City, Telephone, and Cross-Reference Directories contain a wealth of information for those researching Atlantic City's past. City Directories include names of residents, home addresses, and professions, along with a classified listing of businesses. Advertisements for businesses are also found in the City Directories. Beginning around 1940, the City Directories include a street and address guide which lists each address and a person living there. Telephone Directories include the name(s) of the telephone account holder, as well as an address and telephone number. Classified listings in Telephone Directories ("yellow pages") include business advertisements. Cross Reference Directories list, by address, each building and a resident. They also include the resident's telephone number, and may include information on the value of the property and whether or not the resident is new to that address.

The Heston Collection has a large selection of Atlantic City City, Telephone, and Cross Reference Directories available for researchers to consult. Not every year is available. Please see the table below for additional information. Some of the directories are available only in print; some are available only in microfilm. Inquire at the Reference Desk to use the microfilm directories at the Library or to see directories that are only availble in print.

For information on remote research assistance with directories, please see the Heston Collection Research and Copy Fees page.

Year	Areas Included	Publisher or Title	Notes
1872	most of New Jersey, Philadelphia	Bessonett & Moran	Commercial Directory only; Microfilm
1874	Atlantic City, Cape May	Belisle's	available online through HeritageQuest (requires ACFPL card)
1875-1876	Counties: Atlantic, Camden, Cape May, Cumberland, Gloucester, Salem	Hammitt's	Business Directory only; Microfilm
1882-1883	Atlantic City	Gopsill's	City Directory; Microfilm
1884			

Atlantic City
Holdzkom & Co.
City Director; Microfilm

1885
Atlantic City | Bard & Shaner's
City Directory; Print only in Heston Room

1885
Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City
Gopsill's
City Director; Microfilm

1886
Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1887
Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City
Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1888
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City
Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1889
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1890
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1891
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1892
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1893
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1894
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1895
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1896
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1897
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City | Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1898
Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's | City Directory; Microfilm

1899 | Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1900 Atlantic City, Chelsea, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1901 Atlantic City, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1902 Atlantic City, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1903 Atlantic City, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1904 Atlantic City, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1905 Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1905 Atlantic City
W.G. Patton
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room

1906 Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1907 Atlantic City, Longport, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1908 Atlantic City, Longport, Ocean City, South Atlantic City, Ventnor City
Gopsill's
City Directory; Microfilm

1909
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm

1910
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's City Directory; Microfilm

1911-1912
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm

1912-1913
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm

1913-1914
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's

City Directory; Microfilm
1914-1915 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1915-1916 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1916-1917
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ocean City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1917-1918 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1918-1919 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1919-1920 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1921 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's
City Directory; Microfilm
1922 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Boyd's City Directory; Microfilm
1923 Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor City
Polk's City Directory; Microfilm
1924
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
Polk's
City Directory; Microfilm
1925
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm
1926
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm
1927
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm
1928
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm
1929
Atlantic City, Brigantine, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm

1930
Atlantic City, Brigantine, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm

1931
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Pleasantville, Ventnor, West Atlantic City
City Directory; Microfilm

1935
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
Credit Rating Service
City Directory; Microfilm

1938-1939
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; 2 volumes; Microfilm

1941
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1942-1943
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
Press-Union Newspapers
Business and Professional listings - Print only in Heston Room

1946
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1950
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1954
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1955
Atlantic County
New Jersey Bell Telephone Company
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room

1955-1956
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1957-1958
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1961
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1963
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1964
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1965
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm

1966

Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1967
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1968
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1969
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1970
Atlantic City, Brigantine, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1971
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1972
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
1973
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1973 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1974
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1974 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 1975 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1976
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1976 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1977
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1977 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1978
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor

City Directory; Microfilm
July 1978 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1979
Atlantic City, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1979 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 1980 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1981
Atlantic City, Brigantine, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1981 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
1982
Atlantic City, Brigantine, Longport, Margate City, Ventnor
City Directory; Microfilm
July 1982 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 1983
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1983 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

July 1984
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1984 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

July 1985
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1985 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

July 1986 - June 1987
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1986 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1987 - June 1988 Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1987 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1988 - June 1989
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1988 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1989 - June 1990
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1989 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1990 - June 1991
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1990 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1991 - June 1992
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1991 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1992 - June 1993
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, New Jersey, Pleasantville
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1992 Atlantic County
Marc

Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1993 - June 1994
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
New Jersey Bell
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1993 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1994 - June 1995
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
November 1994 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

July 1995 - June 1996
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1995 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1996 - June 1997
Atlantic City, Egg Harbor, Hammonton, Pleasantville
Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1996 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1997 - June 1998 Atlantic City, Pleasantville Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 1997 - September 1998 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

July 1997 - June 1998 Egg Harbor, Hammonton
Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 1998 - June 1999 Atlantic City, Pleasantville Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1998 - October 1999 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 1998 - June 1999 Egg Harbor, Hammonton

Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 1999 - June 2000 Atlantic City, Pleasantville Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 1999 - October 2000 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 2000 - June 2001 Atlantic City, Pleasantville Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 2000 - June 2001 Egg Harbor, Hammonton
Bell Atlantic
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 2000 - October 2001 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 2001
Atlantic City, Pleasantville Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 2001
Egg Harbor, Hammonton
Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
September 2001 - September 2002 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 2002
Atlantic City, Pleasantville
Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 2002 - October 2003 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 2003 Atlantic City, Pleasantville Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
November 2003 - November 2004 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print in Reference and Heston Room

July 2004
Atlantic City, Pleasantville Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 2004 - October 2005 Atlantic County

Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

2004-2005
Atlantic County
Yellow Book
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 2005
Atlantic City, Pleasantville
Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 2005
Egg Harbor, Hammonton
Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
October 2005 - October 2006 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

2005-2006
Atlantic County Yellow Book
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
2005-2006
Greater Atlantic City Suarez Group
Hispanic Yellow Pages; Print only in Heston Room

July 2006
Atlantic City, Pleasantville Verizon
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room
July 2006
Atlantic City
Verizon
Yellow Pages Companion Directory; Print only in Heston Room

October 2006 - October 2007 Atlantic County
Marc
Cross Reference Directory; Print only in Heston Room

2006-2007 Greater Atlantic City Suarez Group Hispanic Yellow Pages; I

2007-2008 Atlantic County
Yellow Book
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room

2008-2009
Atlantic County

Yellow Book
Telephone Directory; Print only in Heston Room

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