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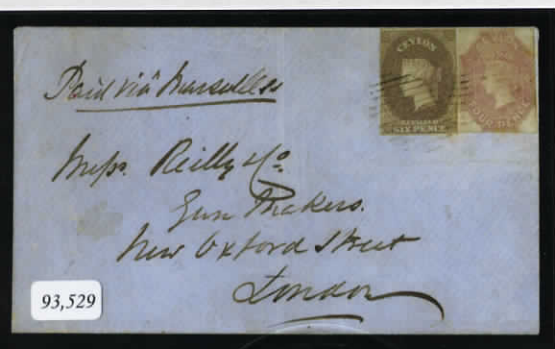
EXPERT COMMITTEE

No: 93,529

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The Committee is of the opinion that the

CEYLON: 1859 (Dec) envelope from Pusselawa, "via Marseilles", to London, franked with 1857 6d purple-brown, on blued paper (SG1) and 1857-59 4d dull rose (SG4), each cancelled by oval of diagonal bars (Proud Type K1), backstamped "PUSILAWE/POST" (Proud Type D2) with "29 Decr/59 Paid" inserted in manuscript, and red London 20.1. 60 arrival cds, scissor-cut in cover below stamps, the cover has been extensively repaired, the stamps lifted, treated to reduce staining - affecting the colour - and replaced, is genuine. *d*



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