

Basic Detail Report

Title Sam's First Store, Branford

Date about 1890

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; albumen print on paper on cardboard mount

Description A man stands in the doorway of a shop in a frame commercial

building. He wears a vest, a jacket and has a beard and mustache. A sign on the

striped awning reads "S.A.Griswold." Signs below the shop windows read:

"Furniture" "Upholstering" "Picture Framing" "Undertaking." A sign leaning

against the door near a pile of carpet samples reads: "Bissell / Carpet

Sweepers." Wicker baby carriages are displayed in the window at the right. A

sign on the window of the shop at the right reads: "Meat and Vege[tables]" Small

boys, all wearing caps, some wearing knickers, some wearing coats, stand on

either side.

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 5 7/8 x 7 7/8in. (15 x

20cm)