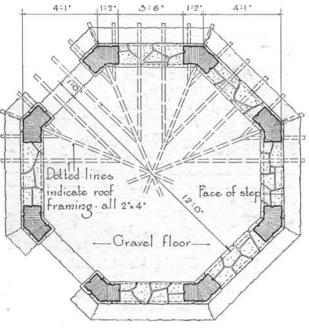
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Lookout Shelter, Meramec State Park, Missouri

It is suggested to all who would build a tall trussed timber lookout tower that they pause and consider on its merits such a lookout as this. It is more enduring and comparatively free from maintenance demands, and very much more at home on a rocky eminence than any wood tower ever contrived. It offers a view in all directions and shelter from sudden storms. The batter at the base of the wall is pleasing. Perhaps the low pitch of the roof and the thinness of roof covering could be quarreled with.