Large Shelter, Clifty Falls State Park, Indiana

Low, informal, picturesque, this shelter succeeds in retaining the feeling of the typical primitive log cabin of southern Indiana that must have inspired it. The combination of textures, the denticulation of roof comb by the local practice of alternating the lap of the topping-off shingle courses, the squared logs and robust chimneys, are important details. This is Exhibit A in disproof of any contention that a simple structure of character cannot be expanded without sacrifice of its savor.