



**67-022-07 Berwyn Heights Schoolhouse**

**5814 Ruatan Street**

**Berwyn Heights**

Constructed by builder Charles M. Lightbown in 1922 (see also Historic Site 68-013-08) this substantial two-room frame schoolhouse has banks of windows in the gable ends and rests on a high rusticated concrete block foundation. It is clad in German siding and has a large basement. Built to replace a nineteenth century schoolhouse in the railroad suburb of Berwyn Heights, it was used as a school until 1958. It has served as a residence since the 1970s. A cornerstone in the southwest corner reads "B. H. S. December 19, 1922."