

Jackson's Clubhouse
(Victorian Mansion)
635 Columbia Avenue
Cape May
Cape May County
New Jersey

HABS No. NJ-748

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE New Jersey		COUNTY Cape May	TOWN OR VICINITY Cape May
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Jackson's Clubhouse			HABS NO. NJ-748
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Victorian Mansion			
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 635 Columbia Avenue			
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1872		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Stephen Decatur Button	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) A fine Italianate structure, originally built as a private "gentleman's club."			
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Italianate			
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Frame sheathed in clapboards			
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) 44' (5-bay front) x 37'; 2 stories; cupola; hipped roof; 1-story porch extends around 3 sides			
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Over-hanging eaves with heavy brackets; porch also bracketed and supported by a variety of columns, including spiral corinthian; 1st story floor-to-ceiling windows with cornices; bracketed cupola			
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)			
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES			
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE			
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE			
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Bassett, William B. <u>Historic American Buildings Survey of New Jersey.</u> 1977.			
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