



# The Philatelic Foundation

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New York, NY 10016  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No. 550447  
02/08/2018

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
1VAR	1847	5¢	red brown

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

SINGLE. CRACK IN "T" VARIETY, POS. 69R, TIED BY BLUE GRID, MATCHING "UTICA N.Y." DOUBLE LINE OVAL PMK. STRUCK TWICE ON 1850 FOLDED LETTER.

## AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE USAGE, THE STAMP WITH A DIAGONAL CREASE AT LEFT AND A SMALL HORIZONTAL CREASE AT RIGHT; THE POSTMARKS WITH TWO DIFFERENT DATES. \*\*\*\*\*



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Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

For The Expert Committee  
Chairman

Submitted by

FRANK R. POPKIEWICZ





2593

Nov. 1, 1850

very fine copy - 1850 impression

Printed on stamps. One of  
blue inked copy. Some bit torn  
on the cover