



68-013-08 Charles M. Lightbown Building

3842-3856 34th Street

Mount Rainier

Built in 1927, by and for builder Charles M. Lightbown, this two-story, five bay, mixed-use building with sheet metal cornices has brick pilasters with concrete bases and capitals. The Lightbown Building is a rare example of an intact early twentieth-century mixed-use building in the county; the dual uses of first-story commercial space and second-story residential remain today. Lightbown also built the Berwyn Heights Schoolhouse (see Historic Site 67-022-07).