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EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed.....

Sainte Daut. 1852,

1/2 a. blue, (S.G. 52), unused.

Stamp, sent by *C.T. Sturton, Esq.*

of which a Photograph is attached hereto, and are

of opinion *that it is genuine.*

FOR THE EXPERT COMMITTEE.



J. H. Wilson,
CHAIRMAN.

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EXPERT COMMITTEE

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The Committee is of the opinion that the

INDIA - Sind Province: 1852 ½a blue embossed, Imperf
(SG S2), used, with trace of red cancel, natural inclusion at
foot, is genuine. *d*



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INDIA, SCINDE DISTRICT, 1852.

I have examined the postage stamp issued by the Scinde District Post Office in 1852, "**Scinde Dawk**" one half anna blue on white paper, embossed, imperforate, Scott Catalogue #A2; Stanley Gibbons Catalogue #S2, unused, a colour reproduction of which is below, magnified to 125% of true size, and am of the opinion that:

The stamp submitted is **genuine in all respects**, unused, without gum, as issued; and it is cut square, with margins well clear of the design on all four sides. There is a minute amount of red colouring on the surface of the stamp, which is not related to a postmark. The stamp is free from faults or repairs at the time of examination. Unused examples of the blue Scinde stamps are very rare.

Sergio Sismondo



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