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STATE Pennsylvania	
COUNTY Philadelphia	
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ENTRY NUMBER	DATE
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SEE INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME

COMMON: The Athenaeum of Philadelphia

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:

219 South Sixth Street (East Washington Square)

CITY OR TOWN:

Philadelphia

STATE:

Pennsylvania

CODE

42

COUNTY:

Philadelphia

CODE

101

3. PHOTO REFERENCE

PHOTO CREDIT: Athenaeum of Philadelphia

DATE OF PHOTO: September, 1971

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West (6th Street) façade and North (St. James St) façade  
taken from Sixth Street looking S-E



The Athenaeum of Philadelphia

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Philadelphia, Pa.

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The Athenaeum of Philadelphia, interior Photo: The Athenaeum of Philadelphia

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The Athenaeum of Philadelphia, interior Photo: The Athenaeum of Philadelphia



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Description of photo: News Room, second floor front



THE ATHENÆUM OF PHILADELPHIA  
THE MAIN LIBRARY ROOM

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East end of the Library Room.