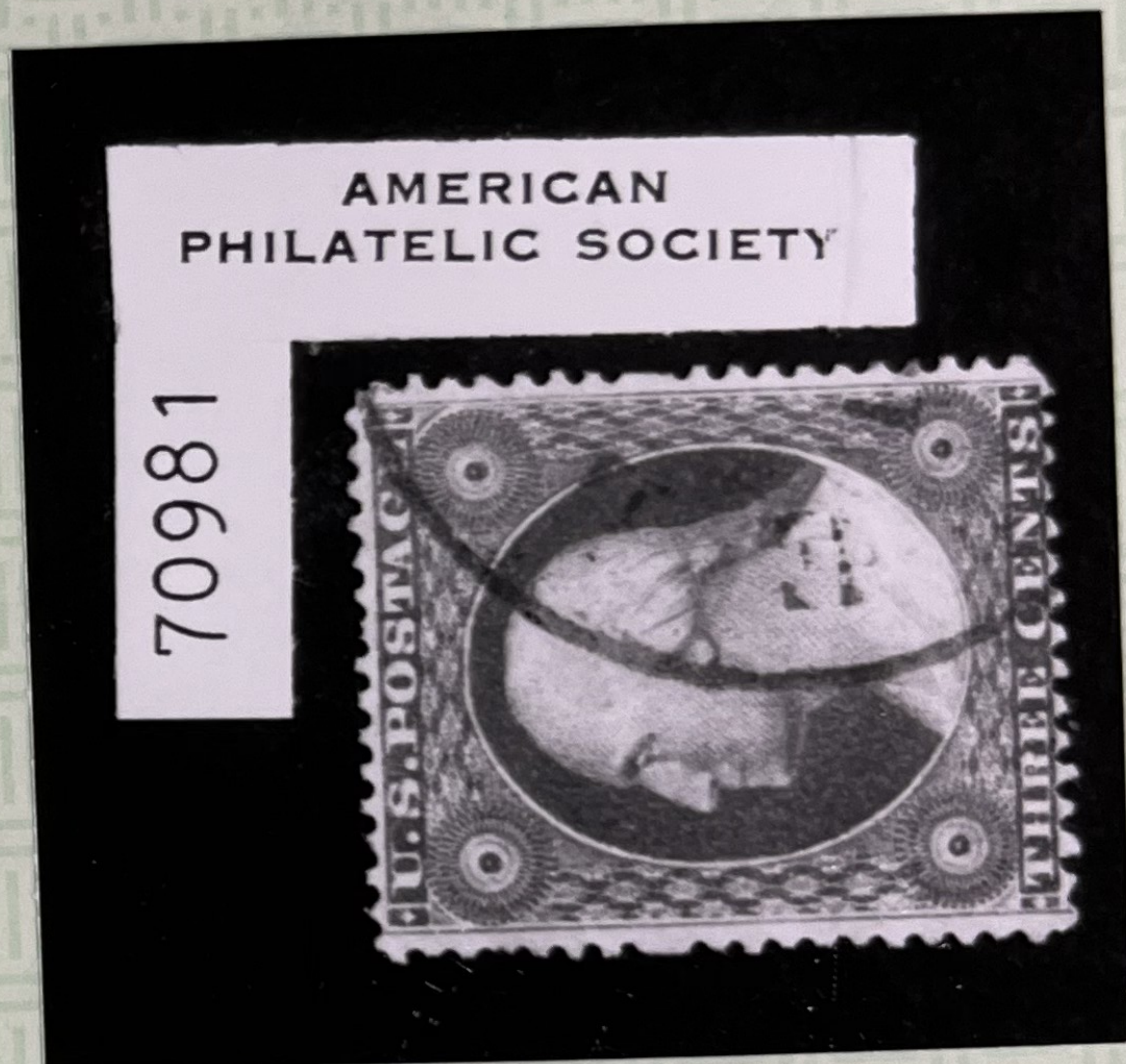
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Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
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genuine, corner crease, - - - - -

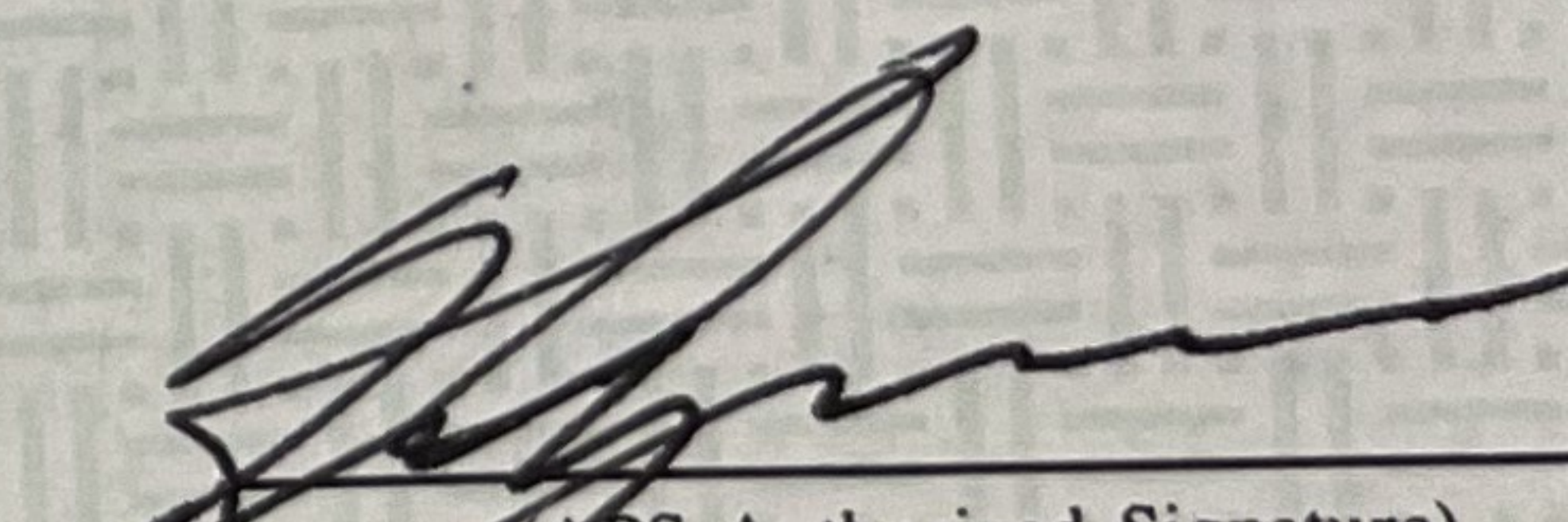
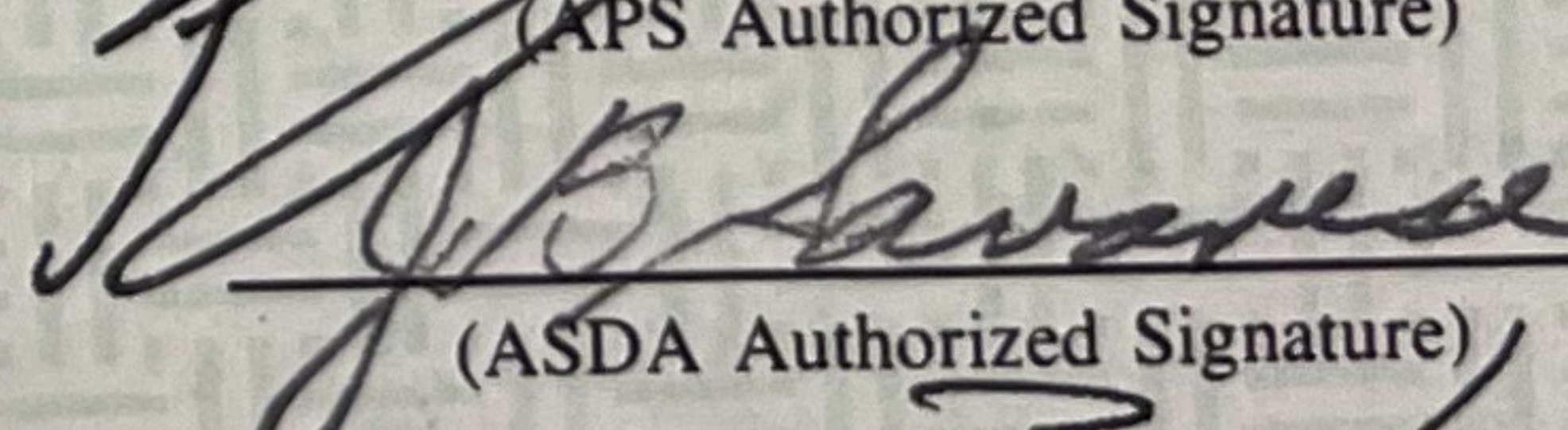
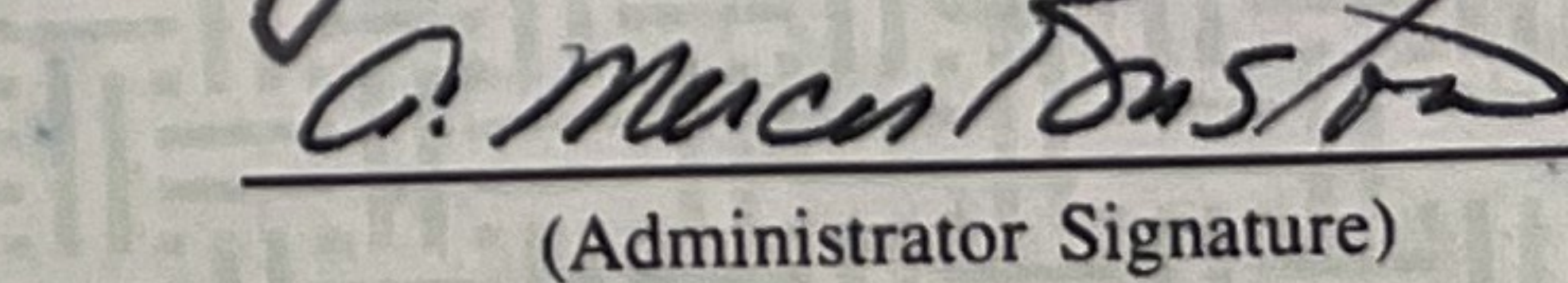
Date JAN 8 1990

  
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(Administrator Signature)



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
United States, Scott No. 26, used,  
blue cancel, genuine in all respects.

Date JAN 8 1990

  
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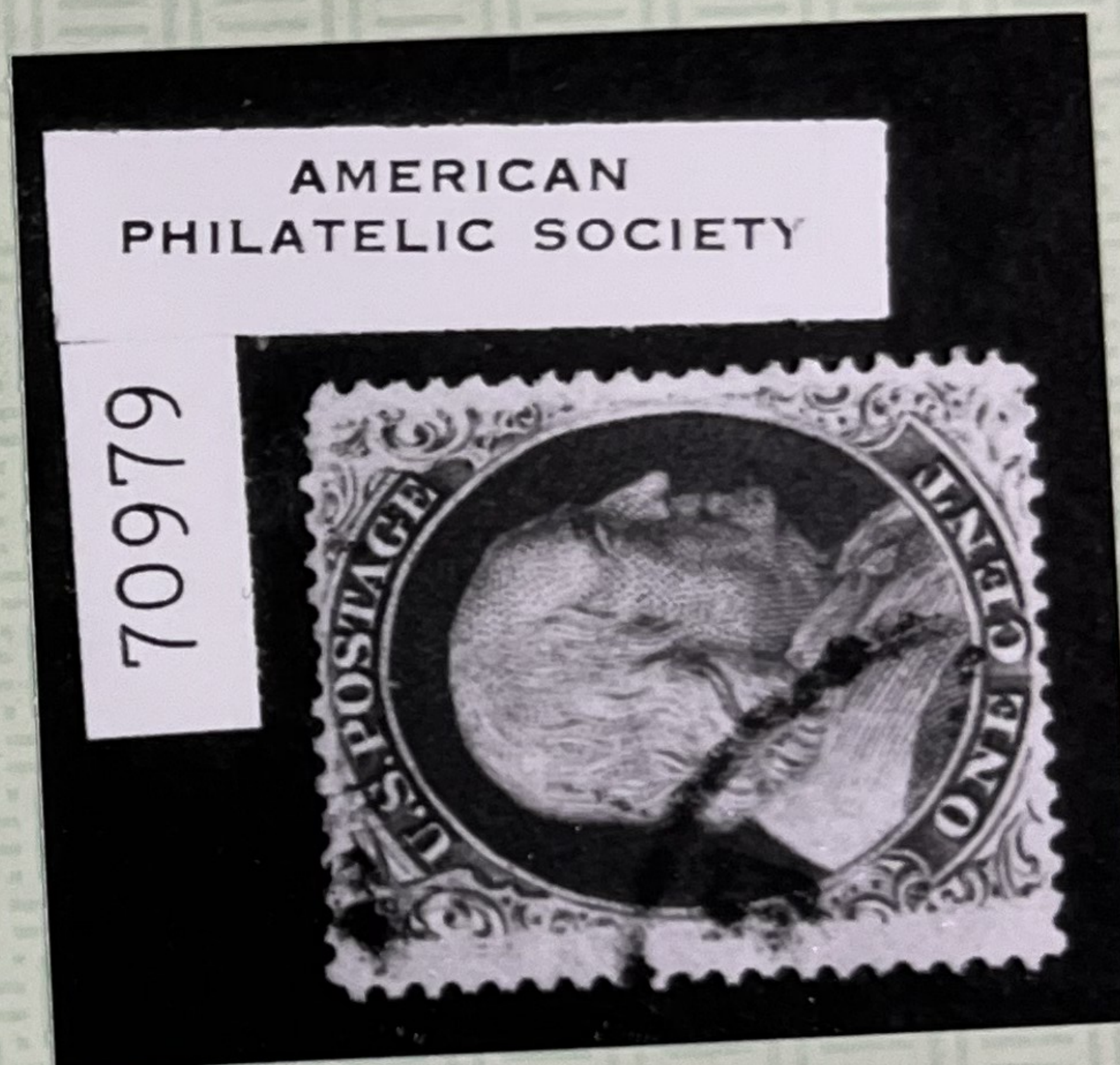
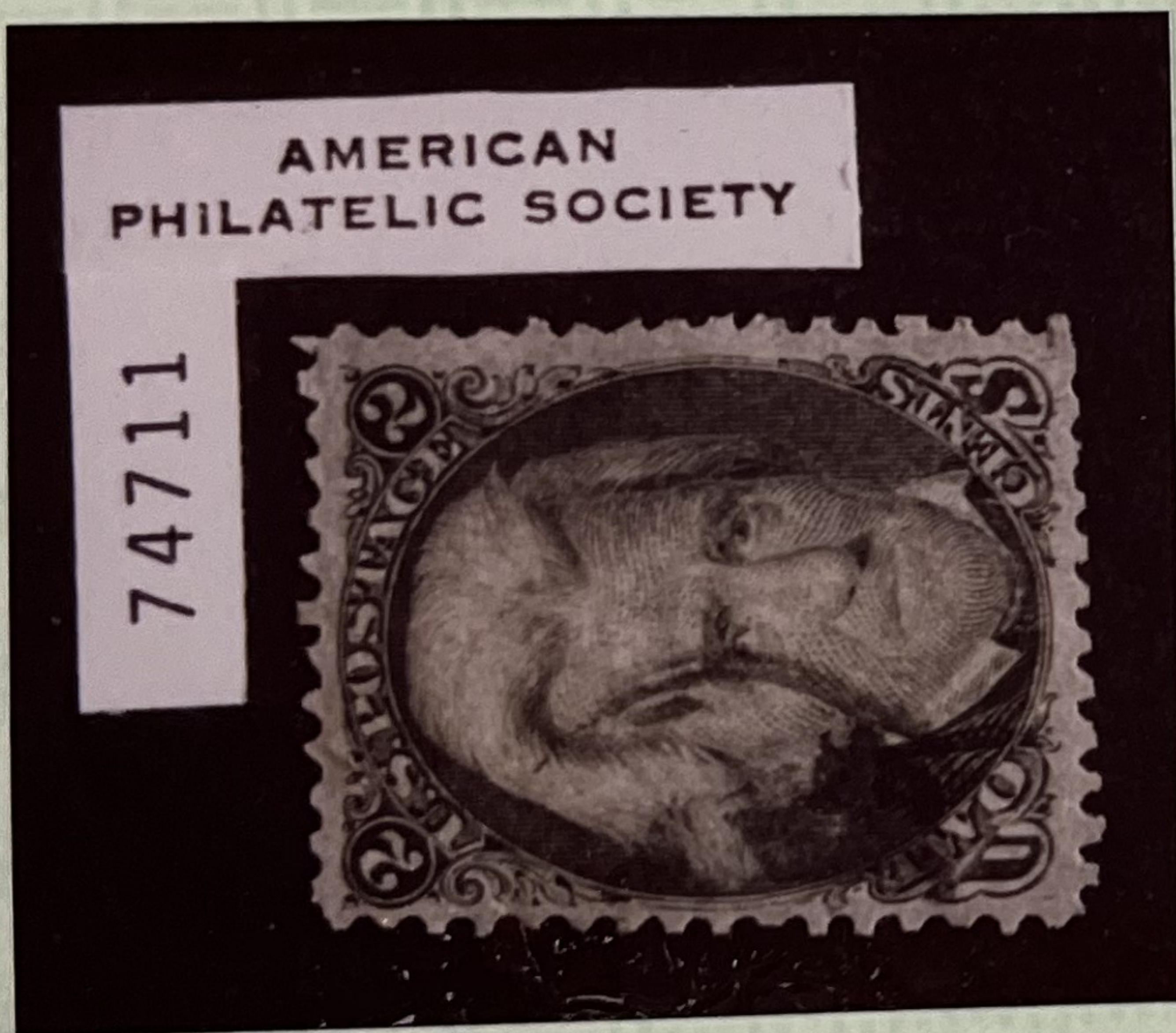


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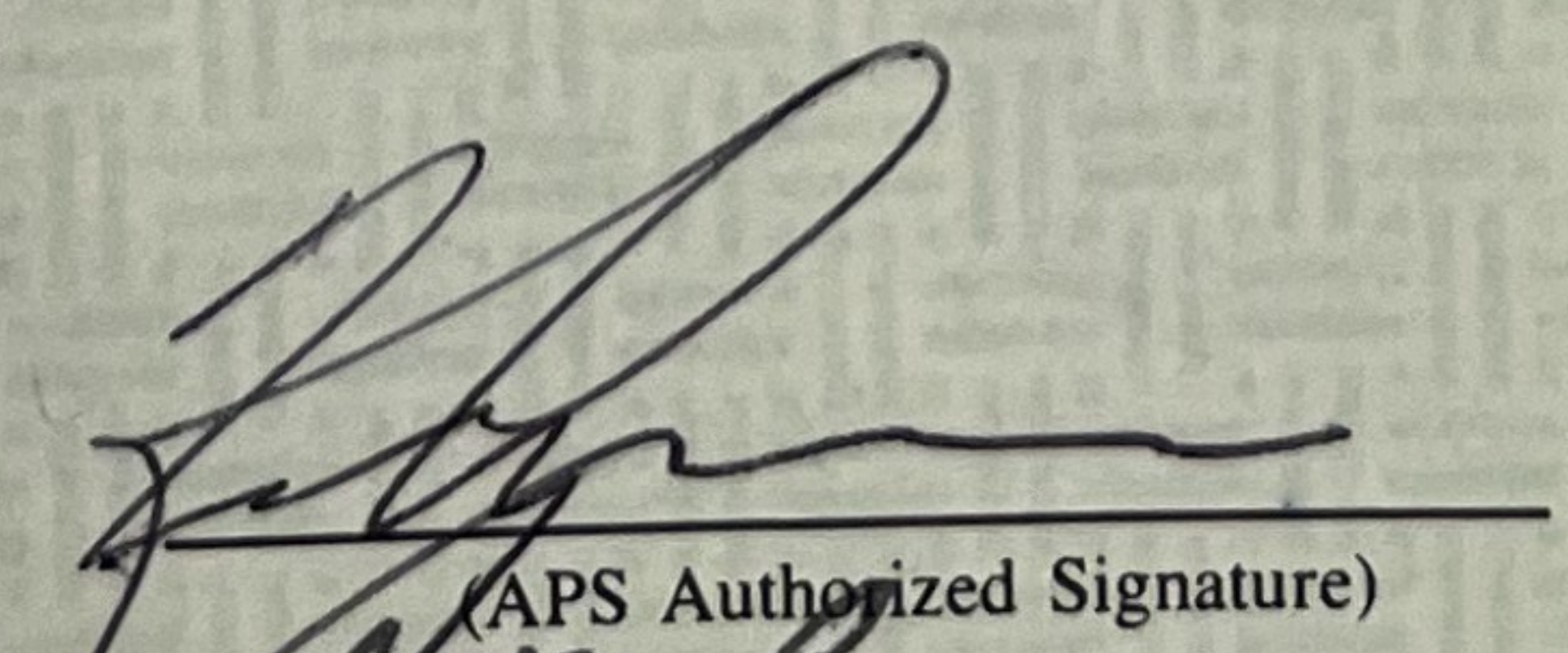
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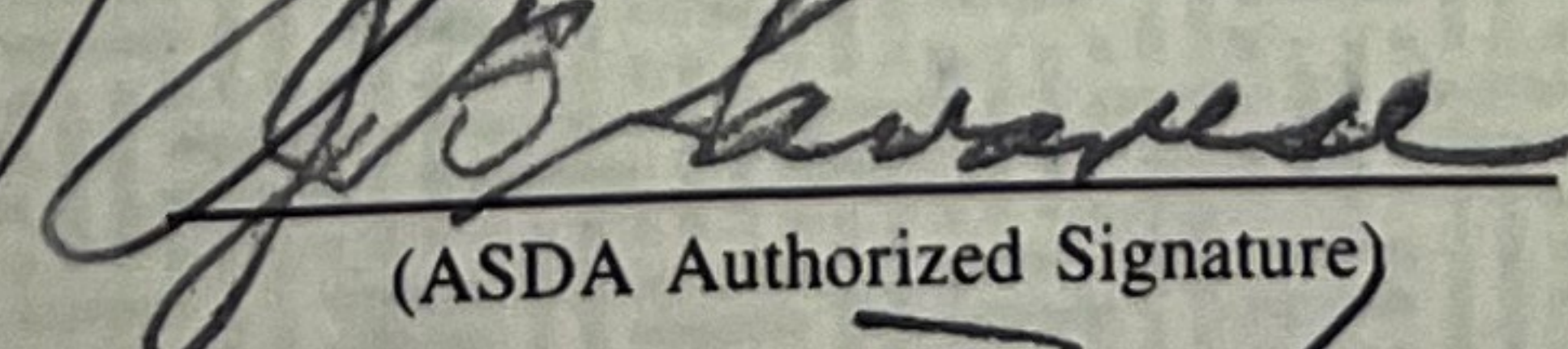
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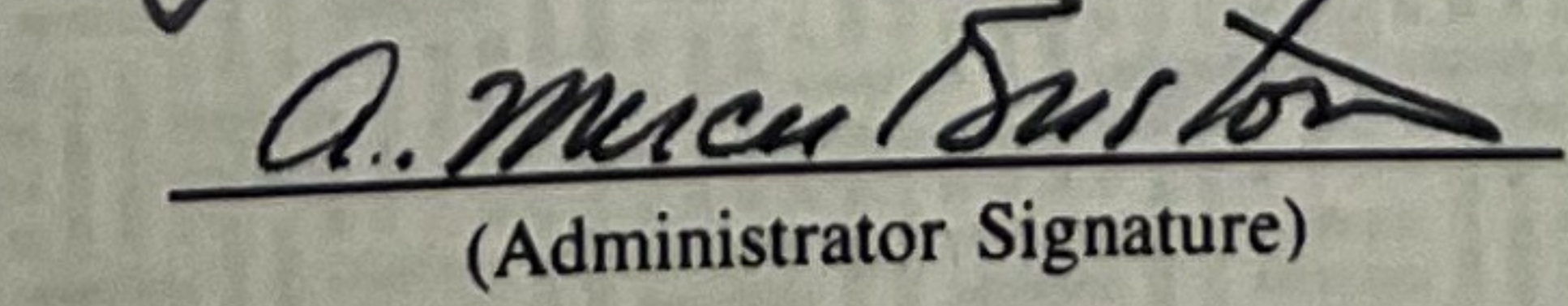


Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have  
examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
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genuine. - - - - -

Date JAN 2 1991

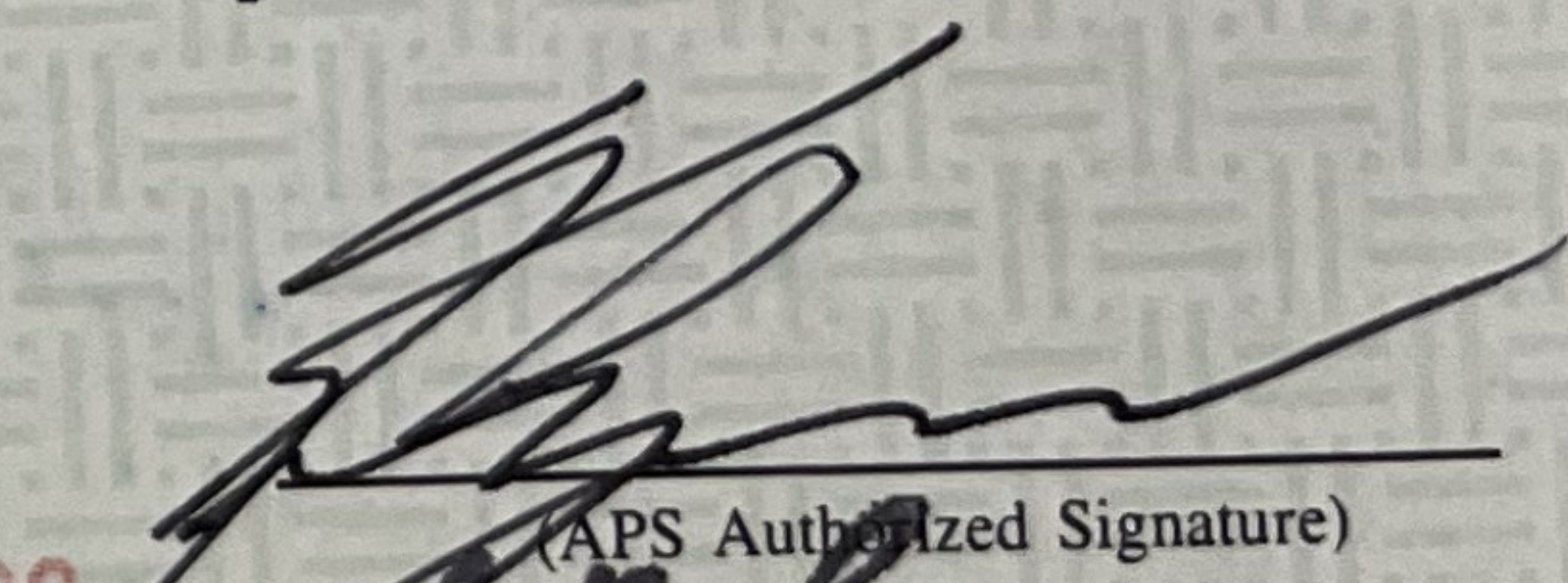
  
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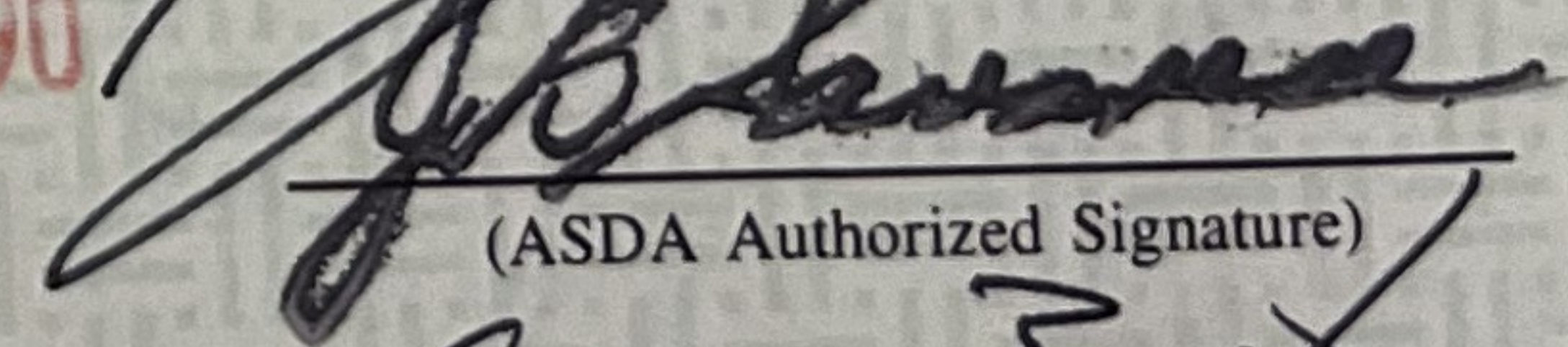
  
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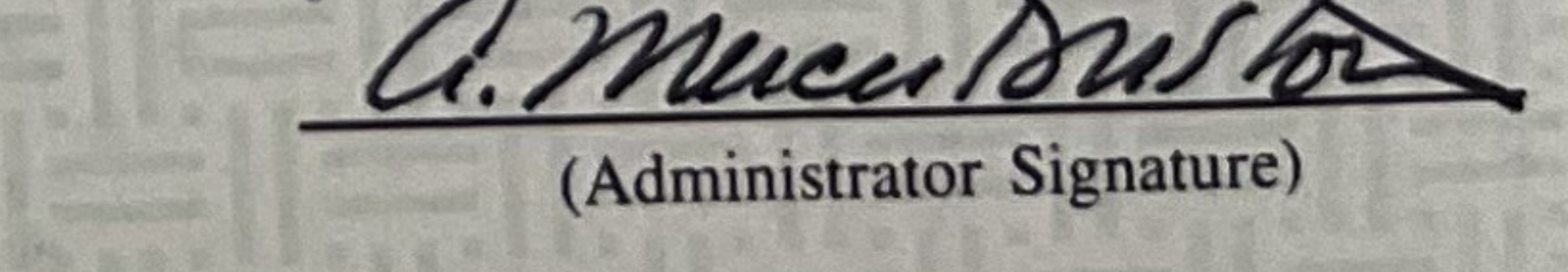
  
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Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have  
examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is  
United States, Scott No. 24, used,  
genuine in all respects. - - - - -

Date JAN 8 1990

  
(APS Authorized Signature)

  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)





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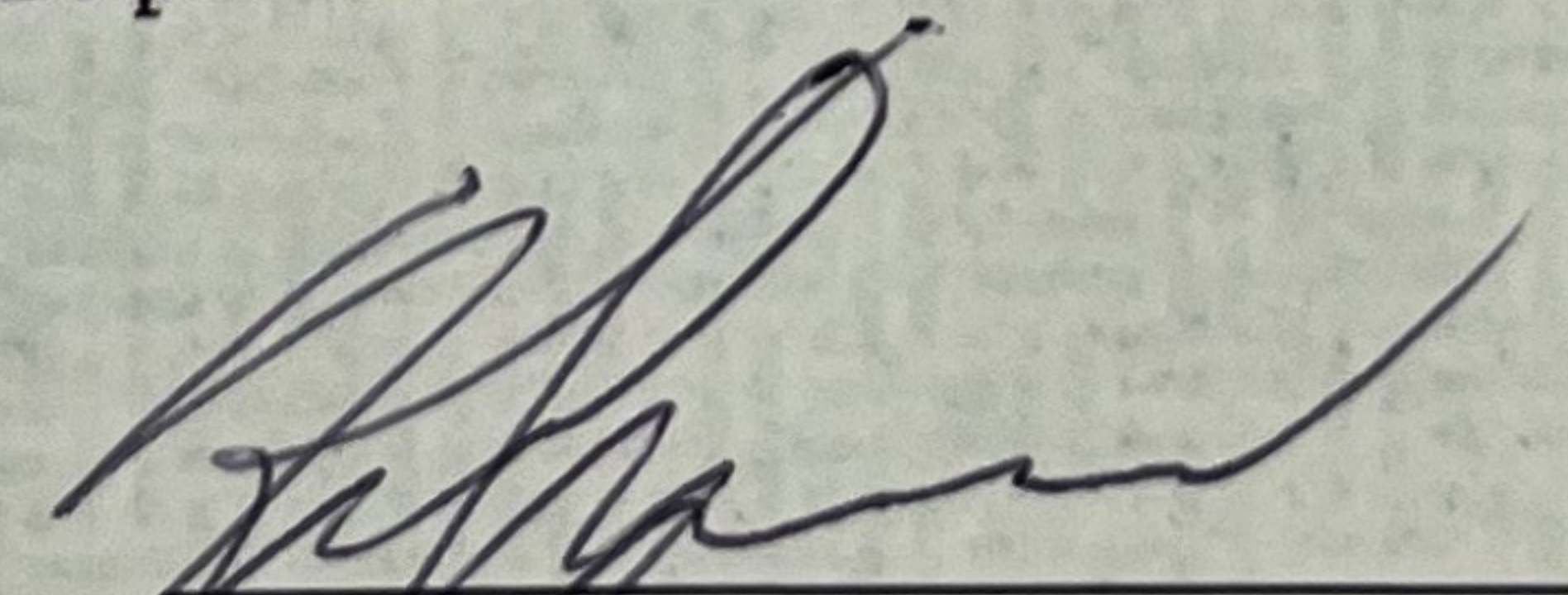
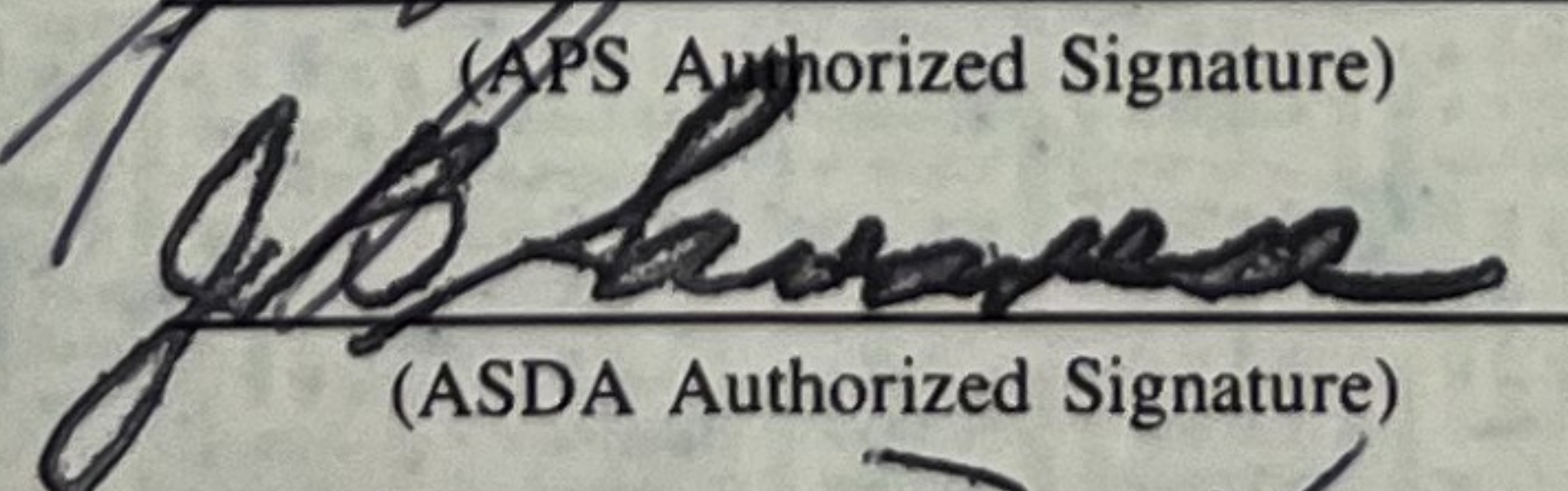
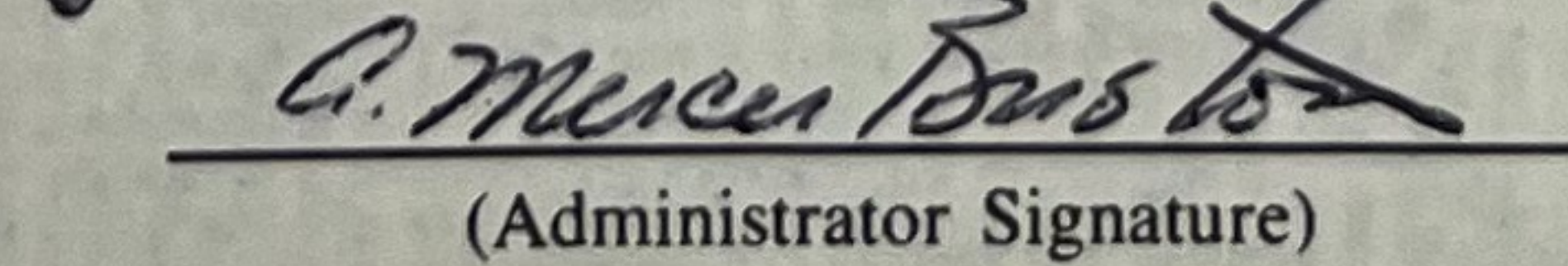
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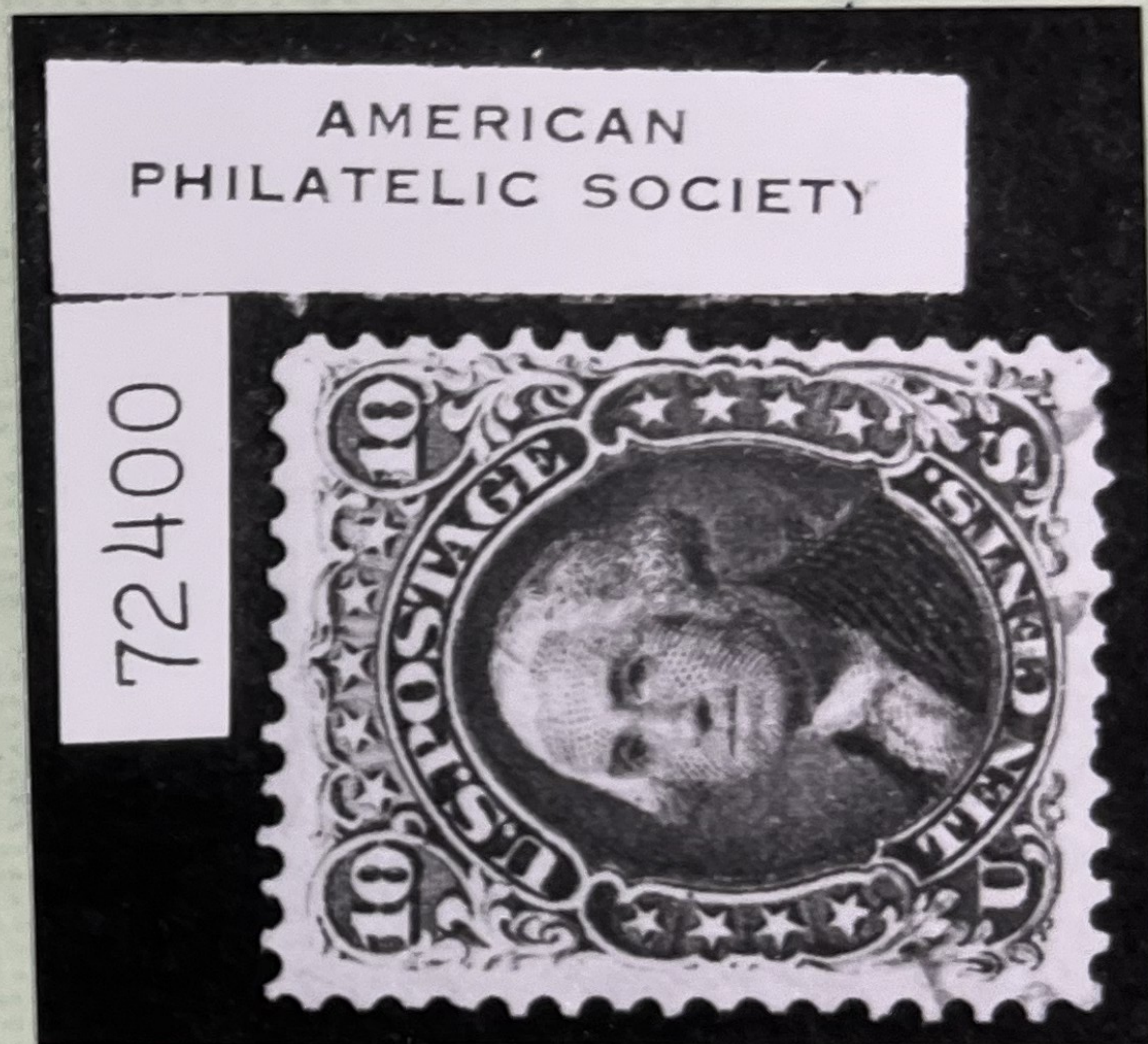


Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 113, used, genuine in all respects. - - - - -

Date

JUL 17 1990

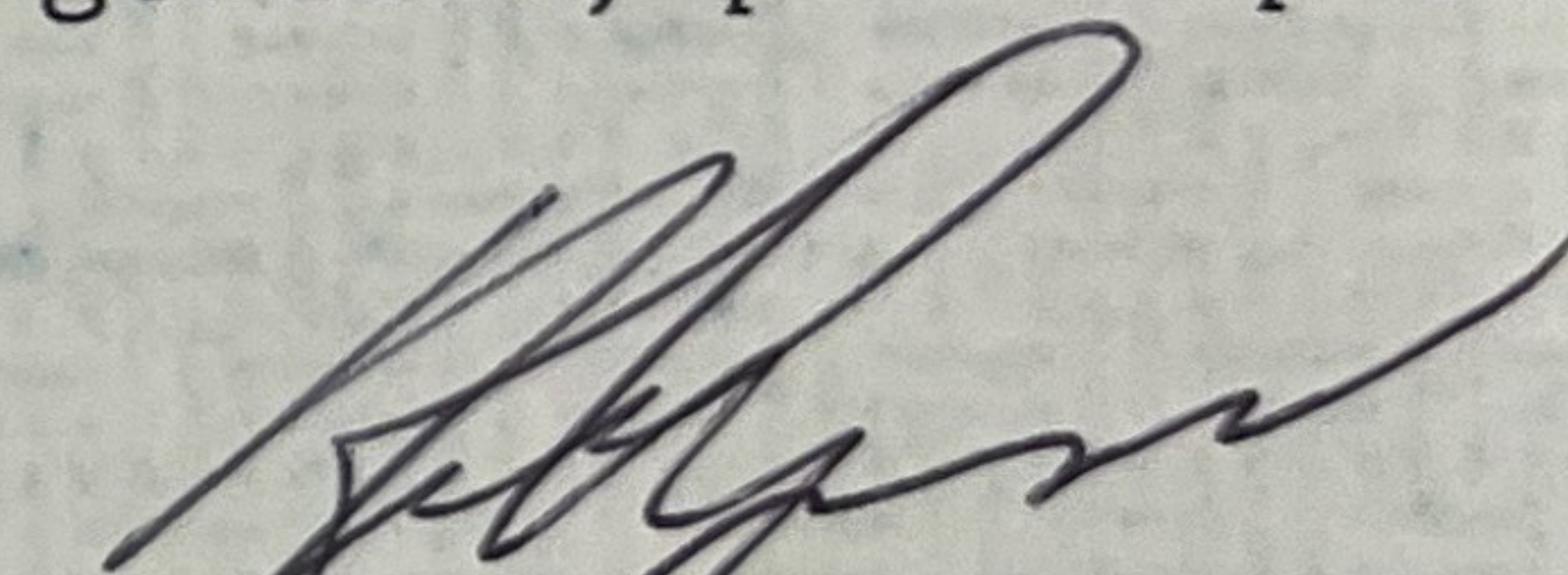
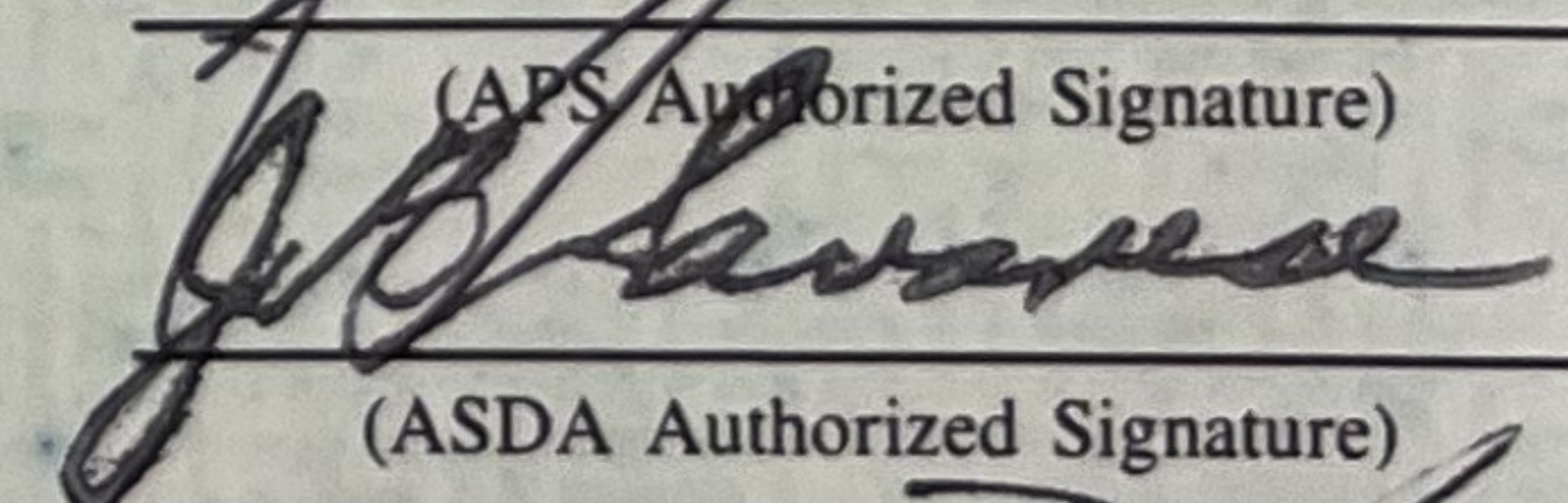
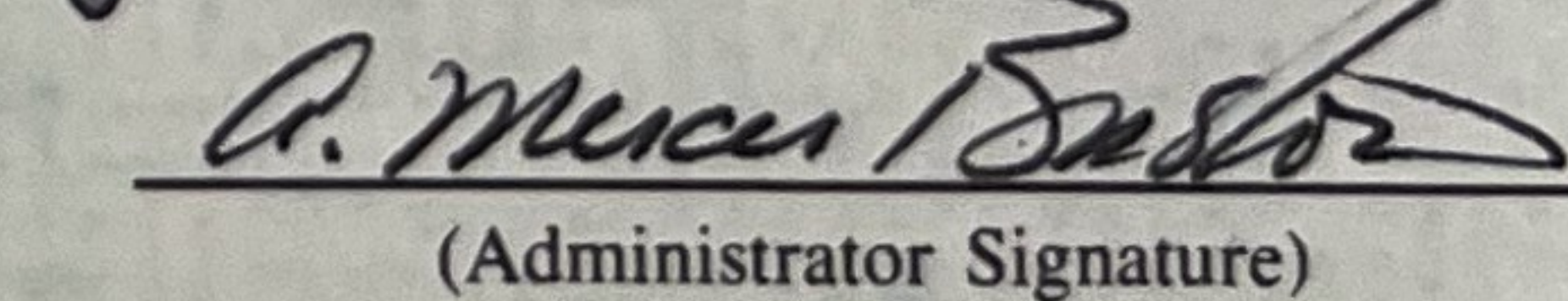
  
(APS Authorized Signature)  
  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 68, used, red town cancel, genuine, pulled perfs.

Date

MAY 3 1990

  
(APS Authorized Signature)  
  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
  
(Administrator Signature)





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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0230273

8/28/90

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>
36	1857	12¢	black

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE SCOTT 36B, PLATE III WITH A PULLED PERF AT BOTTOM RIGHT. \* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 85529



No. 42 241

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NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016

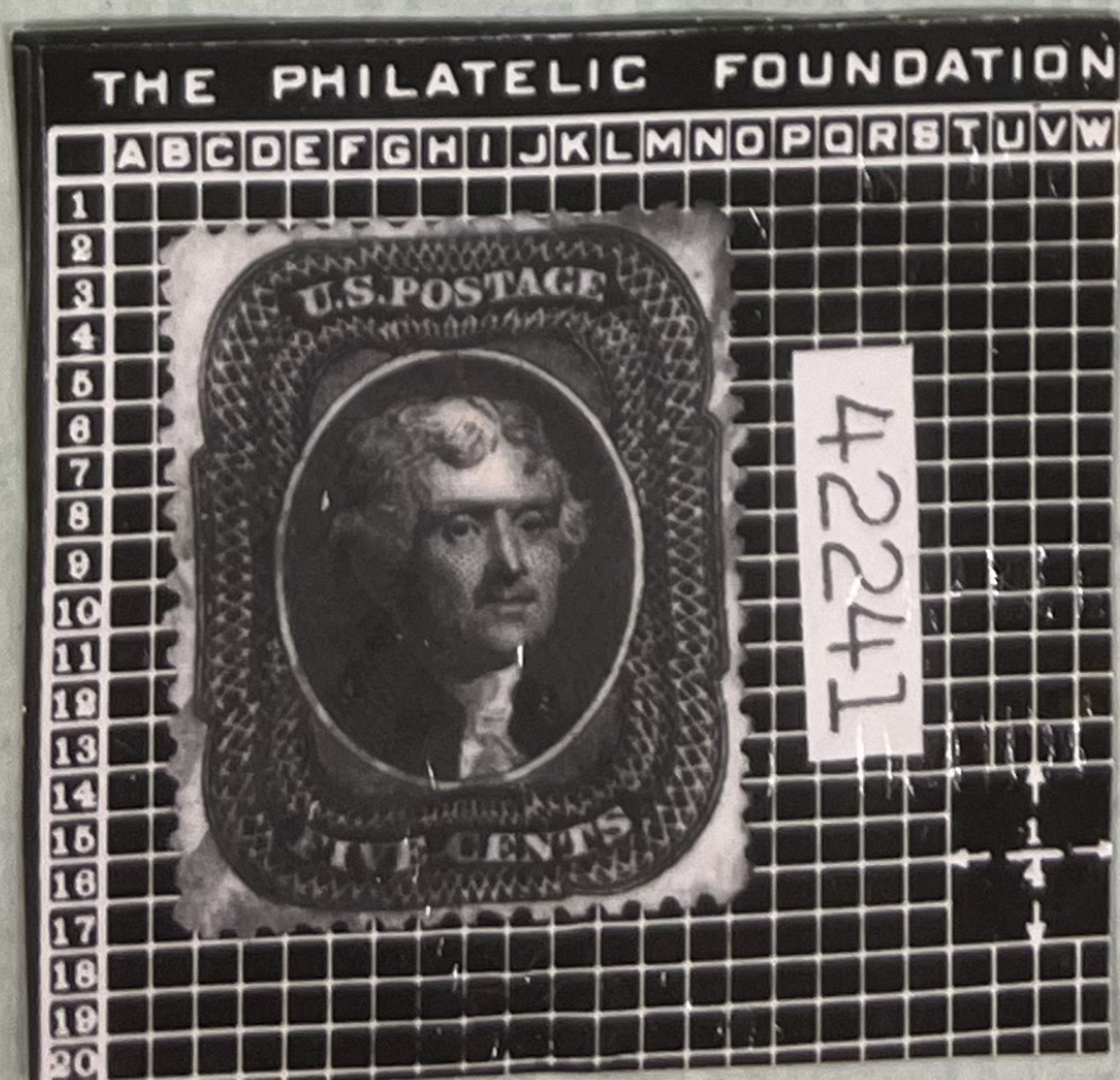
EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed USA  
1861, 5c, orange brown, Scott 30, red cancel-  
lation

submitted by J.E. Molesworth, Inc.

of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion  
that it is genuine, with a stain at top

*Very Small by*



*J. E. Molesworth*  
For The Expert Committee  
Acting Chairman

*JEM  
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No. 00096932

5/1/2003



## **Professional Stamp Experts**

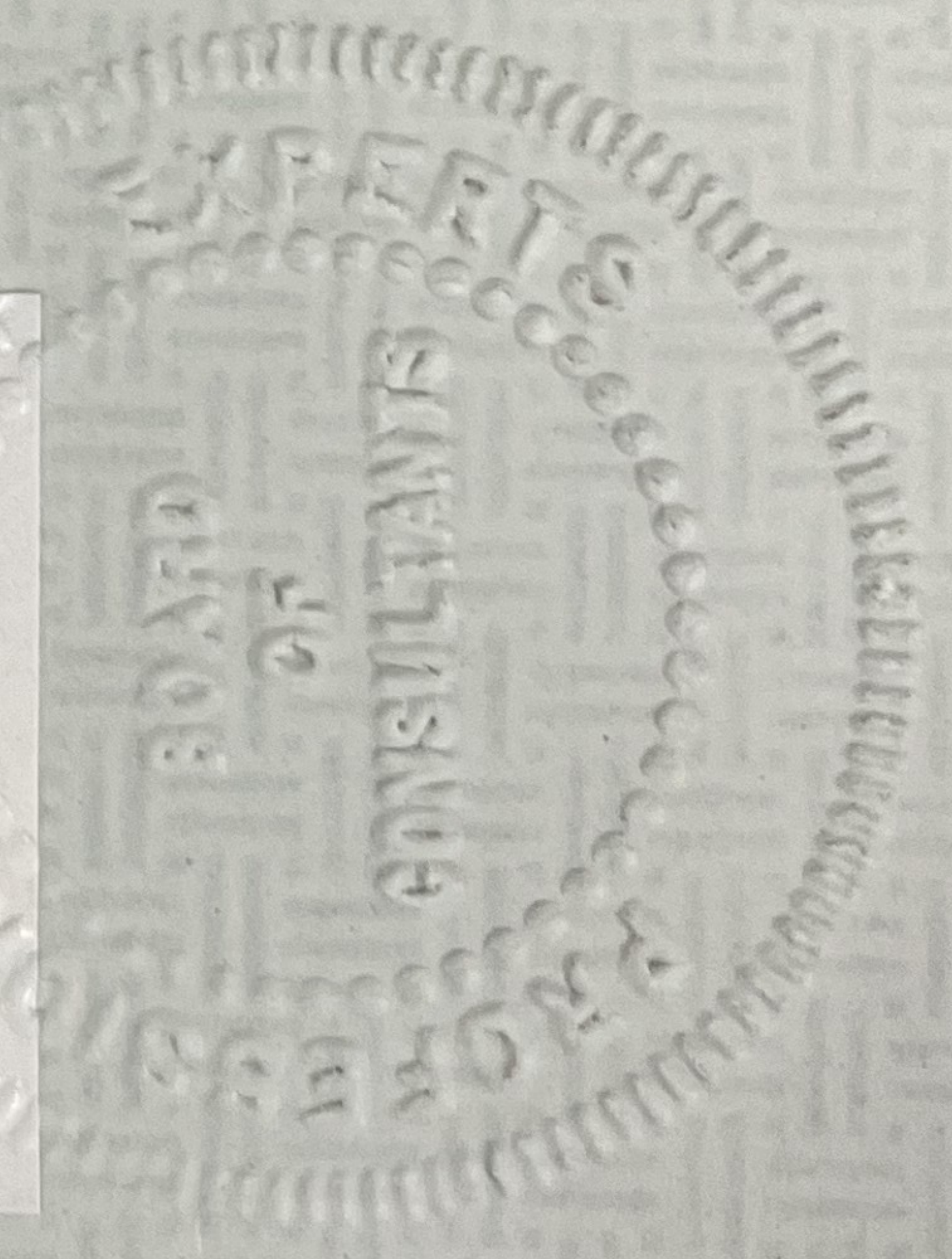
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### *Authentication Committee*

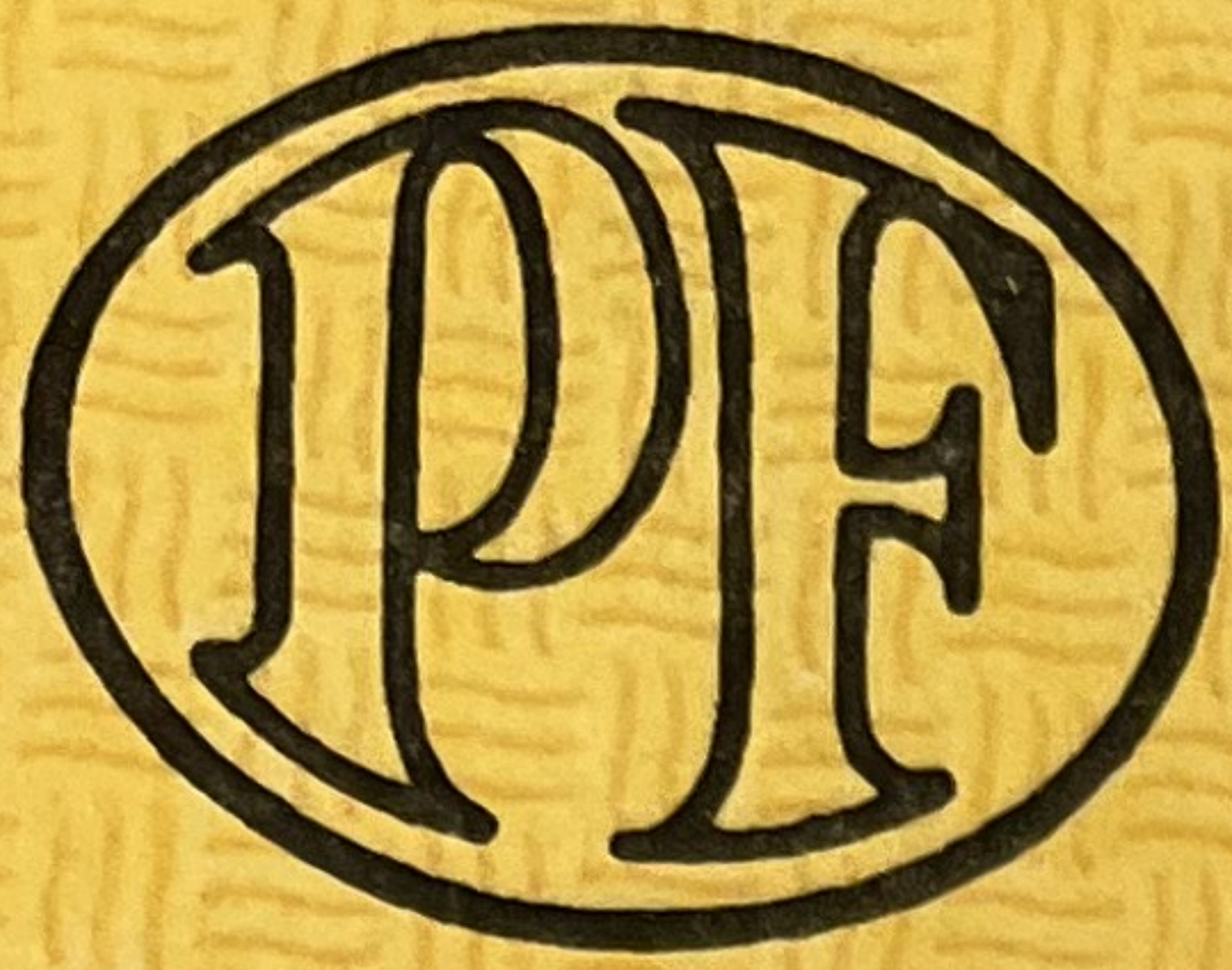
We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

<b>Cat #</b>	<b>Issue</b>	<b>Denom.</b>	<b>Color</b>
<b>US#112</b>	<b>1869</b>	<b>1c</b>	<b>Buff</b>

"it is genuine used, with cork and c.d.s. cancels."







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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0235859  
1/25/91

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>
117	1869	12¢	green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE\* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 091696



# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 115, used, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **164583**

*G. M. ...*

(Administrator Signature)

Date: **8/24/2005**

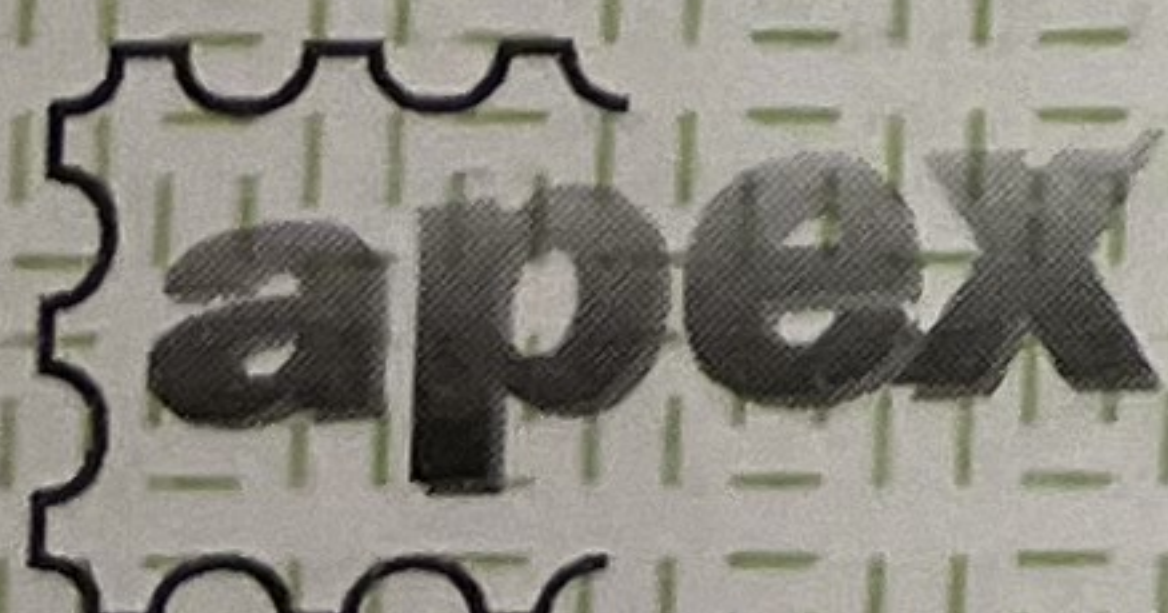
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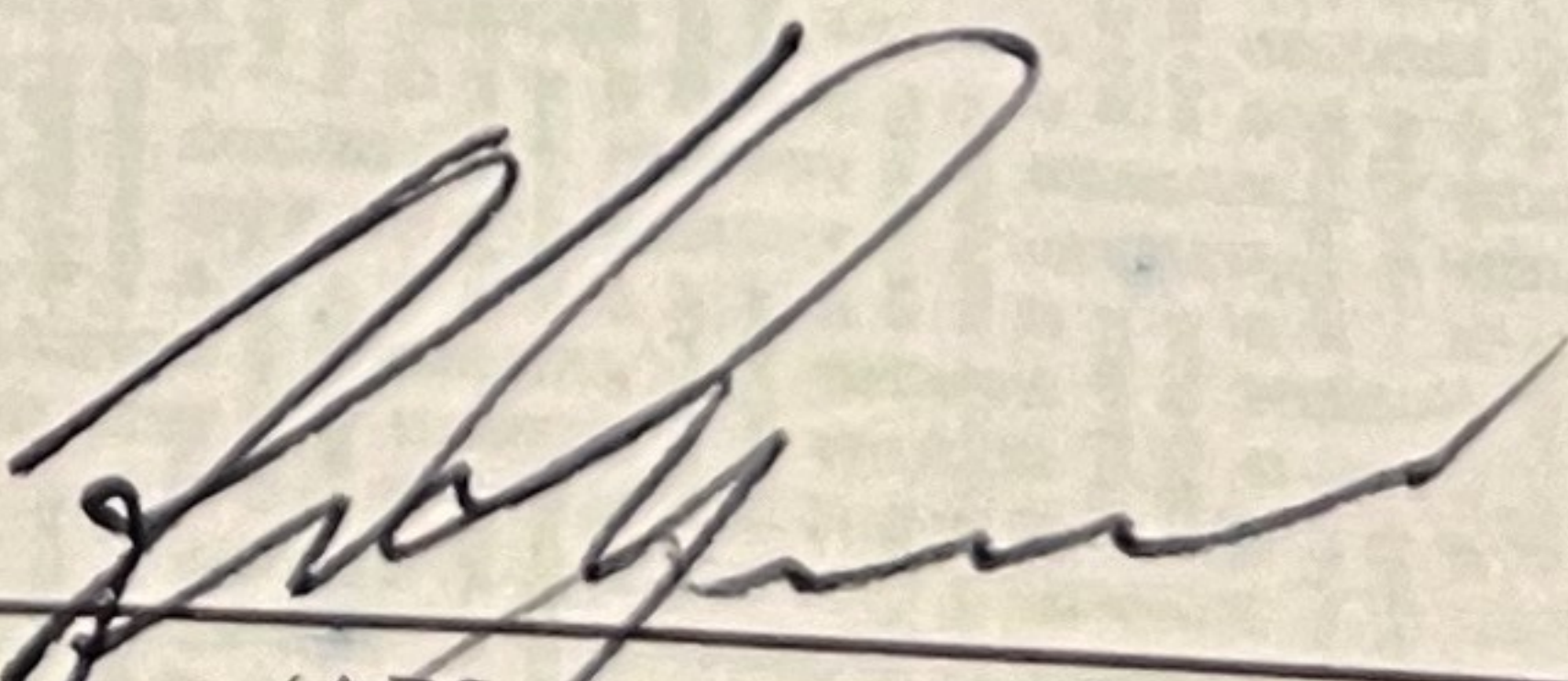


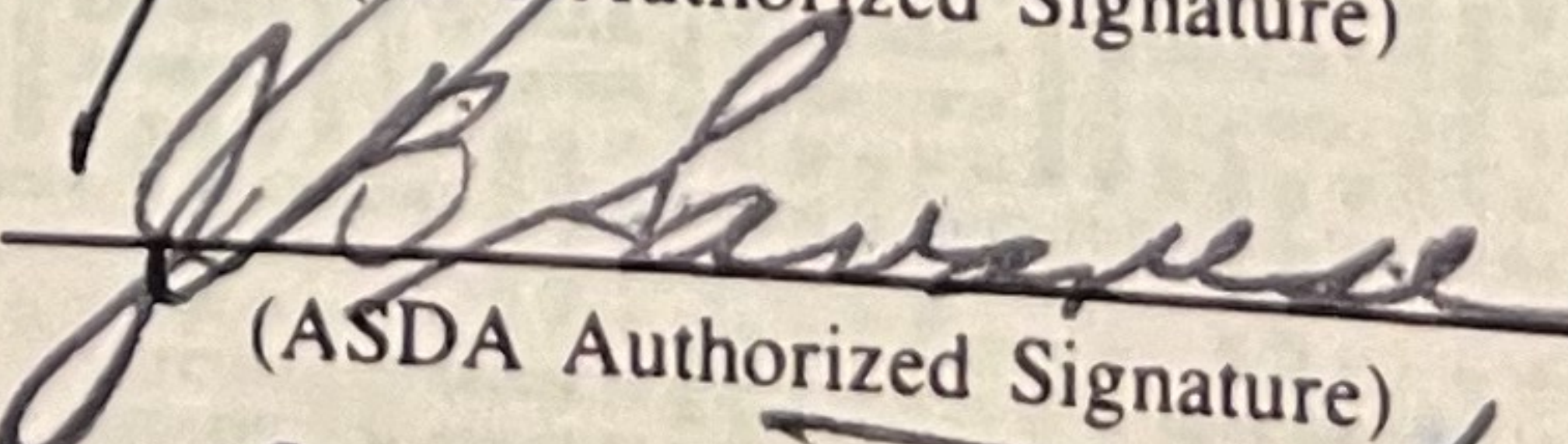
Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is

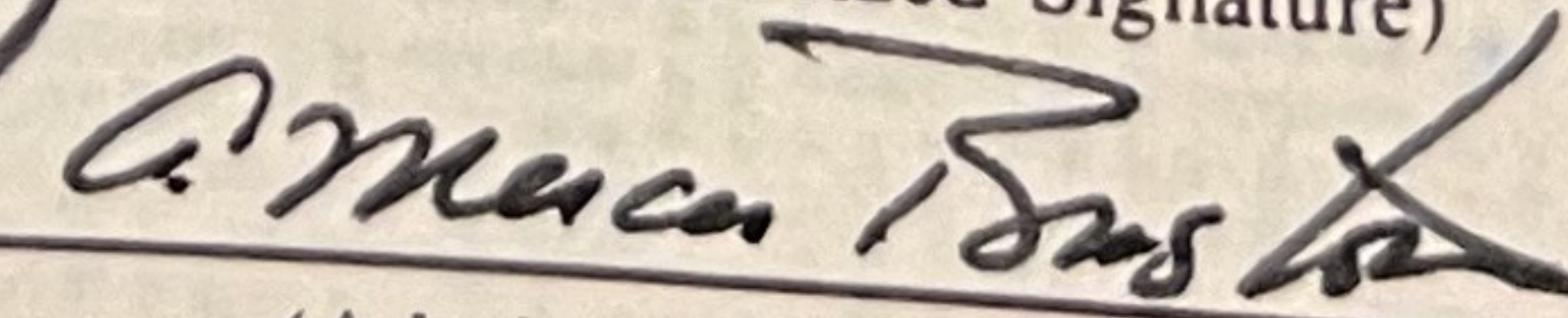
United States, Scott No. 137, H grill,  
used, genuine, short perf at bottom. -

Date

AUG 8 1991

  
(APS Authorized Signature)

  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)





THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

21 EAST 40<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0259038  
5/15/92

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
134	1870-71	1¢	ultramarine

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE WITH A SMALL CLOSED TEAR AT BOTTOM CENTER \* \* \* \* \*



*Rosen*

For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

A 117522

Submitted by W. A. RADER

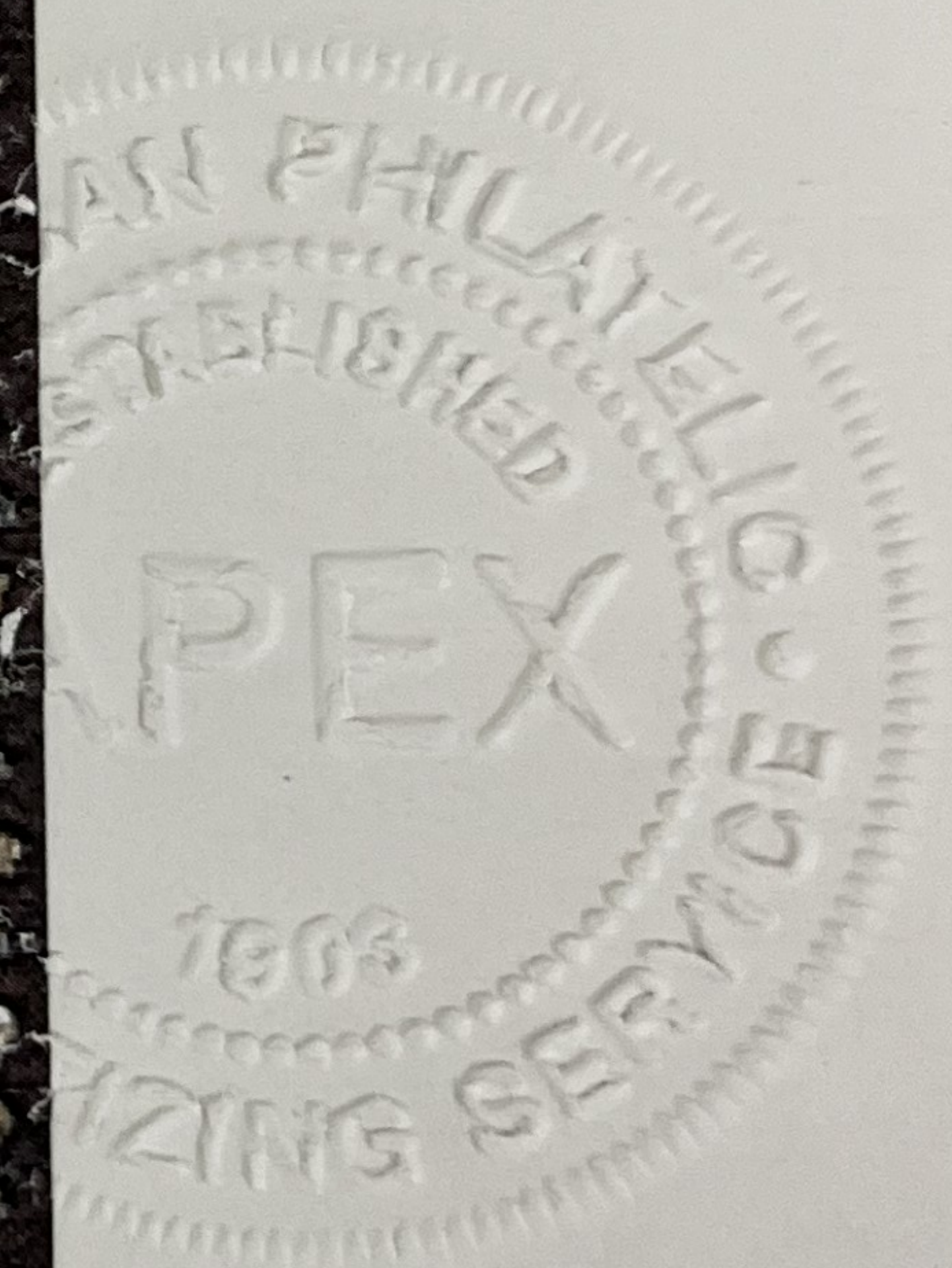


# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 149, used, genuine, light soiling.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **166874**

*C. Merica BSA*

(Administrator Signature)

Date: **1/25/2006**

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No. 00096933

5/1/2003



## Professional Stamp Experts

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### Authentication Committee


We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

Cat #	Issue	Denom.	Color
US#151	1870	12c	Dull violet

"it is genuine used, with light corner crease at lower right."



96933

  
For The Expert Committee





No. 00096934

5/1/2003



## **Professional Stamp Experts**

P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

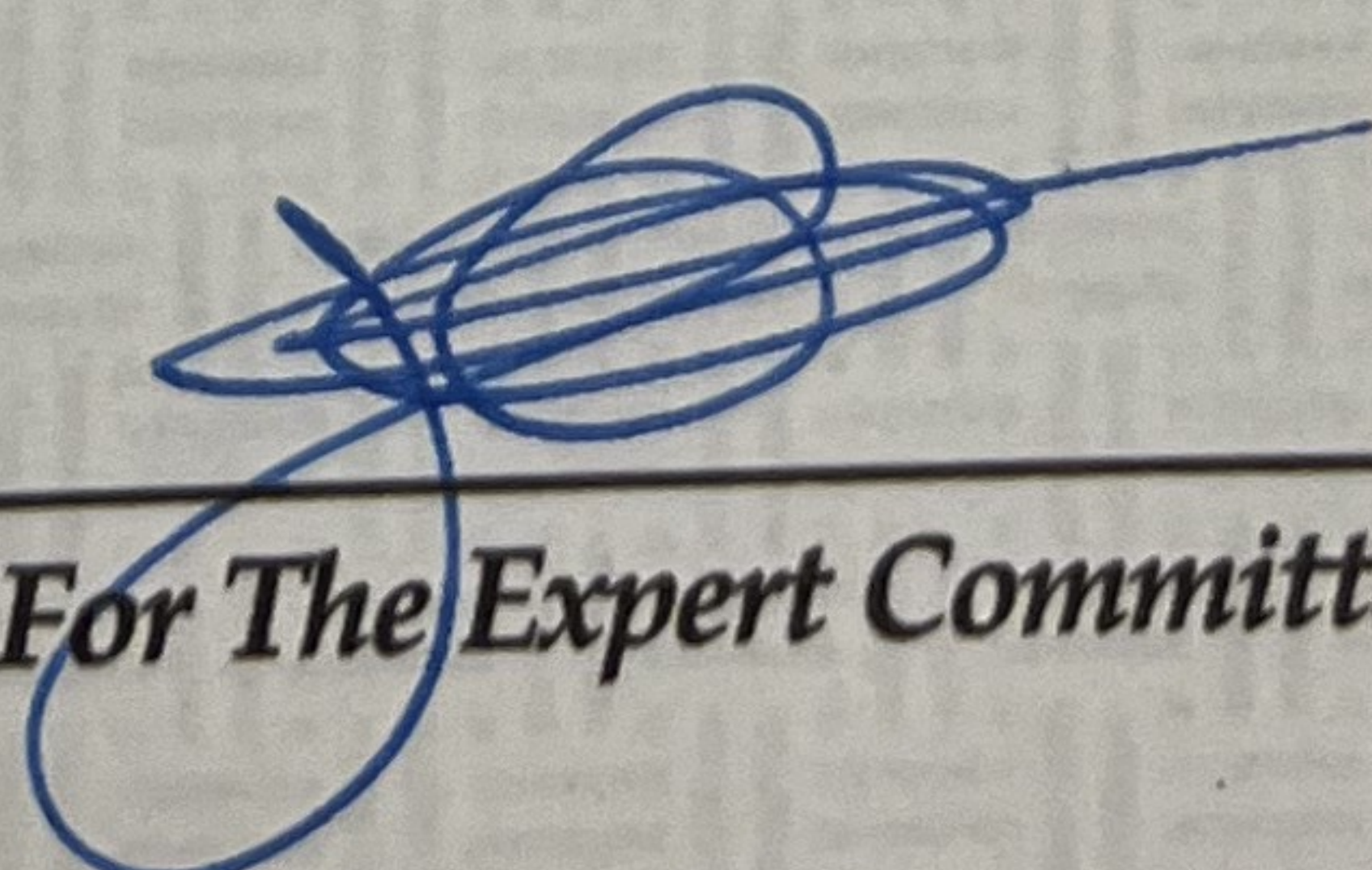
### *Authentication Committee*

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

<b>Cat #</b>	<b>Issue</b>	<b>Denom.</b>	<b>Color</b>
<b>US#152</b>	<b>1870</b>	<b>15c</b>	<b>Bright orange</b>

"it is genuine used."



  
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*For The Expert Committee*





No. 00096935



5/1/2003

## **Professional Stamp Experts**

P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

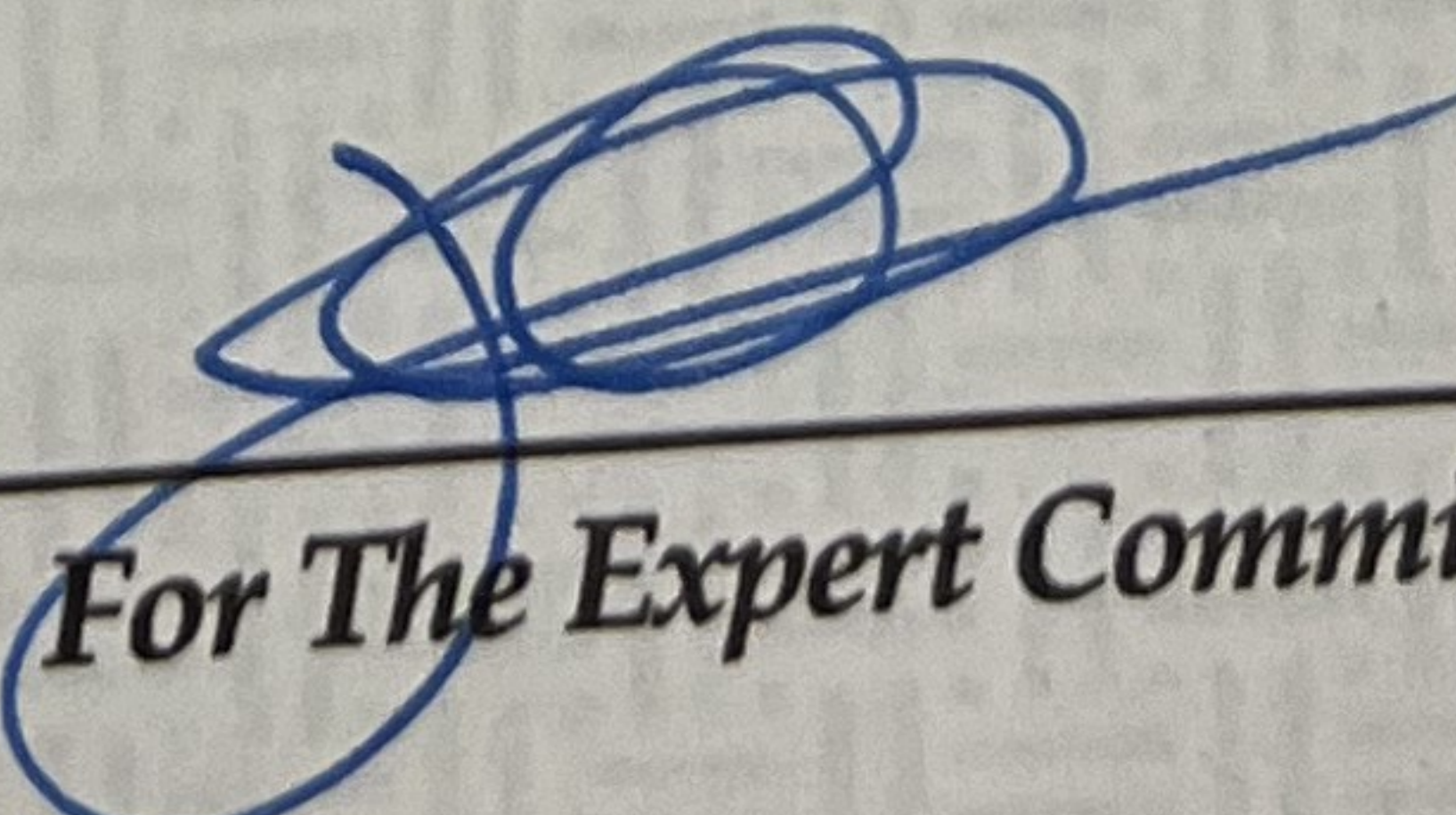
### *Authentication Committee*

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

<b>Cat #</b>	<b>Issue</b>	<b>Denom.</b>	<b>Color</b>
<b>US#153</b>	<b>1870</b>	<b>24c</b>	<b>Purple</b>

"it is genuine used, with black cork and red transit cancels and small paper wrinkle at left."



  
\_\_\_\_\_  
*For The Expert Committee*





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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0247647  
10/18/91

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Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

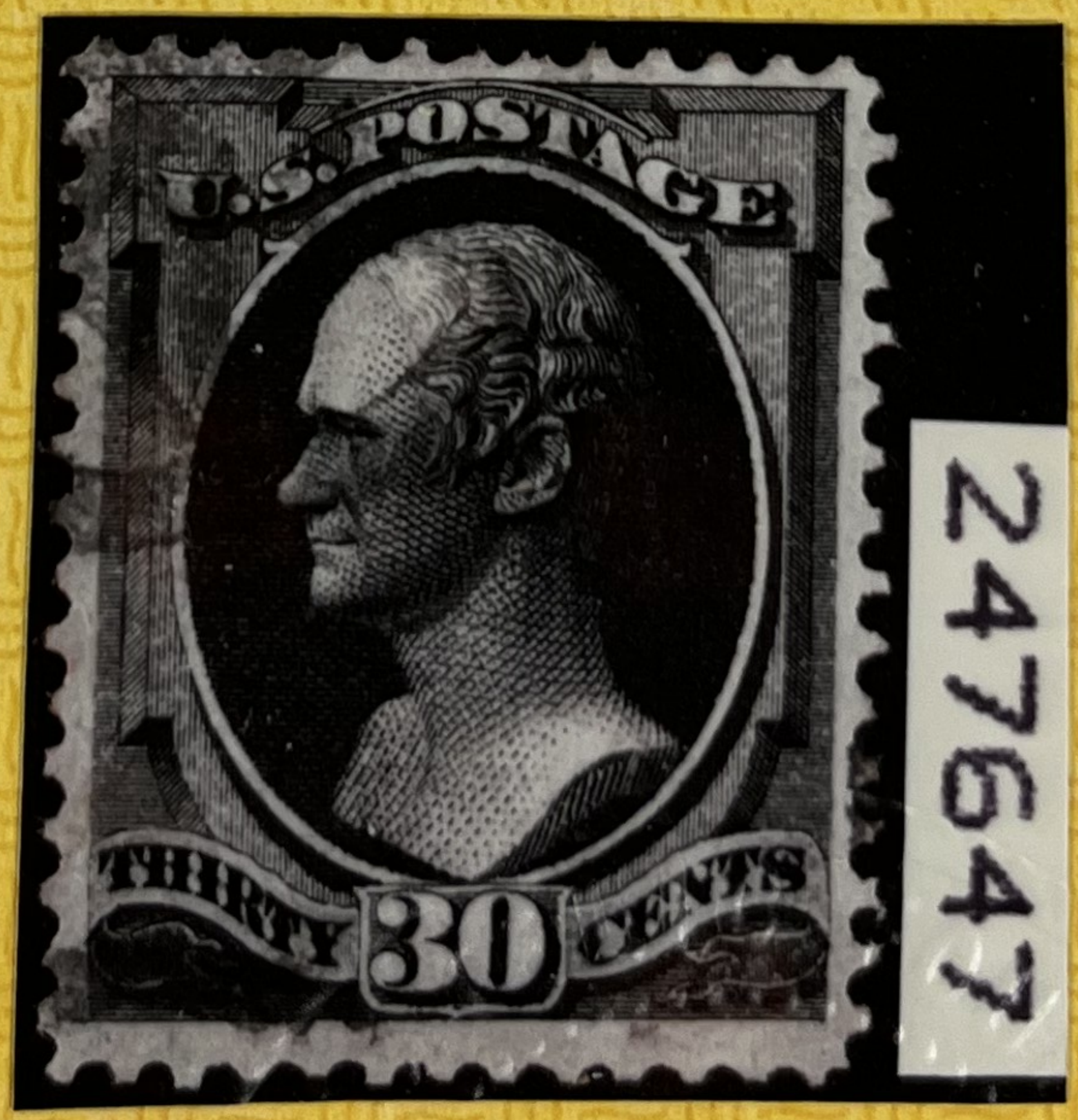
<u>Cat. No.</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Denom.</u>	<u>Color</u>
154	1870-71	30¢	black

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE\* \* \* \* \*



247647

For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

A 105881





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American Philatelic  
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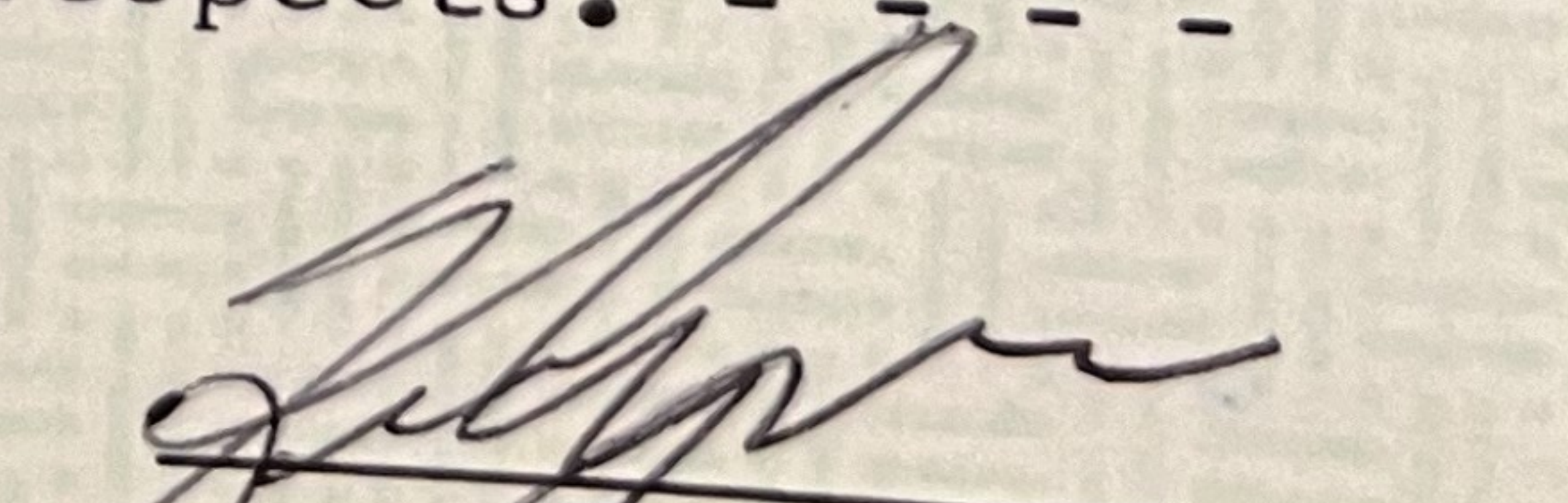


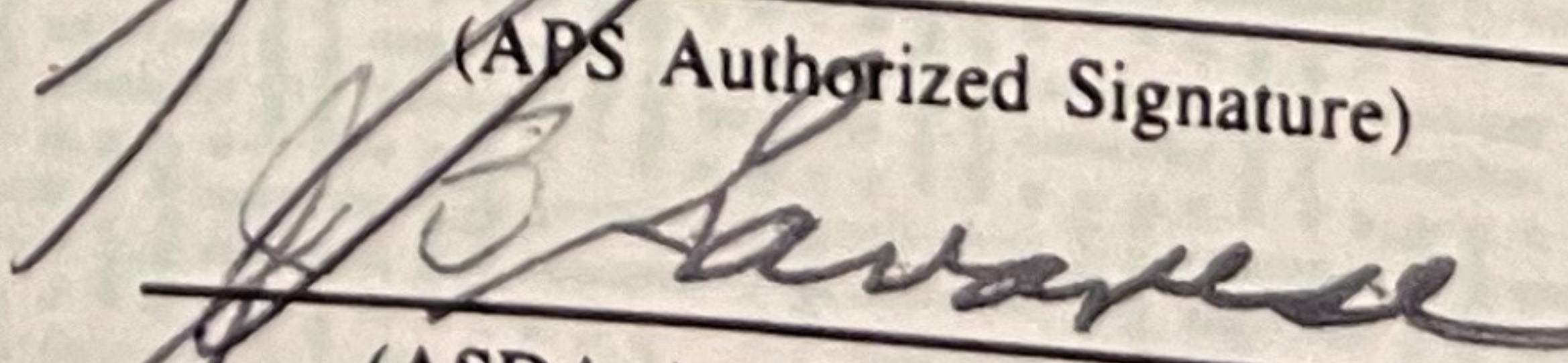
Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is

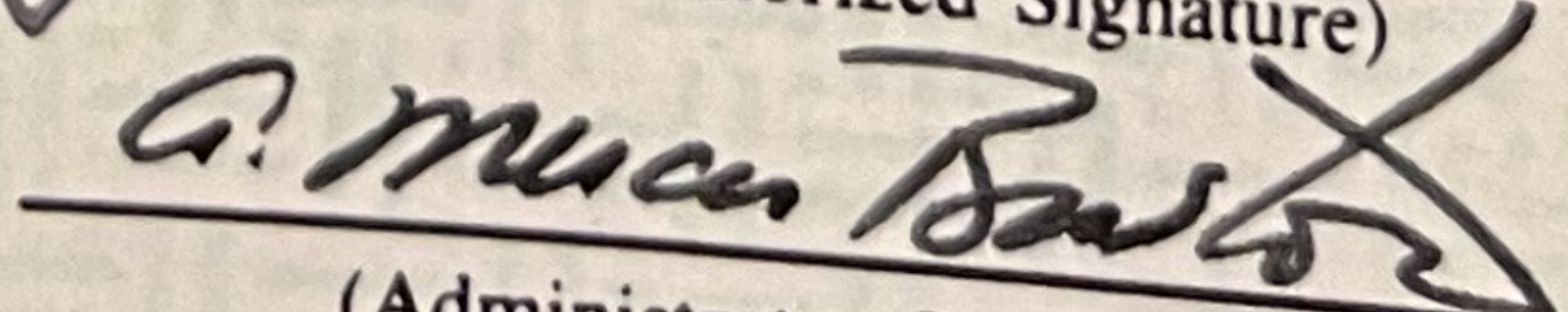
United States, Scott No. 182, unused, original gum, previously hinged, genuine in all respects. - - - -

Date

JUL 23 1991

  
(APS Authorized Signature)

  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)

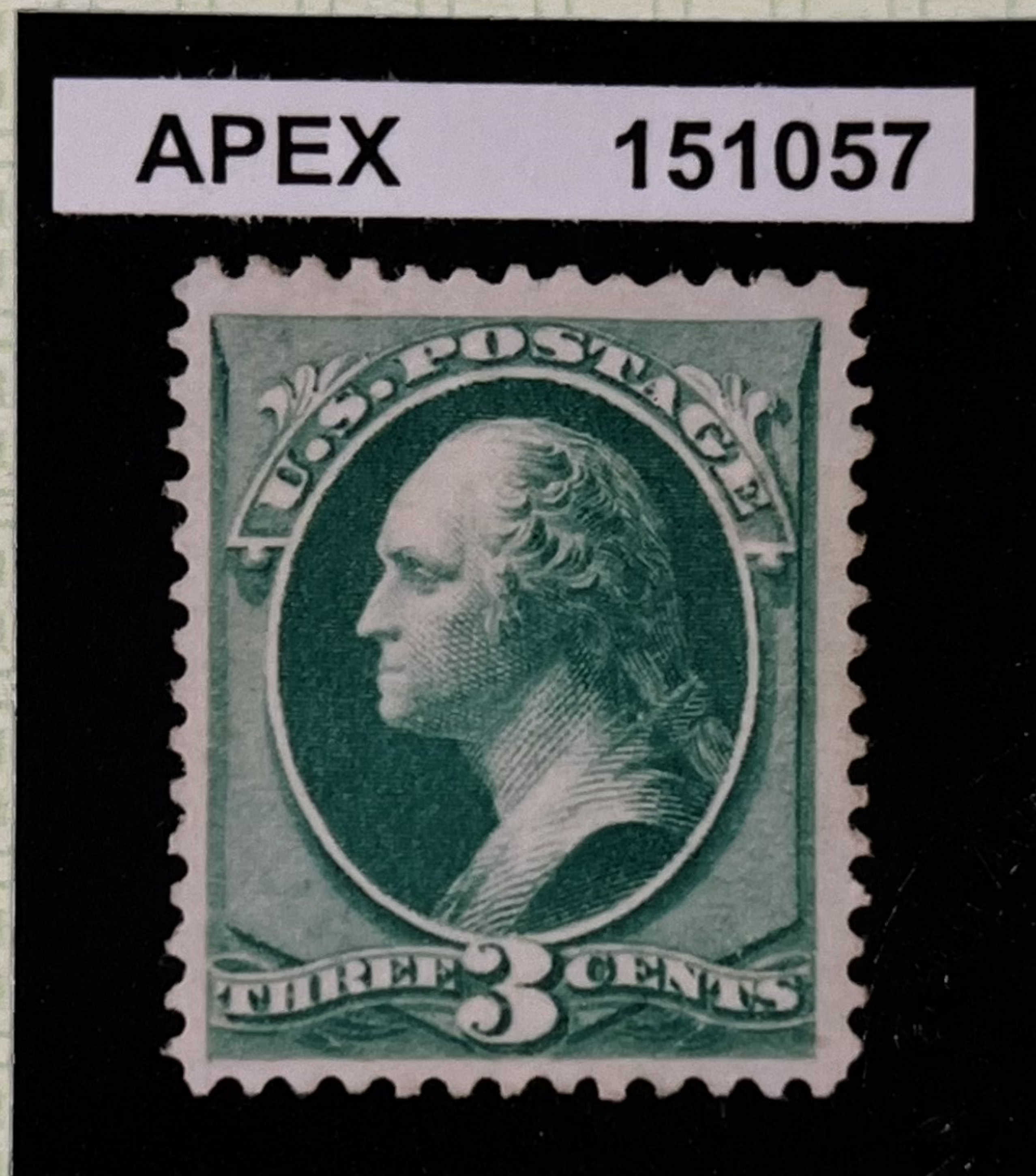


# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 184, unused, original gum, previously hinged, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **151057**

*G. Mercer Bush*

(Administrator Signature)

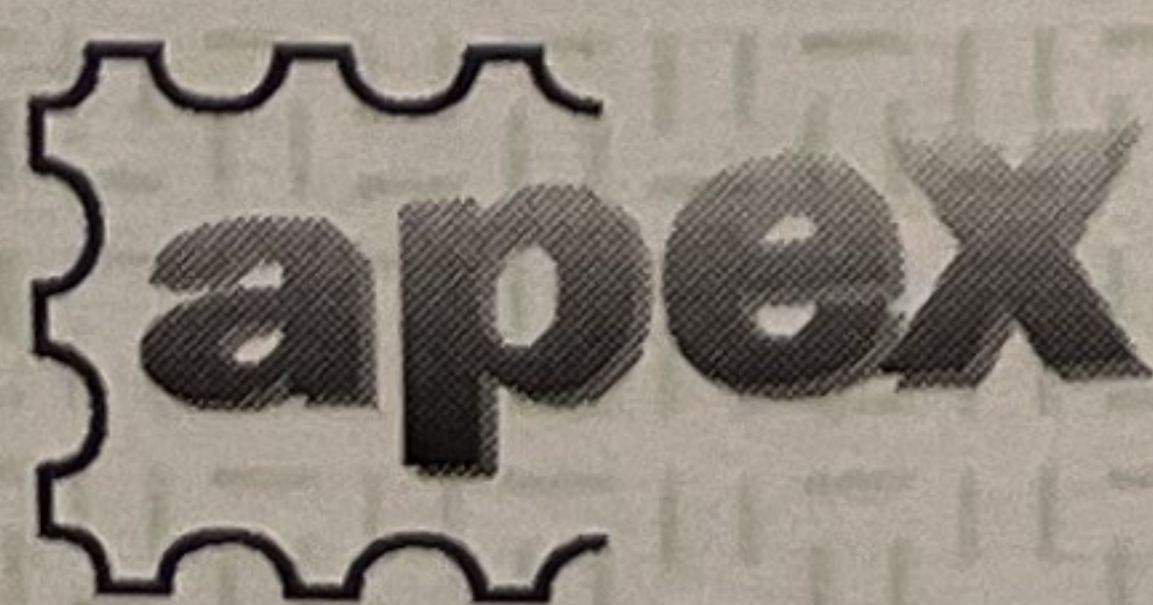
Date: **OCT 16, 2003**

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No. 00090222

12/4/02



## Professional Stamp Experts

P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

### Authentication Committee

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

Cat #	Issue	Denom.	Color
US#212	1887	1c	Ultramarine

**GRADE: GD 30, Mint, OG**

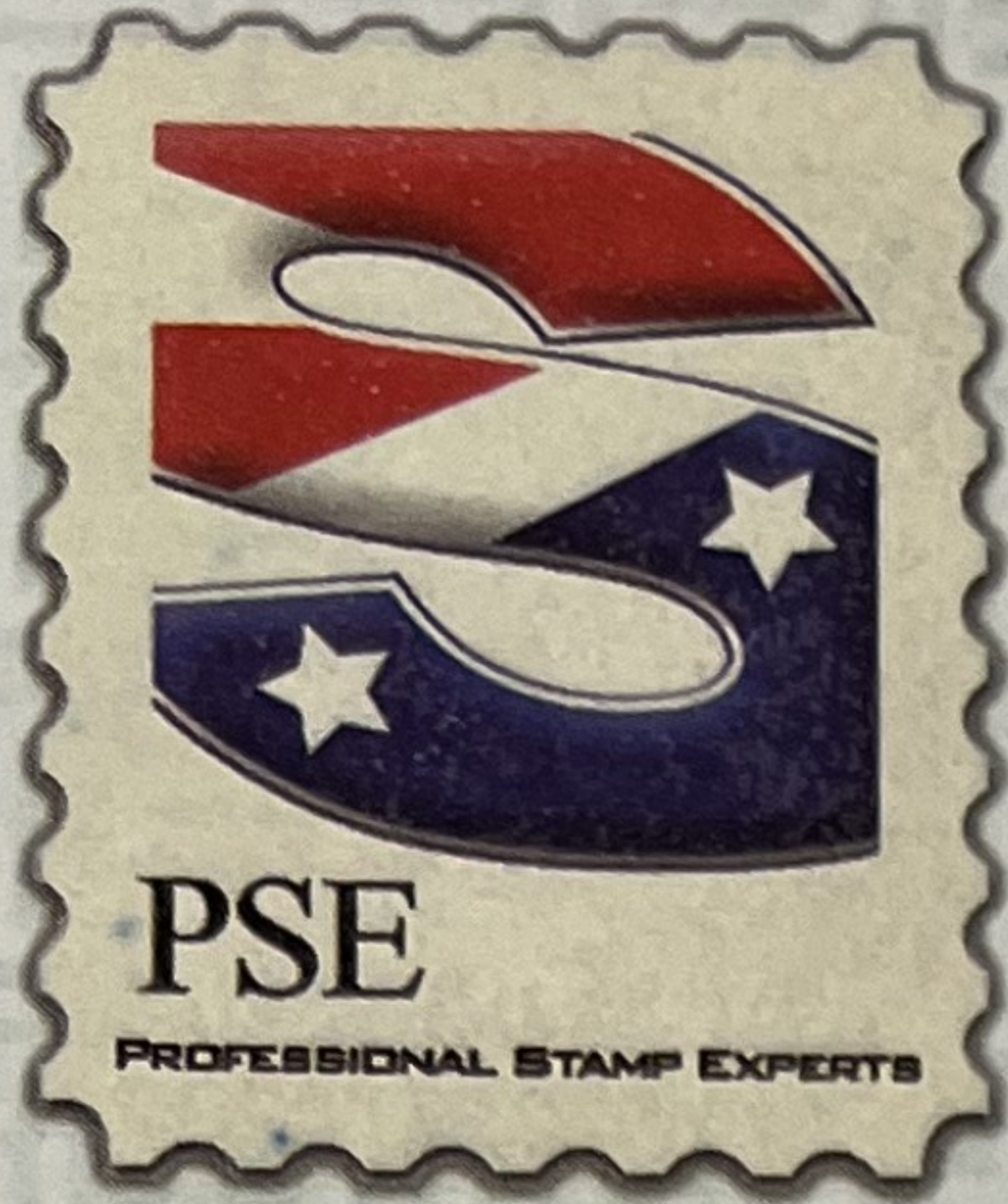
"it is genuine unused, o.g., previously hinged, with facial repair just above numeral 1."



90222

  
For The Expert Committee





No. 00093294



2/11/2003

## **Professional Stamp Experts**

P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

### *Authentication Committee*

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

<u>Cat #</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Denom.</u>	<u>Color</u>
US#213	1887	2c	Green

"it is genuine unused, o.g., previously hinged with natural paper inclusion at left."

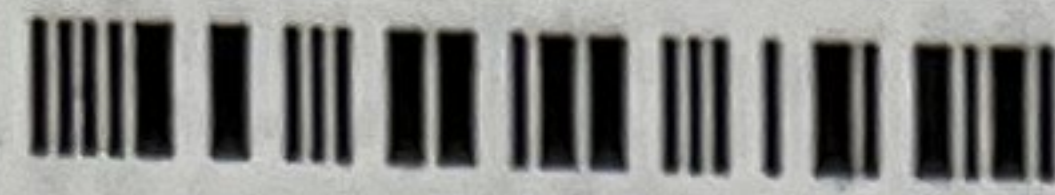


  
For The Expert Committee





No. 00093295



2/11/2003

## **Professional Stamp Experts**

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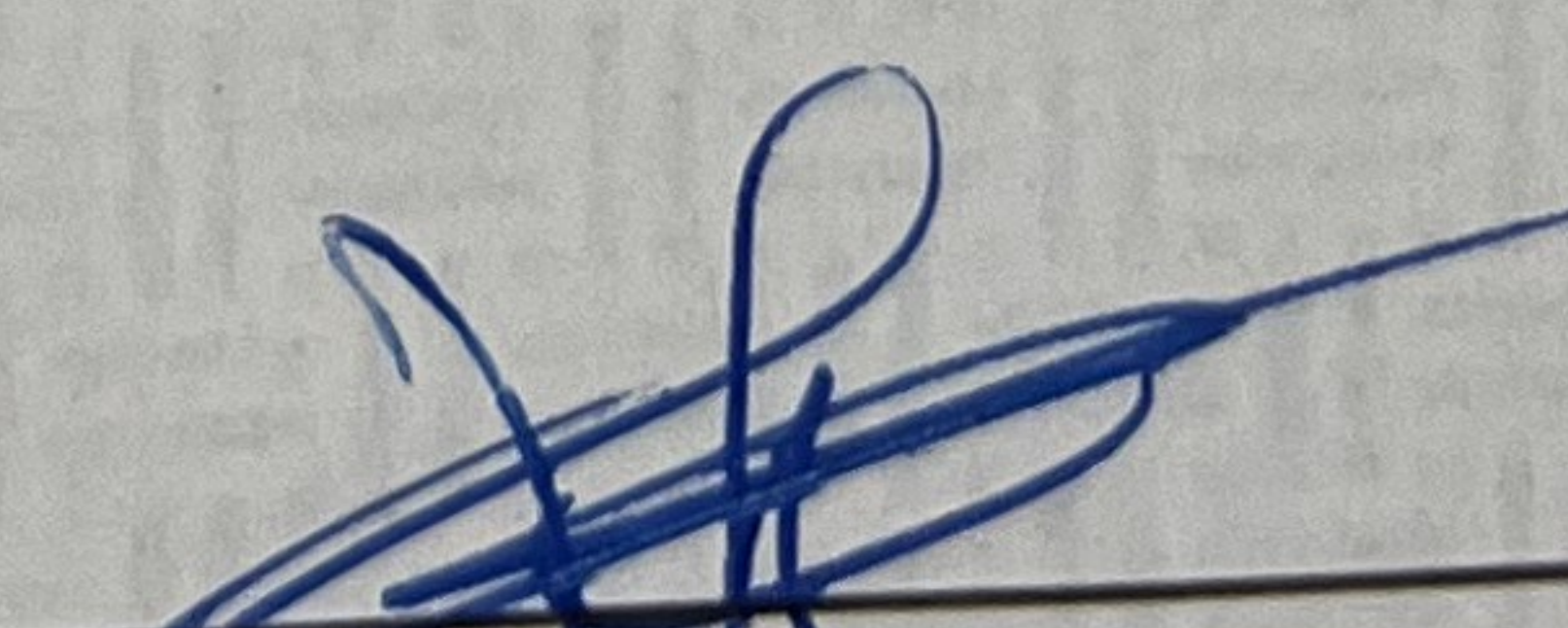
### *Authentication Committee*

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

Cat #	Issue	Denom.	Color
US#214	1887	3c	Vermilion

"it is genuine unused, o.g., previously hinged."



  
For The Expert Committee





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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0229910  
8/28/90

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>
216	1888	5¢	indigo

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE PREVIOUSLY HINGED TONED AND WITH A  
SMALL REPAIRED TEAR AT TOP RIGHT \* \* \* \* \*

*can't be seen 10x*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A85424





THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No 238102  
3/06/91

We have examined the enclosed item, of which a photo-  
graph is attached, and described by the applicant as follows:

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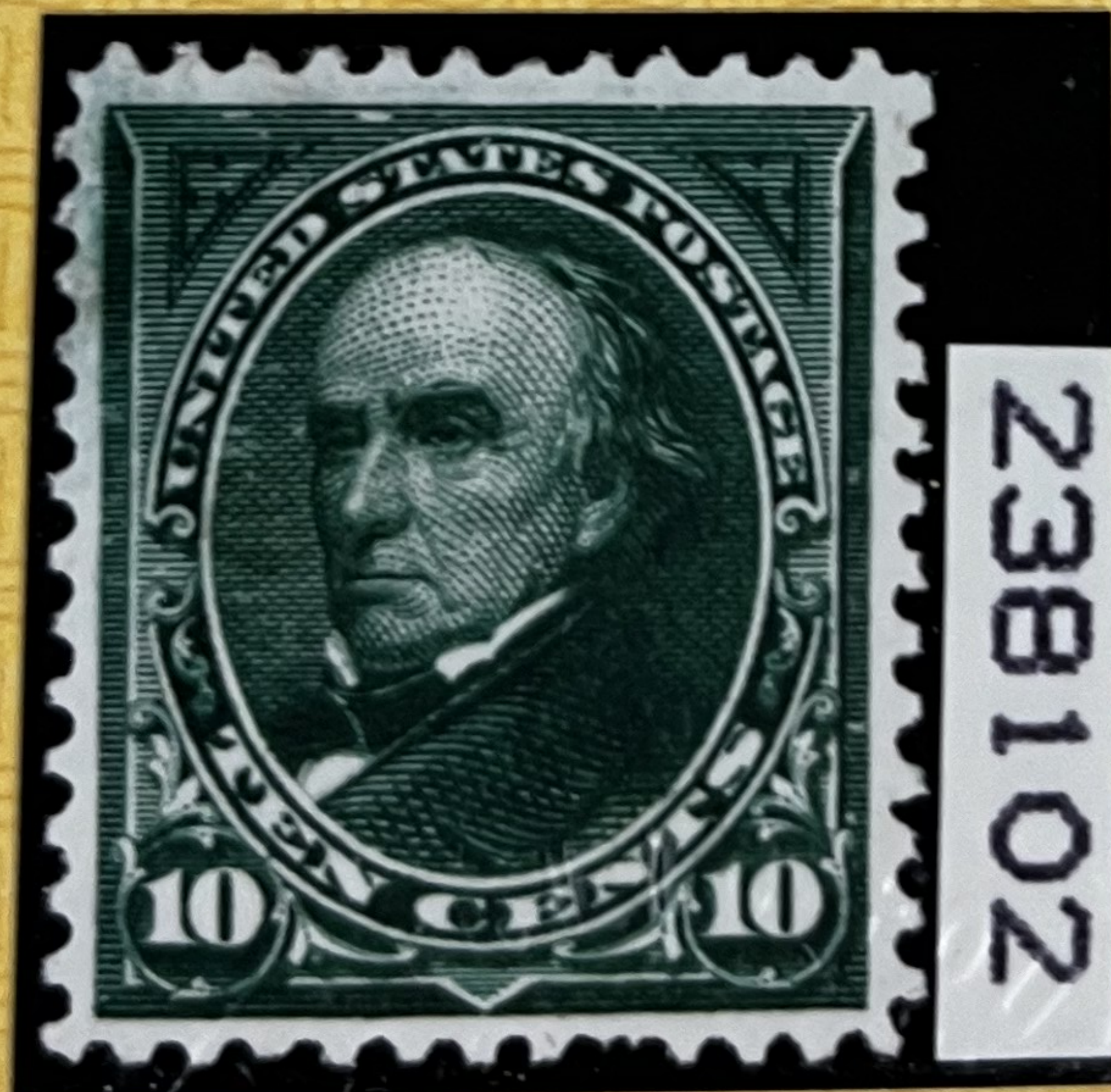
Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
258	1894	10¢	dark green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE PREVIOUSLY HINGED AND LIGHTLY  
STAINED AT TOP LEFT \* \* \* \* \*  
\* \*



For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 093900





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No. 0357703  
8/11/00

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
256	1894	6¢	dull brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



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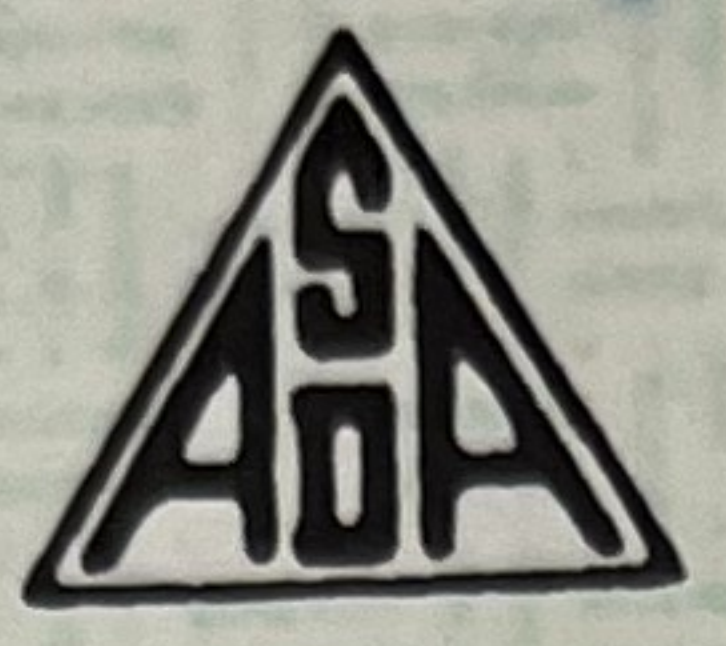
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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Expertizing Service

118596



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 284, unused, original gum, previously hinged, genuine in all respects. - - - -

Robert E. Harb  
(APS Authorized Signature)  
J. P. Lawrence  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
A. Mercer Bush  
(Administrator Signature)

Date MAR 26 1999

American Philatelic  
Expertizing Service

118597



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 283, unused, original gum, previously hinged, genuine in all respects. - - - -

Robert E. Harb  
(APS Authorized Signature)  
J. P. Lawrence  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)  
A. Mercer Bush  
(Administrator Signature)

Date MAR 26 1999

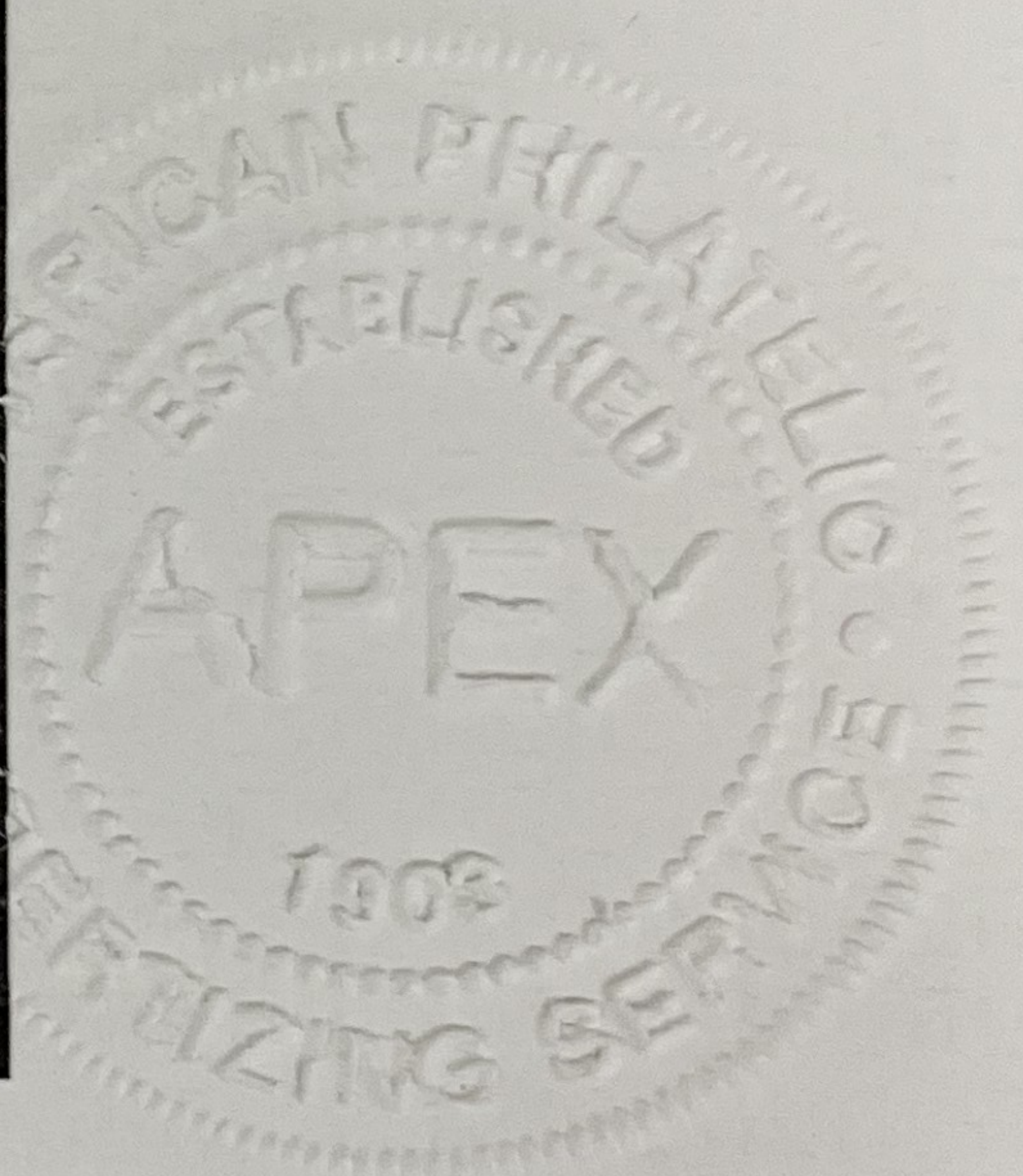


# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 282, unused, full original gum, never hinged, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

*G. Mercer Bus*

(Administrator Signature)

No. **166871**

Date: **1/31/2006**

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No. 0380555  
2/12/02

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
281	1898	5¢	dark blue

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE, NEVER HINGED. \* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

072574

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by

W. A. RADER





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No. 0380554  
2/12/02

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
280b	1898	4¢	orange brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE, NEVER HINGED. \* \* \* \* \*



*[Signature]*  
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

D072573





# The Philatelic Foundation

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No. 0342831  
10/05/99

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
275	1895	50¢	orange

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE PREVIOUSLY HINGED SCOTT 275a, RED ORANGE, WITH A FAINT DIAGONAL CREASE. \* \* \* \* \*

\* \*



*[Signature]*  
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

D 035592





# The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10017

No. 0357701  
8/03/00

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
274	1895	15¢	dark blue

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

047683

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.



# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 273, unused, full original gum, genuine in all respects.**



*Robert E. Lamb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

No. **129835**

*G. Mercer Bush*

(Administrator Signature)

Date: **JAN 16, 2001**

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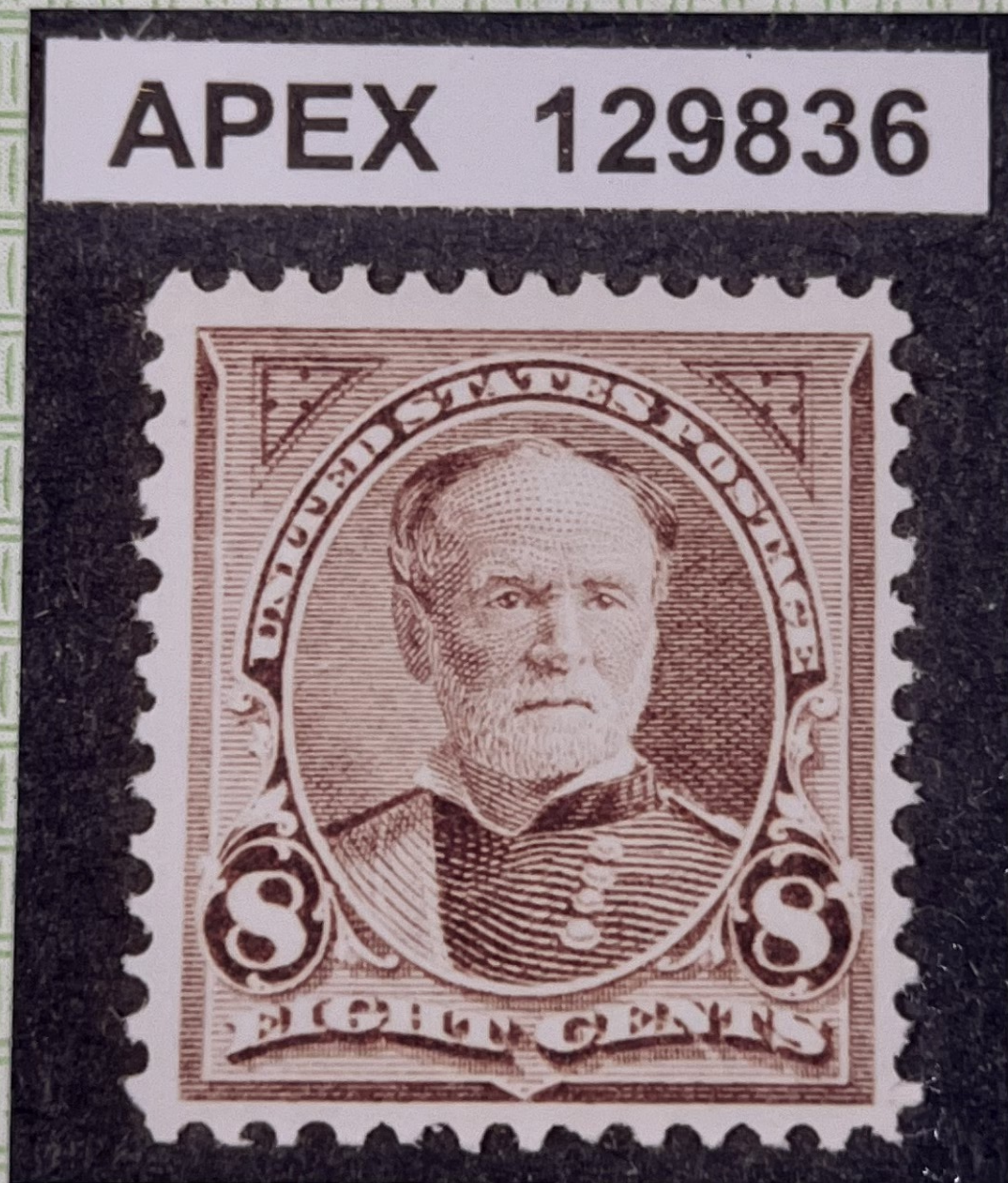
# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 272, unused, full original gum, genuine in all respects.**

**APEX 129836**



*Robert E. Kurb*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

*G. Mercer Bush*

(Administrator Signature)

No. **129836**

Date: **JAN 16, 2001**

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No. 0357702  
8/03/00

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
271	1895	6¢	dull brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

047684

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# The Philatelic Foundation

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No 0342828  
9/28/99

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

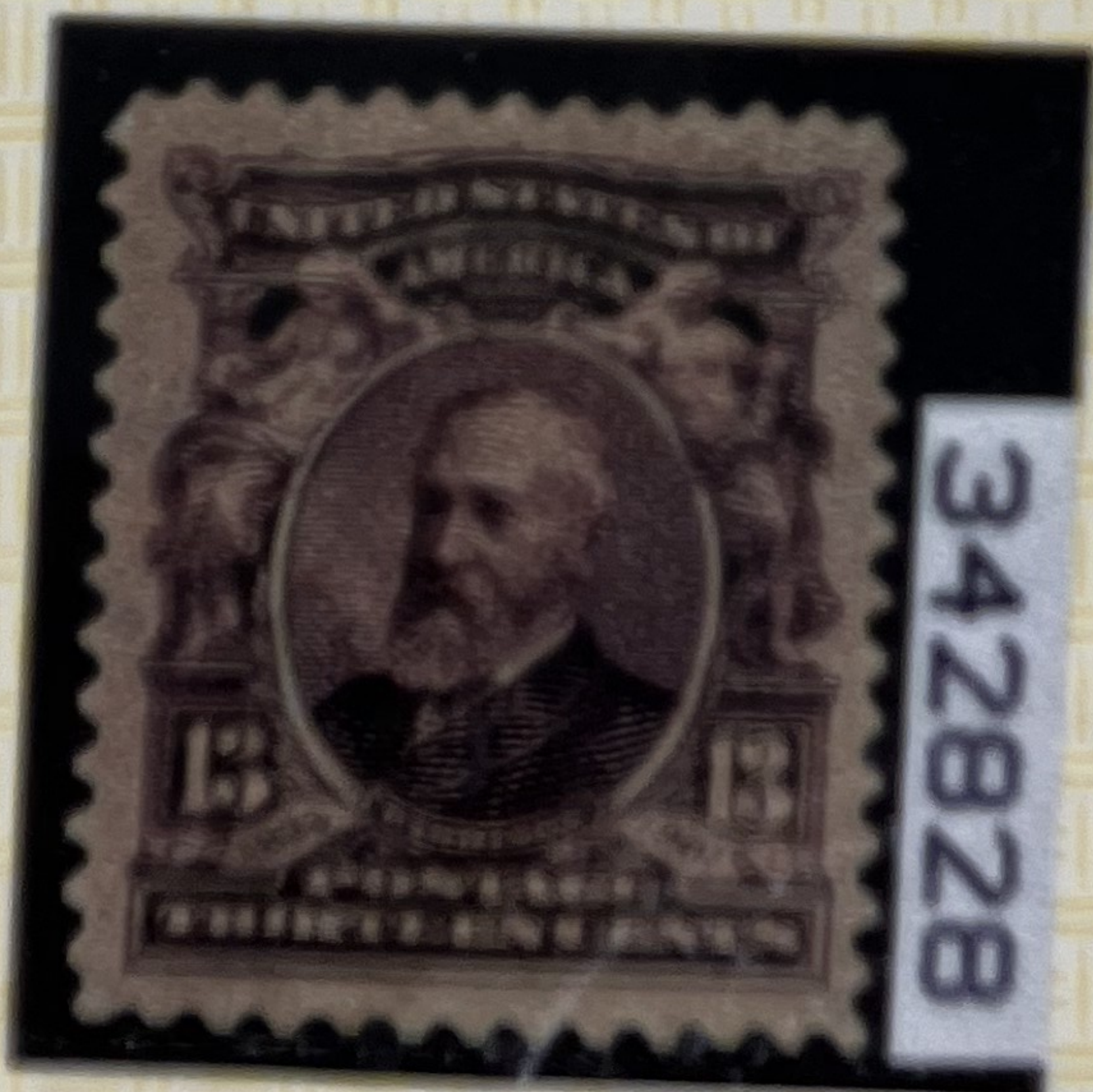
<u>Cat. No.</u>	<u>Issue</u>	<u>Denom.</u>	<u>Color</u>
308	1902	13¢	purple black

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



035116

*Romer*

For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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# The Philatelic Foundation

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No 0342827  
9/28/99

## EXPERT COMMITTEE

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>
309	1903	15¢	olive green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



035115

For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

Submitted by W. A. RADER









LINE, NEVER HINGED. \* \* \*











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# American Philatelic Society

## 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. 1, red brown shade, used, red grid cancellation, genuine.**



*W. R. Martin*

(APEX Authorized Signature)

*A. Marcus East*

(Administrator Signature)

No. **191080**

Date: **3/16/2010**

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CERTIFICATE: 70977



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

**United States, Scott No. 22, plate 11, used, genuine, corner crease. - - - -**

Date

**JAN 8 1990**

*[Signature]*

(APS Authorized Signature)

*[Signature]*

(ASDA Authorized Signature)

*A. Marcus East*

(Administrator Signature)





THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

21 EAST 40<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0230274  
9/06/90

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
14	1855	10¢	green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE\* \* \* \* \*



*R. Rosen*  
For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 85637

Submitted by W. A. RADER



THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

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NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0231225  
9/24/90

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
10	1851	3¢	orange brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

USED  
GRID CANCELLATION.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS GENUINE\* \* \* \* \*



*R. Rosen*  
For The Expert Committee  
ACTING Chairman

A 086436

Submitted by W. A. RADER





The  
American Philatelic  
Expertizing Service



P.O. BOX 8000  
STATE COLLEGE, PA. 16803

CERTIFICATE: 72404



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, variety,  
double transfer of bottom frame line,  
used, genuine, torn perf at right. -

Date **MAY 3 1990**

(APS Authorized Signature)

(ASDA Authorized Signature)

(Administrator Signature)



The Philatelic Foundation

21 East 40th Street  
New York, NY 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0292461  
6/15/95

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
306	1902	8¢	violet black

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

**UNUSED OG  
TOP IMPRINT & PLATE NO. 3570  
BLOCK OF SIX.**

**AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:**

**IT IS GENUINE, NEVER HINGED. \* \* \* \* \***



For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0387929  
8/27/02

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

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Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
257	1895	8¢	violet brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



*W. A. Rader*  
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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Submitted by W. A. RADER



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EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 0337921  
6/10/99

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

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
309	1903	15¢	olive green

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

UNUSED OG

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

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



*W. A. Rader*  
For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

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Submitted by W. A. RADER





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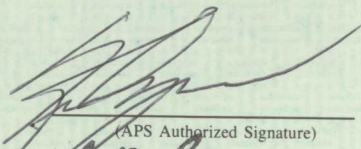
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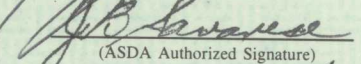
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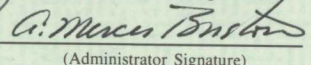


Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is

United States, Scott No. 9, used,  
PAID 3, genuine, toned. - - - - -

  
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(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)

Date APR 24 1990



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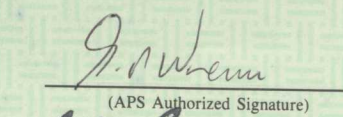
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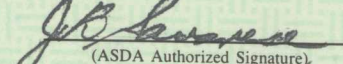


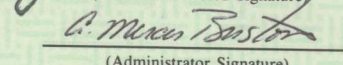
Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is

United States, Scott No. 208, unused,  
disturbed (sweated) original gum,  
genuine, thinned. - - - - -

*can't be seen in solution*

  
(APS Authorized Signature)

  
(ASDA Authorized Signature)

  
(Administrator Signature)

Date JUL 17 1990