

Basic Detail Report

Title James Dean House

Date late 19th century

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; albumen print on paper

Description An eighteenth-century farmstead consists of a five-bay Colonial center chimney clapboard house with shutters and a porch, plus three outbuildings on the left, including a woodshed. There are chickens in the foreground. A woman wearing a dress and hat stands on the porch. A boy wearing a coat is in front of her, near a man wearing a coat and hat. Also on the porch are four wooden chairs and two toy rocking horses. An open container is in the right foreground. What appears to be a fish weathervane or lightning rod is on the roof of the center outbuilding. The mount is blind stamped with a repeating border design and corner fleurons.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (image height x width): 4 1/2 x 6 3/4in. (11.4 x 17.1cm) Sheet (height x width): 4 1/2 x 6 3/4in. (11.4 x 17.1cm) Mount (height x width): 6 15/16 x 8 7/8in. (17.6 x 22.5cm)