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Inventory No:	SWN.810
Historic Name:	Martin Cemetery
Common Name:	
Address:	Locust St Btn 487 Locust St and 433 Locust St
City/Town:	Swansea
Village/Neighborhood:	
Local No:	
Year Constructed:	C 1787
Use(s):	Burial Ground;
Significance:	Religion;
Area(s):	
Designation(s):	
Building Materials:	
Demolished	No

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FORM E - BURIAL GROUNDS
MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary, State House, Boston

Religious affiliation

EDWARD SOUZA

Owner 425 LOCUST ST.

Who has further information about burial ground?

Town Clerk

(Address)

What type information: lot plans inscriptions
gravestone descriptions other

1. Town SWANSEA

NORTH SIDE OF LOCUST ST. ACROSS FROM
Location MCLEOD, 480 LOCUST

Name MARTIN CEMETERY

Condition: Well kept up
(if neglected, explain how)

Neglected

SURROUNDED BY STONE WALL, COVERED WITH
SAPLINGS, DEBRIS AND POISON IVY

MANY STONES TOPPLED, AND SOME GRANITE
STONES WITH NO INSCRIPTION

Approx. number gravestones 25

Earliest death date SEPT. 3, 1787

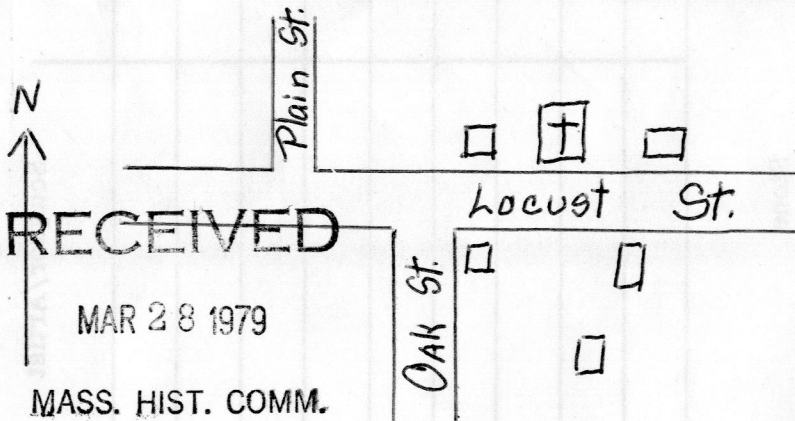
Most recent death date NOV. 20, 1879

2. HISTORY OF BURIAL GROUND

Those buried here were descendants of an early settler.

3. MONUMENTS-Overall condition: upright fallen (approx. no.) inscription legibility

4. MAP: Footage from street ON LOCUST STREET



Name of Recorder H arold And I rving Riendea Organization Swan Hist. Soc. Date July 1978

or MHC use: USGS

Form # 810

5. INDIVIDUAL TONES

A. Architectural or Sculptural Monuments

[illegible]

B. Pre-1830 Stones

Key Words	Status	Last Name	First Name	Sex	Death	Age	Stone		Condition	Photo
					Date		Shape	Design		
		MARTIN	MELATIAH, JR,	M	SEP.8,1792	24				
		MARTIN	MRS.PHEBE	F	SEP.3,1787	41				
		MARTIN	MELATIAH	M	SEP.9,1794	58				
		MARTIN	ANNA	F	SEP.28,1800	22				
		MARTIN	MRS.JOB	F	FEB.5,1802	39				
		MARTIN	ARDELLA	F	JUL.26,1830	23				
		MARTIN	LEMIRA	F	MAR.9,1828	23				