THE WILD HARE & SINGING ARMADILLO FROG SANCTUARY BAR AND RESTAURANT Chicago, Illinois

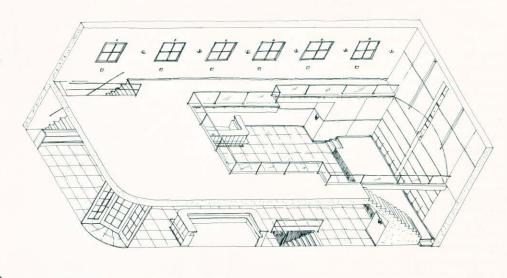
Located in the historic restaurant and bar area of Wrigley Field, this new addition to the existing bar will create additional space for a sitdown restaurant, dance floor, and a stage for live performance.

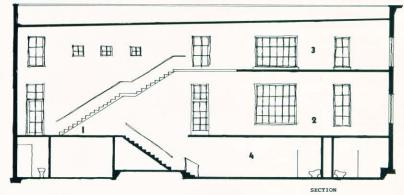
The existing 30' x 50' brick building has brick facing, limestone ornamentations, and copper copings. In addition the building has limestone trim wrapping on the east and north side. Proposed work will add a new 30' x 30' brick structure on the west creating a 80' x 30' atrium space. This large space will be further complemented by a 10' x 10' skylight above the stage area.

The new bar and the restaurant will be divided in three levels. The main floor will be used as a seating area, dancing floor, and for stage performance. The second level will create open balcony space and administrative office spaces. The basement level will be used for general storage and as toilet areas. Bar counters have been shifted to achieve streamlined circulation while serving to the front and the rear areas.

Rustic interior finishes combined with tropical plants create a tropical mood. The overall concept is to create a space that will bring the zest of the tropics inside this articulated new and existing combined building.

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- Stage Area
 Seating Area
- 3. Balcony 4. Toilets and Storage



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Sketch for Private Residence, Chicago. Located on a 25' x 125' city lot, this 3600 sq.-ft. private Victorian house was built in 1890. The proposed exterior work involves adding back the lost details and bringing back the Victorian glory. SKETCH: ATUL KARKHANIS, AIA.

