Architect's drawing

Imagine the Library's Story

Q. Hey dude, what are you building there?

A. We're adding a program room, expanding the restrooms, and there will be office space on the second floor.

Q. When's it going to be done?

A. October or November of this year, 2020.

Q. Can I bring my toy dump trucks to play in the sand?

A. No, that wouldn't be safe.

Q. I'm an author, can I come to talk about my book in your new program room?

A. We would love that! Please call the library at 330-854-4148 and tell us about your work.

Q. What's it going to look like?

A. Here's the architect's drawing

Q. I heard the director's going to have a private swimming pool underneath there, is that true?

A. No, despite his constant requests for one on Twitter.

Q. So then I guess he won't be getting his brass fire pole to exit from his office then, either?

A. No, there won't be a brass fire pole, but we haven't told him yet, so keep it quiet.

Q. Who came up with this hare brained idea, anyway?

A. When the building and parking lot was last expanded in 2004, the architect at the time envisioned two future expansions. Sixteen years later, we're building the first one. It is greatly needed! Ask any of the staff, or board members.

Q. I see it's being added to the back of the Sullivan house. When was that built?

A. The corner of the house closest to High Street was shown in the 1875 Stark County Atlas, so the oldest part was built in the early 1870's. There have been many alterations and additions since then. Here's what it first looked like:

Q. Do they make that in Legos?

A. Not yet, but why don't you can give it a try!

Sullivan House 1870