

# Massachusetts Cultural Resource Information System

## Scanned Record Cover Page

<b>Inventory No:</b>	SWN.144
<b>Historic Name:</b>	
<b>Common Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	1332 Gardner's Neck Rd
<b>City/Town:</b>	Swansea
<b>Village/Neighborhood:</b>	South Swansea; Gardner's Neck;
<b>Local No:</b>	
<b>Year Constructed:</b>	C 1900
<b>Architectural Style(s):</b>	Colonial Revival; Shingle Style;
<b>Use(s):</b>	Other Recreational; Single Family Dwelling House;
<b>Significance:</b>	Architecture; Recreation;
<b>Area(s):</b>	SWN.H
<b>Designation(s):</b>	
<b>Building Materials:</b>	Roof: Asphalt Shingle; Wood Shingle; Wall: Wood Shingle;
<b>Demolished</b>	No



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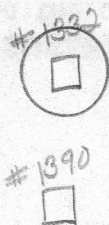


between inventoried property and nearest intersection(s).  
Indicate north

Wilbur Avenue (Rte 103)



Gardner Neck Rd.



Lee's River

Brayton Pt.  
N.E. Power Co.

UTM REFERENCE

USGS QUADRANGLE Fall River, MA., R.I. 1967/79

SCALE

PL - S. SWAN  
GARD  
USGS - FALL

AREA

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Town SWANSEA

Address 1332 Gardner Neck

Historic Name

Use: Present Residence

Original Residence

# DESCRIPTION

Date C. 1900

Source Visual analysis

Style (Colonial revival) shingle style

Architect

Exterior Wall Fabric Shingle

Outbuildings 3 Cabana huts

Major Alterations (with dates) Unknown

Condition Good

Moved No Date

Acreage More than 5 acres

Setting Offset from road by a

long private drive, situated directly on Lee River across from Brayton Point and the N.E. Power Co.

Recorded by Kay Flynn/Kim Valente

Organization Swansea Historical Commission

Date May, 1986



**NATIONAL REGISTER CRITERIA STATEMENT (if applicable)**

**ARCHITECTURAL SIGNIFICANCE** Describe important architectural features and evaluate in terms of other buildings within the community.

This single gambrel home/cottage is comparable to similar structures located next to it. Two stories, with projecting dormers, side porches supported by Tuscan Columns and 2 over 1 windows.

**HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE** Explain the role owners played in local or state history and how the building relates to the development of the community.

The significance lies in the section of Gardners Neck in which this house is located. It was one of the first areas in town to be inhabited by natives and in the early 20th century, became the area of Swansea for substantial summer, year-round homes and cottages.

**BIBLIOGRAPHY and/or REFERENCES**