

GENERAL

HISTORIC NAME: Ackerman House

COMMON NAME:

LOCATION: 222 Doremus Ave. (West side)
(B2313, L8) (Formerly Ackerman Ave.)

MUNICIPALITY: Ridgewood

OWNERSHIP: Public PrivateOWNER/ADDRESS: Walter H. & Myrtle Johnson
same

REFERENCE

MAP REFERENCES:

- Erskine (1778-80)
 Hopkins-Corey (1861) G.D. Ackerman
 Walker's Atlas (1876) G.D. Ackerman
 Bromley (1912)
 Other

RECOGNITION:

- National Register BCHS Marker
 HABS Bailey
 Other

ENVIRONMENT

HOUSE ORIENTATION: S 60° E
IMPORTANT RELATED STRUCTURES:

20th century garage

SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT:

- Residential
 Commercial
 Agricultural
 Open Space
 Other

COMMENTS:

USE

ORIGINAL: Residence

PRESENT: Residence

THREATS

THREATS TO STRUCTURE:

- Roads
 Development
 Zoning
 Deterioration
 Other
 No Threat

COMMENTS:

CONDITION

CONDITION:

- Excellent Good
 Fair Deteriorated

STATUS:

- Occupied
 Unoccupied
 Work in Progress

ACCESSIBLE:

- Yes, Restricted
 Yes, Unrestricted
 No

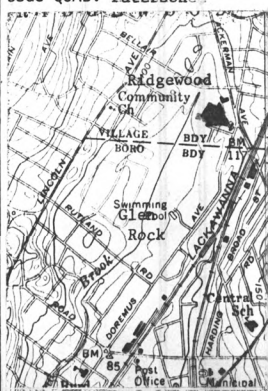
Has been greatly altered. The floor in the main
 unit has been lowered and the fireplace has been
 rebuilt with no physical evidence of its original
 location. The windows and doors have all been
 reset and the facade is stuccoed.

PHOTO



MAP

USGS QUAD: Paterson



DESCRIPTION

CONSTRUCTION DATE/SOURCE:

Probably 18th century/Architectural evidence

BUILDER:

Member of Ackerman Family

FORM/PLAN TYPE:

3 bay, side hall
35'2" x 27'1"

FRAMING SYSTEM:

- Intermediate Summer Beam
- Intermediate Bearing Wall
- Clear Span
- Other Altered

EXTERIOR WALL FABRIC:

Stucco over red sandstone

FENESTRATION:

Altered

ENTRANCE LOCATION/TYPE:

South end bay w/ transom & sidelights
Entry opening 4'6" wide

NUMBER OF STORIES: 1-1/2

CELLAR: Yes. (1st floor lowered
 No approx. 3'0" leaving crawl space.)

CHIMNEY FOUNDATION:

- Stone Arch
- Brick Arch, Stone Foundation
- Other Original is gone

FLOOR JOISTS: Altered

FIRST FLOOR CEILING HEIGHT: Now 9'9"; orig. 6'9" or 7'6"

FIRST FLOOR WALL THICKNESS: 2'2"±

GARRET FLOOR JOISTS: Not visible.

GARRET:

- Unfinished Space
- Finished Space

ROOF:

- Gable
- Gambrel
- Curb
- Other

EAVE TREATMENT:

- Sweeping Overhang
- Supported Overhang
- No Overhang
- Boxed Gutter
- Other

This house, while having been altered through the years, still retains a sufficient amount of its original fabric that it should be recognized and retained. We are therefore including it for its architectural significance, for its association with the exploration and settlement of the Bergen County area, and for its remaining historic fabric. As such, it is included in the Thematic Nomination to the National Register of Historic Places for the Early Stone Houses of Bergen County, New Jersey.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION:

Block 2313, Lot 8 - Ridgewood Tax Map

Less than 1 acre

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FLOOR PLANS
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