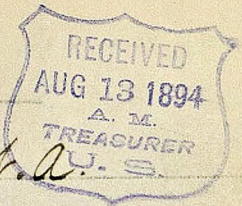


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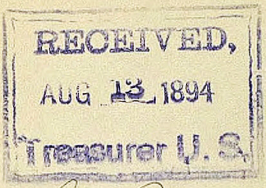
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Treasury of the U.S.,
August 13, 1894.

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