

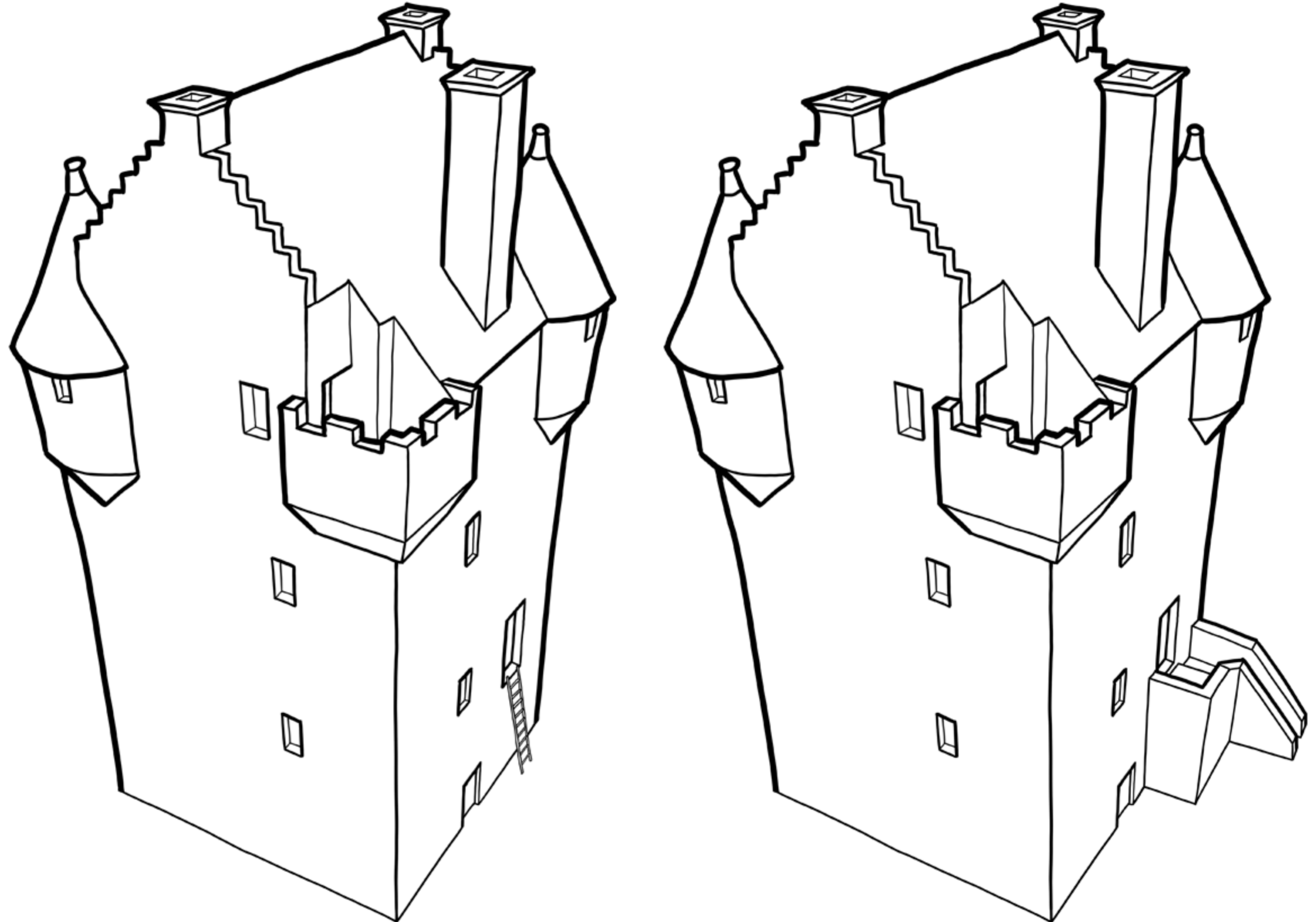
COXTON TOWER

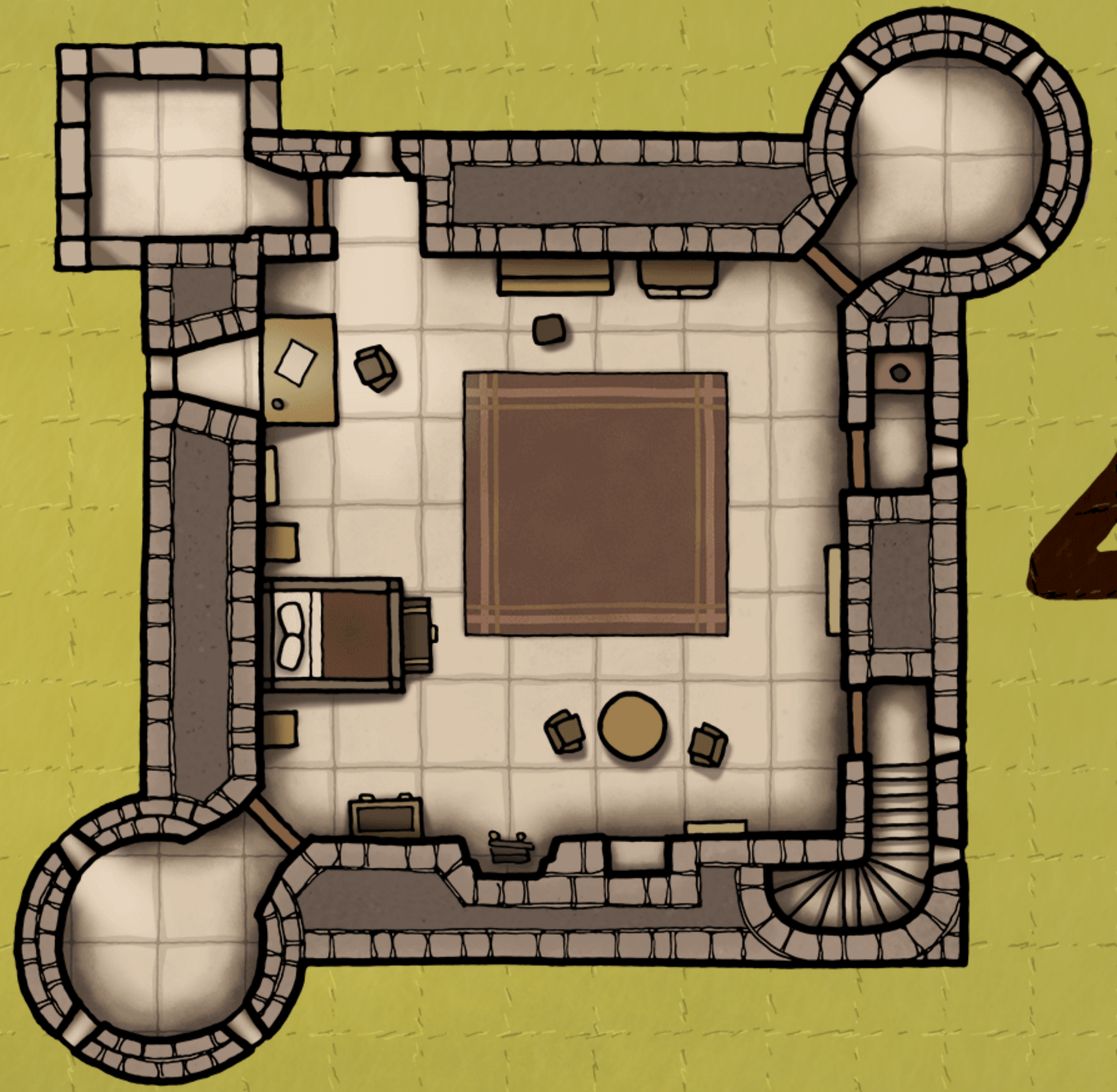
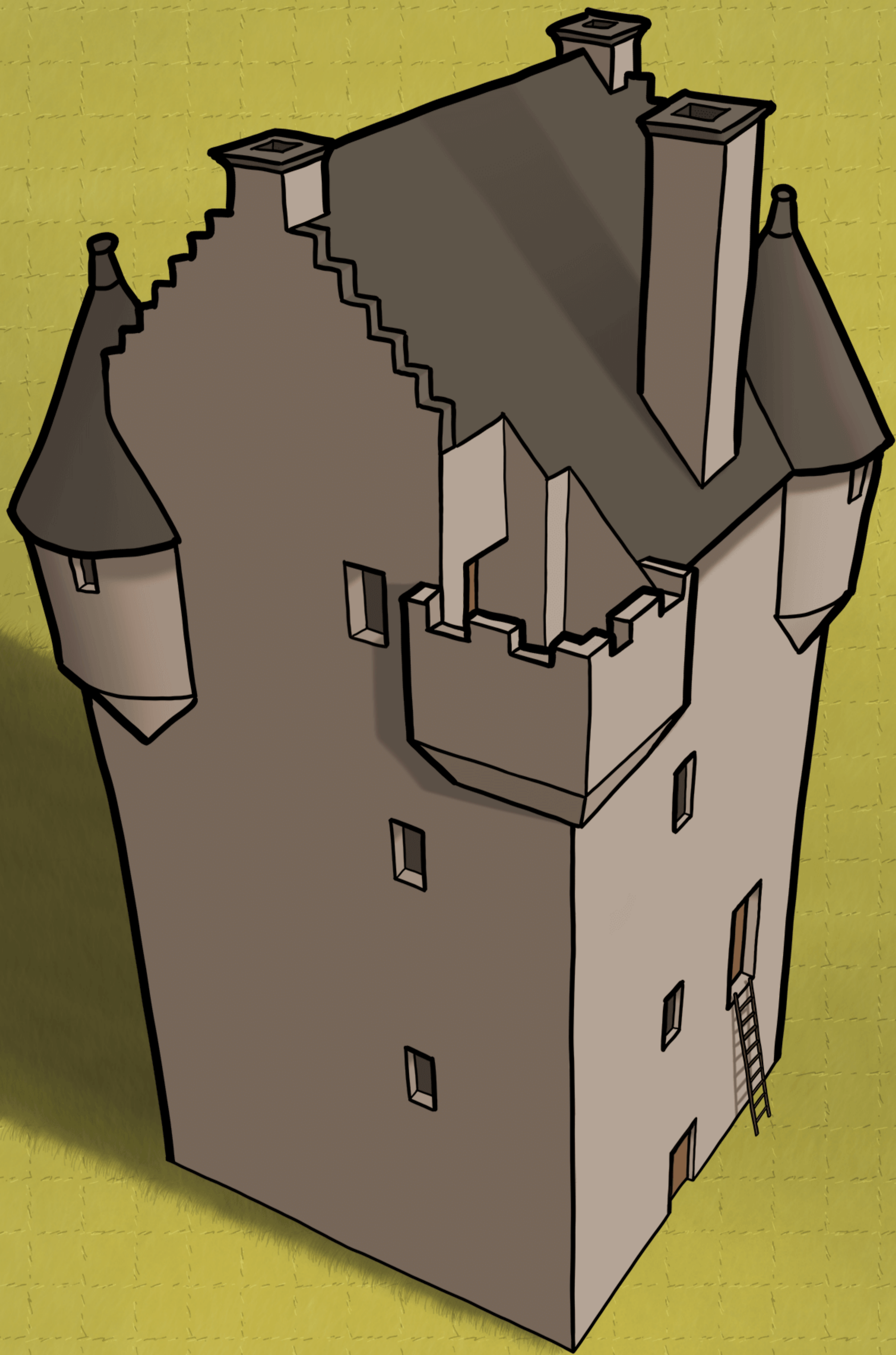
ABOUT

- Coxton Tower is a stone tower house in Moray, Scotland. Built in 1590 by Sir Alexander Innes of Coxton, it was constructed entirely of stone, with no wooden beams or supports. Even the roof is made from stone slabs, rendering the building essentially impervious to fire.
- The bottom floor of the tower was used as a cellar and is separate from the rest, with its own entrance. Only a trap door in the floor above connects it to the other rooms.
- There are two versions of this map, depicting Coxton Tower at two different points in time. One version shows the tower as it is today, with an external staircase leading to the second-level entrance. The other version shows the tower as it was before 1846, with only a ladder leading up to the door.

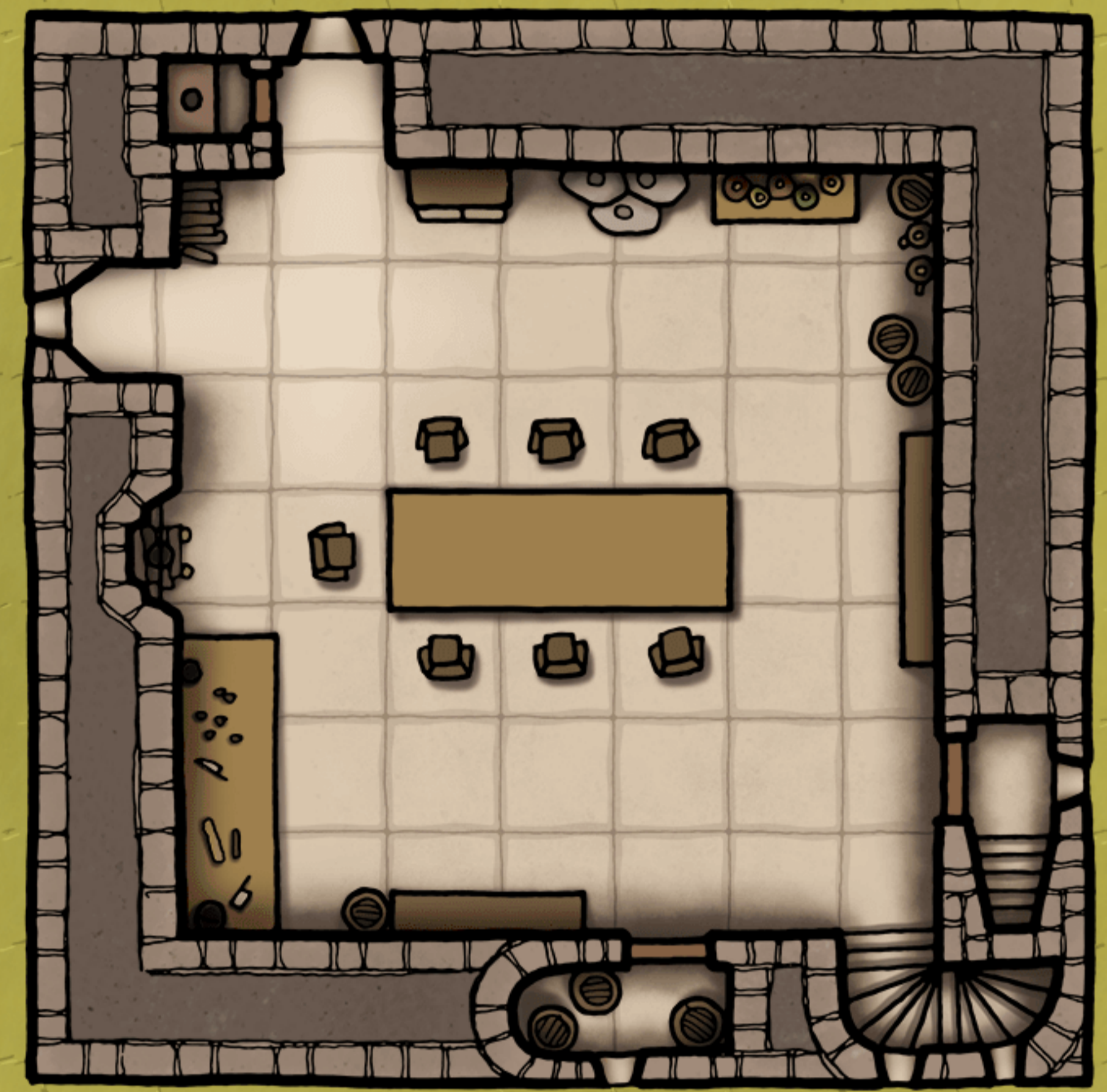
NOTES

- Coxton Tower has a uniquely Scottish feature known as a “yett.” This is a wrought-iron gate located behind the second-level door. A yett is similar in purpose and appearance to a portcullis, but is hinged like a door and bolted shut, rather than sliding down from above.
- The top floor of the tower has three bartizans. These are small, overhanging turrets, used to defend the tower from attackers.
- Coxton Tower was the home of a minor noble family, but it could be used as the residence of a wealthy merchant as well. Alternatively, the unfurnished version could be used as a bandit hideout or an abandoned ruin. Either version might also make a good residence for the party.





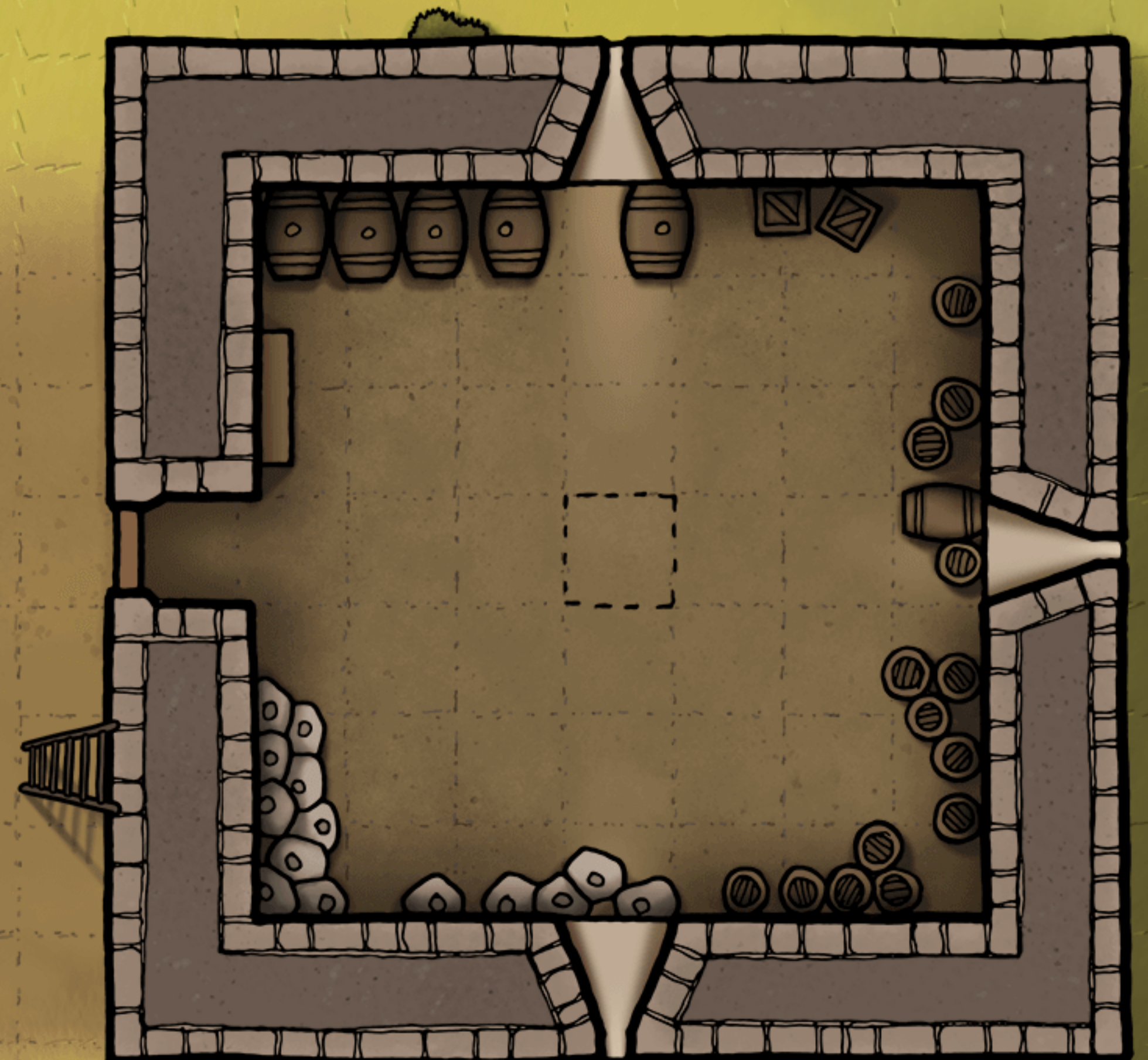
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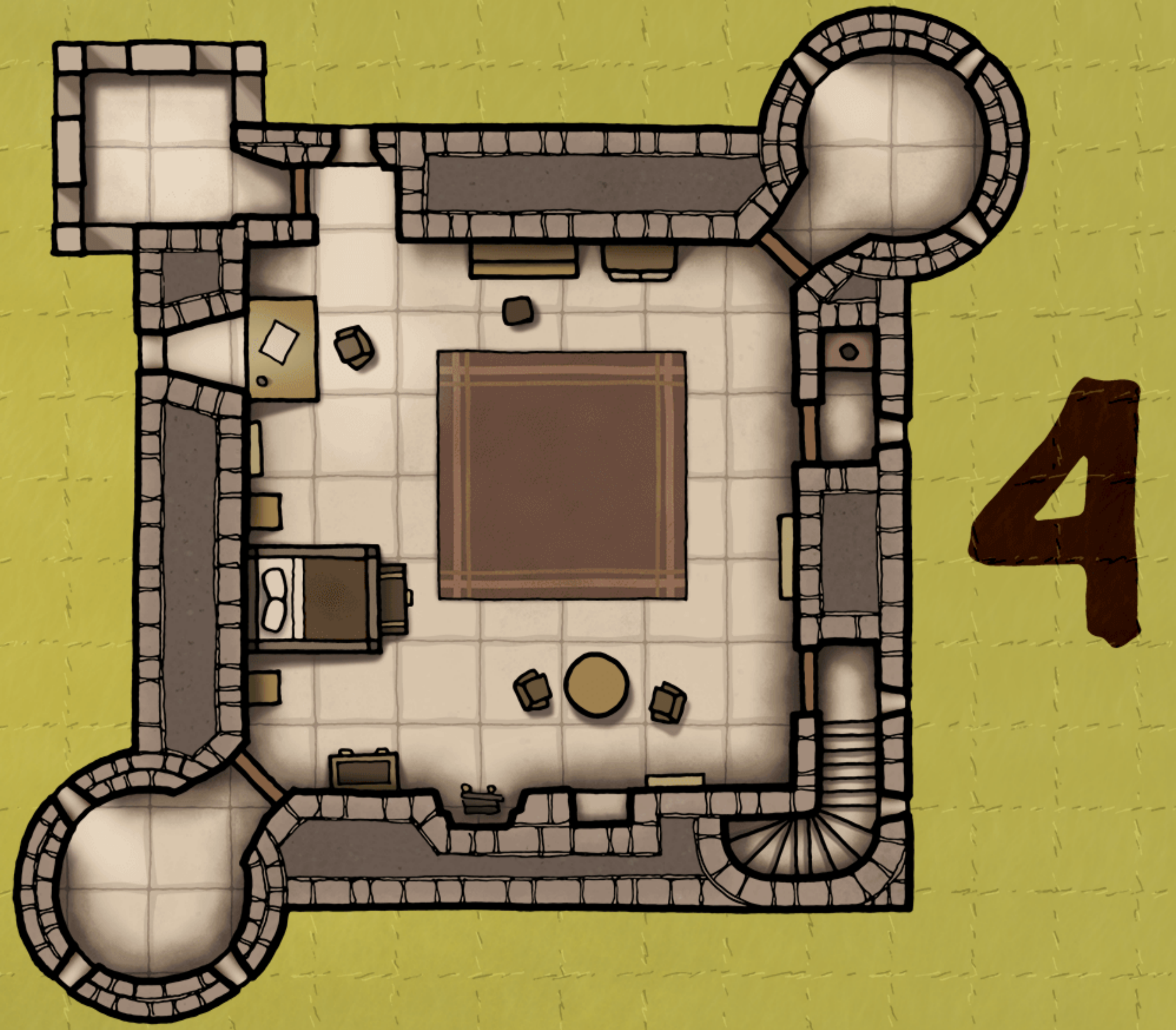
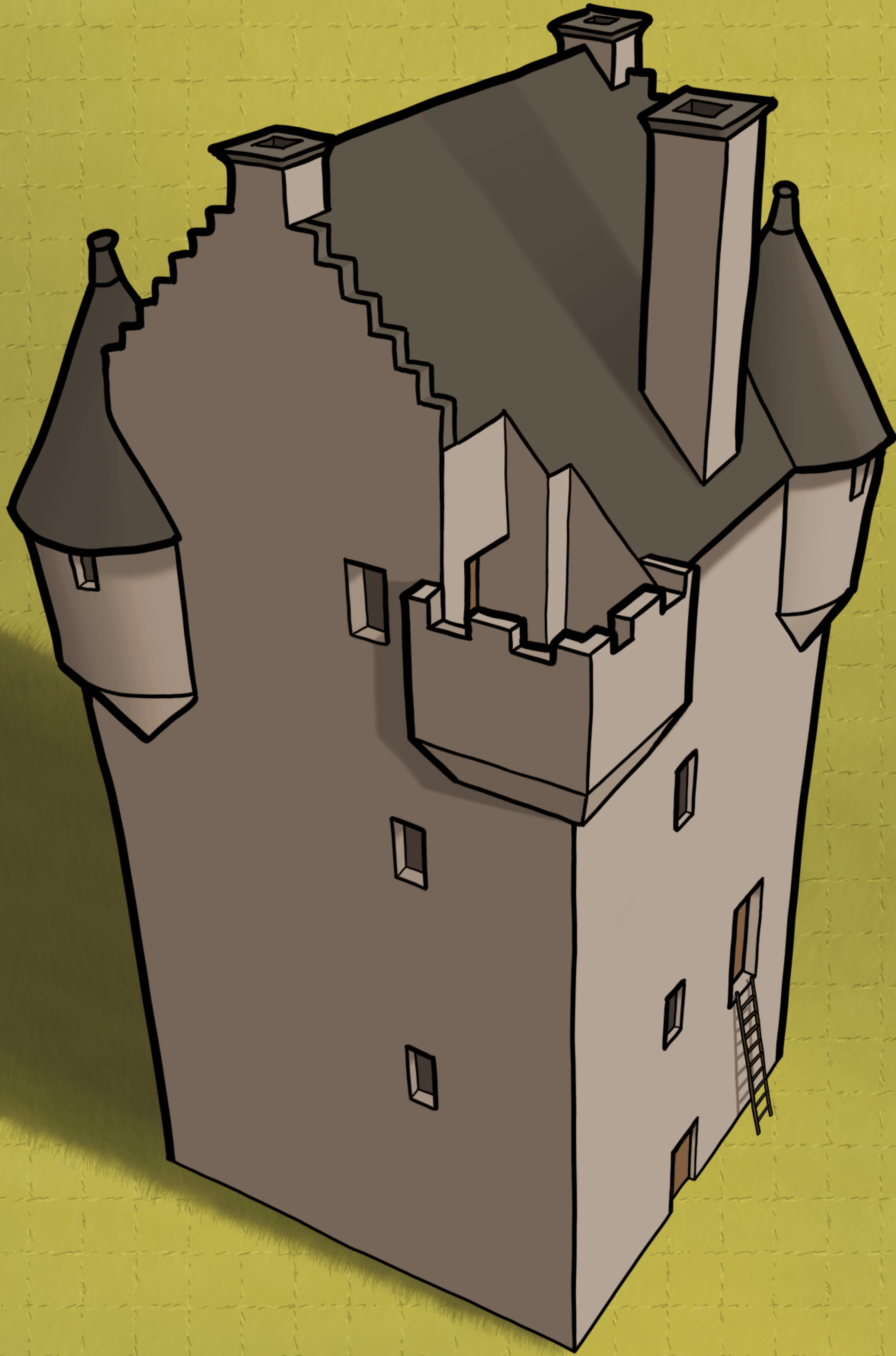


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- 3 - Dining Hall & Kitchen
- 2 - Servants' Quarters & Cloak Room
- 1 - Cellar

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MORAY, SCOTLAND



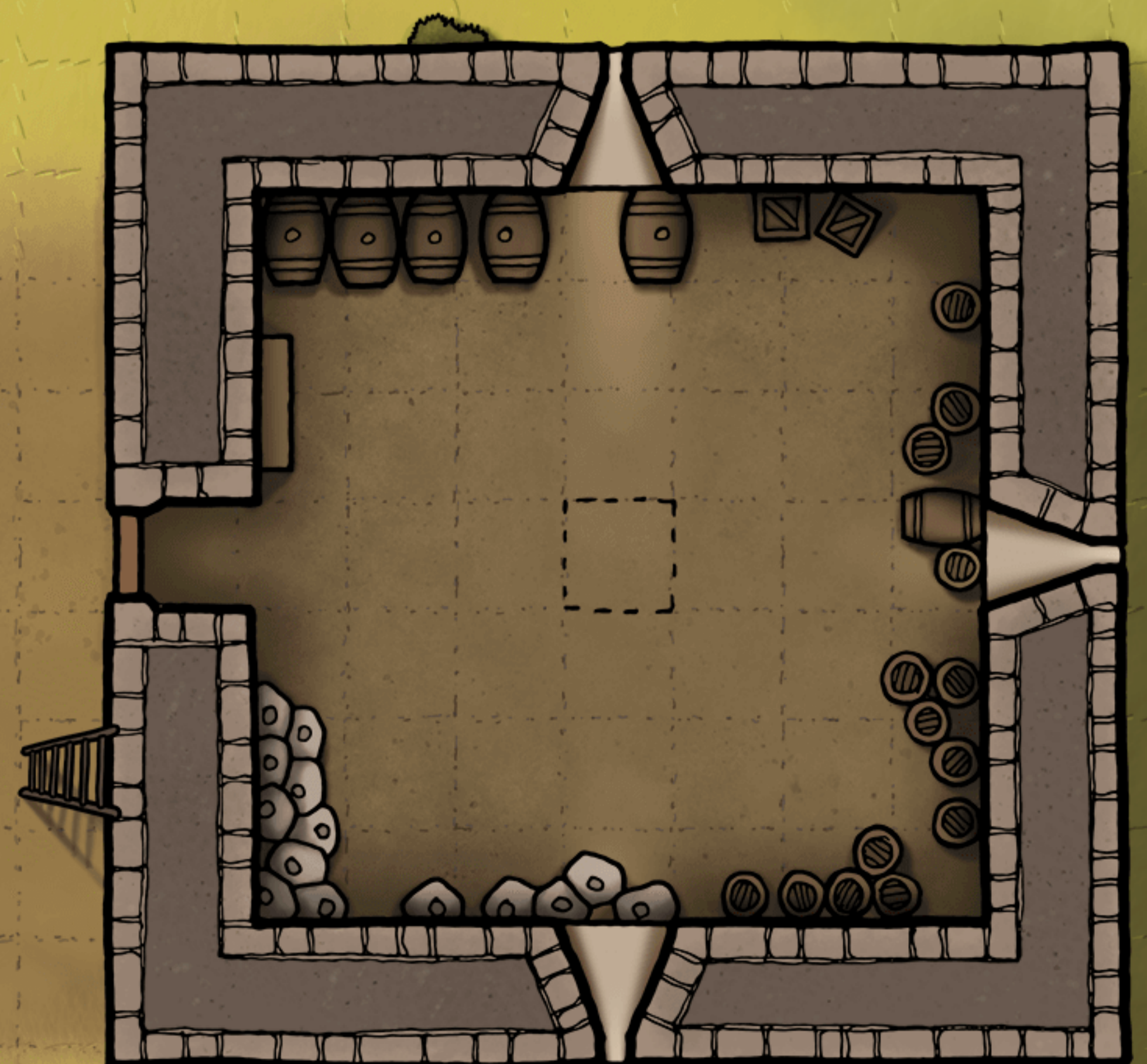
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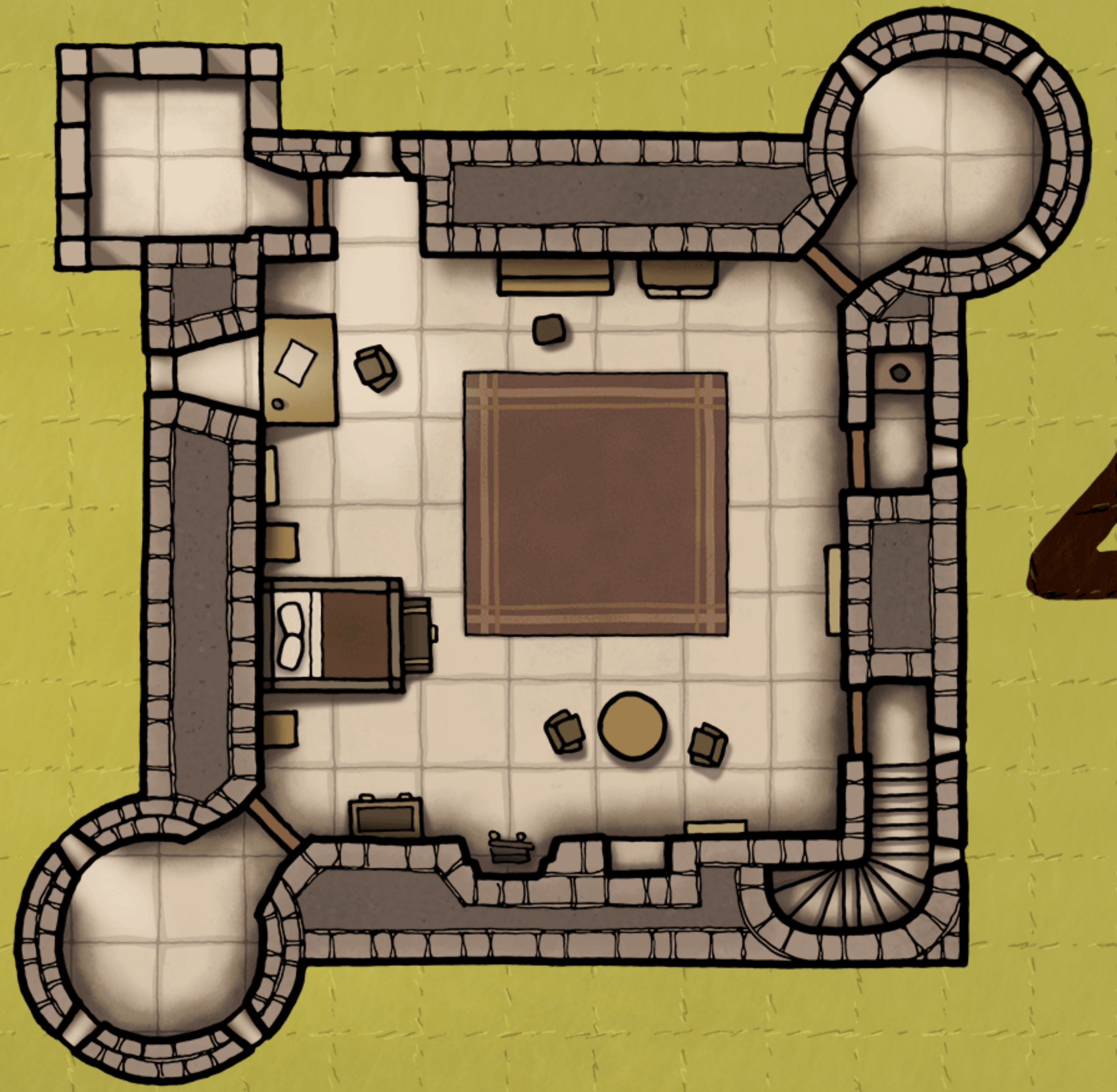
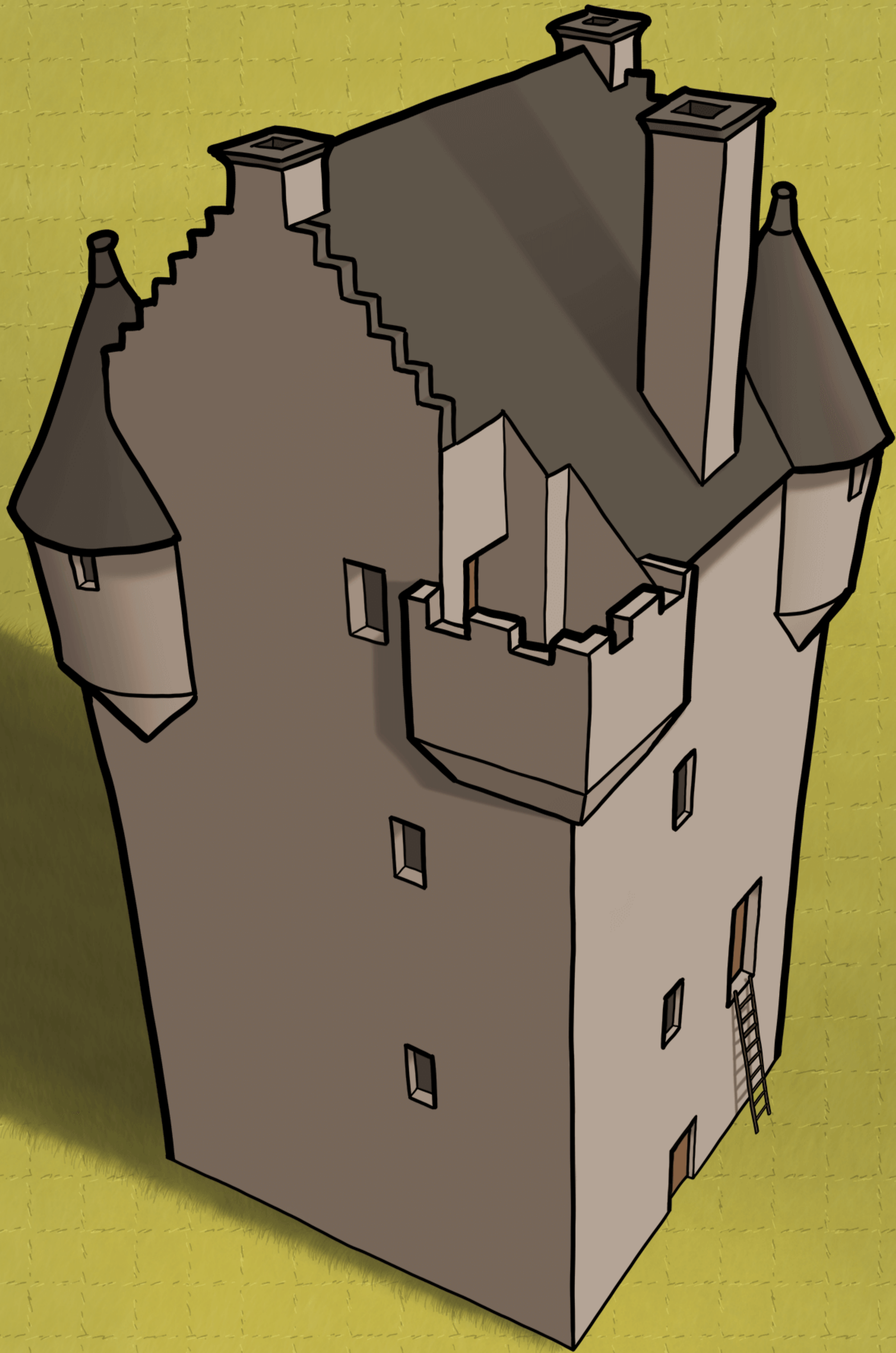


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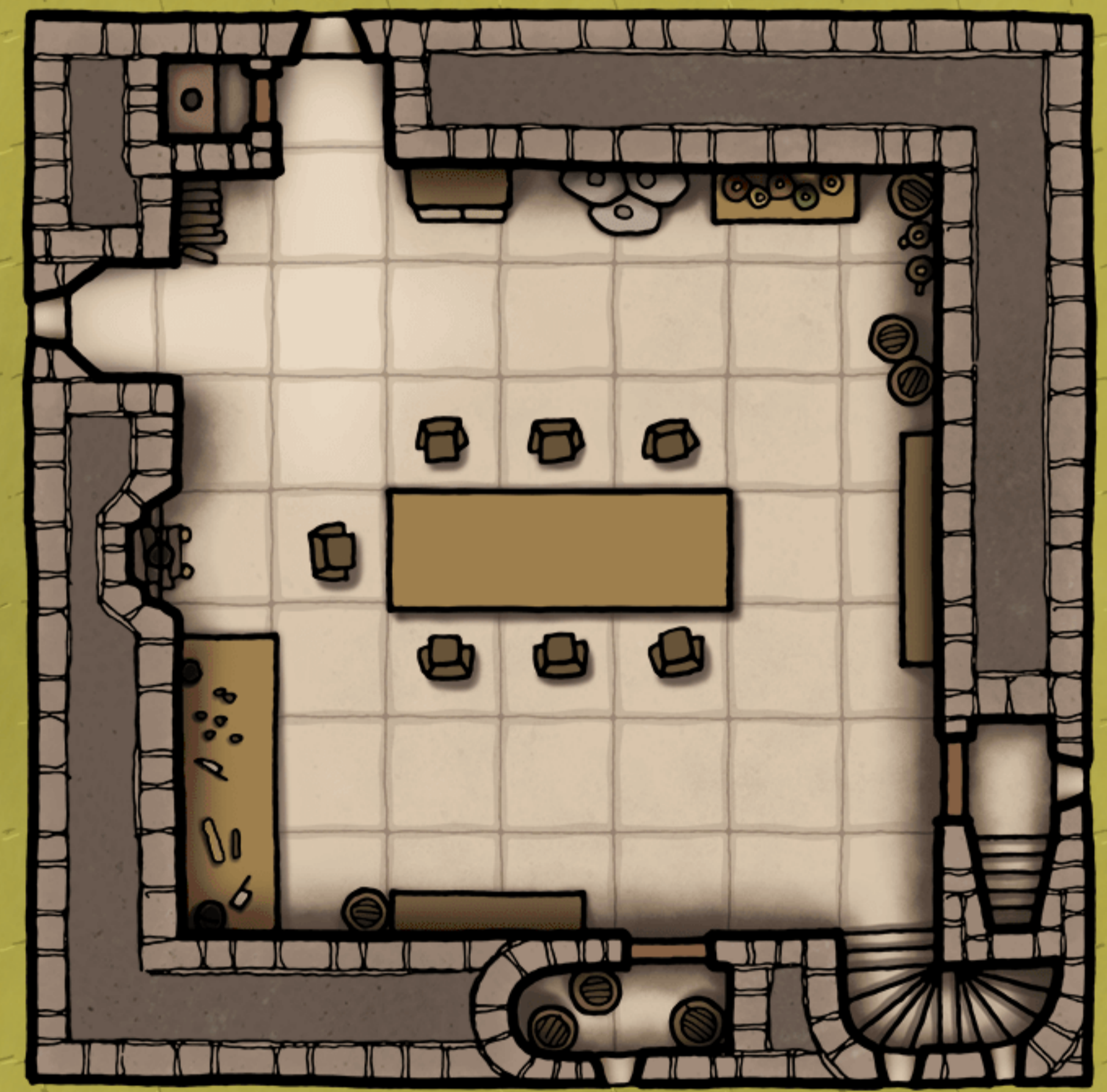


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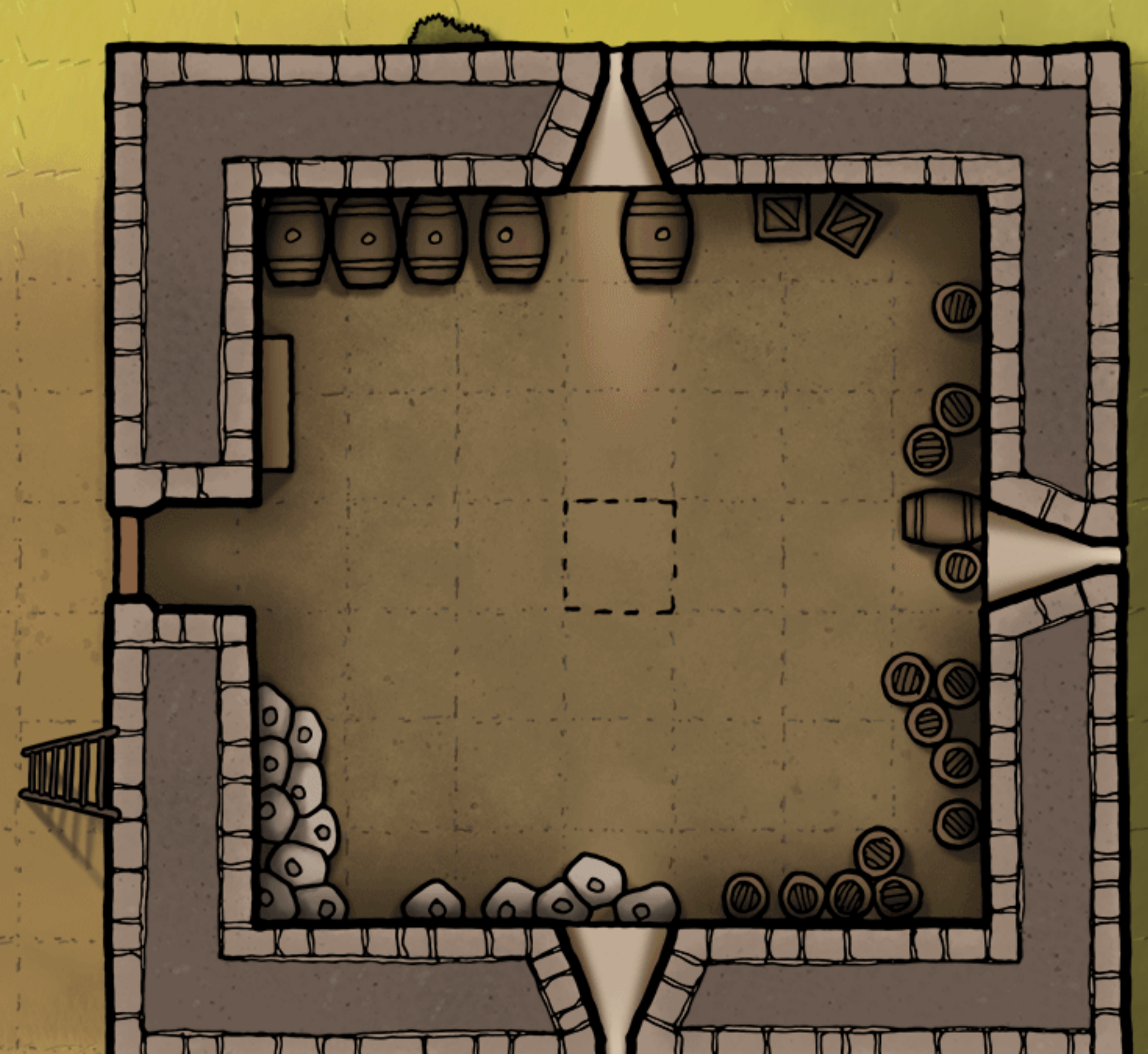
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