BRACKENBURY MANOR

ABOUT

Brackenbury Manor is a gothic manor house with an unusual hedge garden in the back. The manor sits on a small island, surrounded by a moat or lake.

Brackenbury Manor was strongly inspired by Little Moreton Hall, a 16th-century manor in Cheshire, England. The gardens at Little Moreton have a unique feature: arch-shaped hedges that form "tunnels" high enough to walk through. These are also present in the map.

In addition, the estate features a chapel, stables, a small winery and a gallery, as well as quarters for servants, a man-at-arms, and a chaplain.

NOTES

The dining room has a high ceiling that extends into the second floor. There is no room above it.

While Brackenbury Manor is a single building, not all of it is connected by interior passages. There are ten exterior doors, some of which are the only entrances to the rooms they lead to.

You might consider hiding a monster of some sort in the tunnels running through the hedges. Have it leap on them the second they turn the corner.

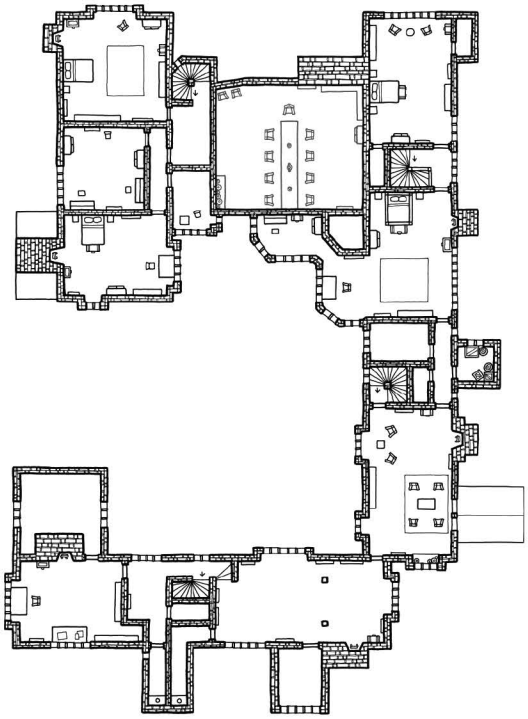
The wall on the left side of the courtyard is only waist-high, with a simple, metal gate. It is primarily meant for keeping livestock away from the garden.

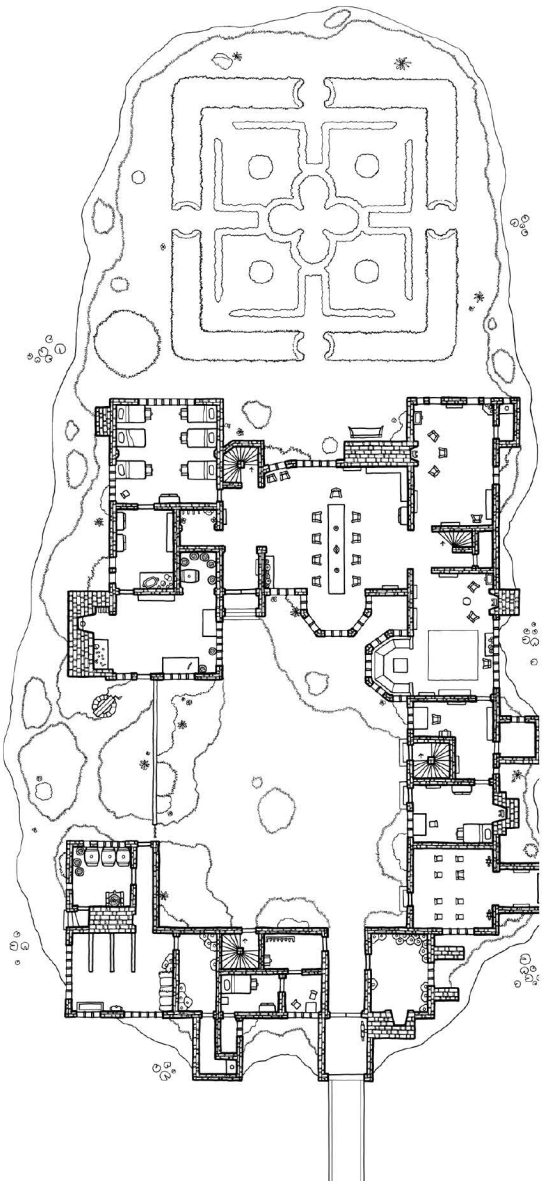
The chests near most of the fireplaces are wood boxes, containing firewood.

The room next to the kitchen is a scullery. This is a room used for washing dishes and clothing.

The winery contains several casks and a wine press. The wine press is a large barrel with a screw press on top. It is meant for squeezing the juice from grapes. There is no vineyard on the island, but there may be one nearby.

If you want to use this map as an island in the ocean or somewhere else far from land, you can use the drawbridge as a dock.





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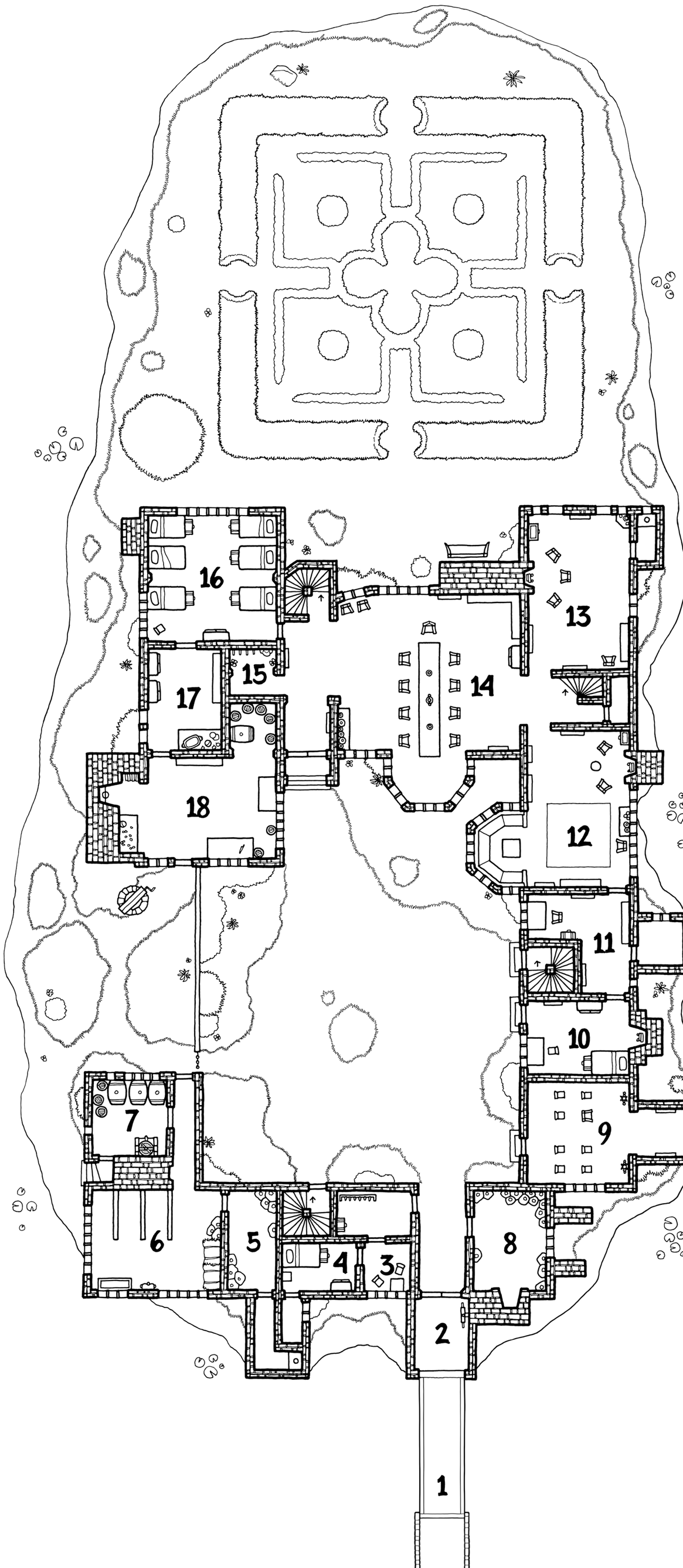

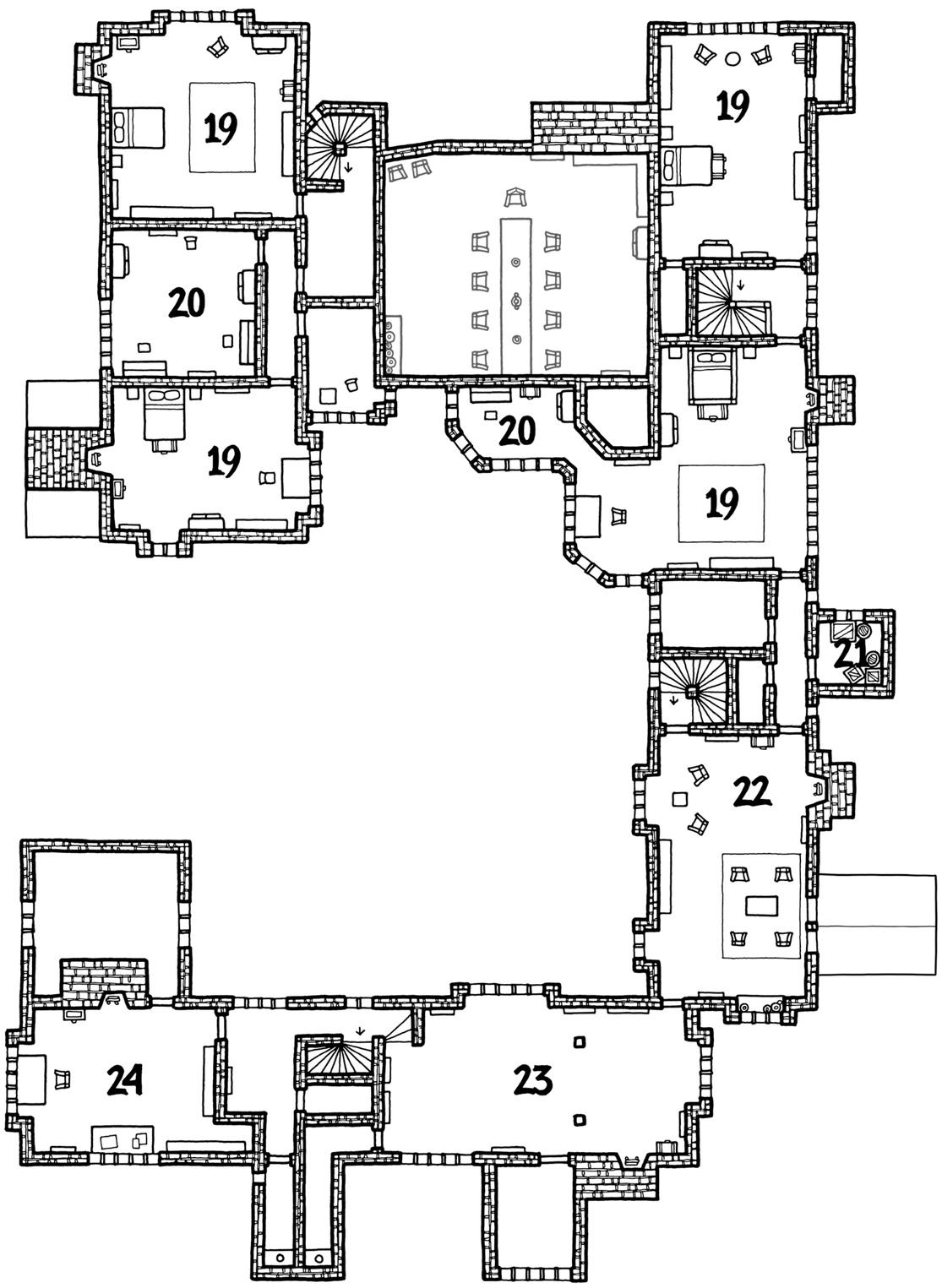

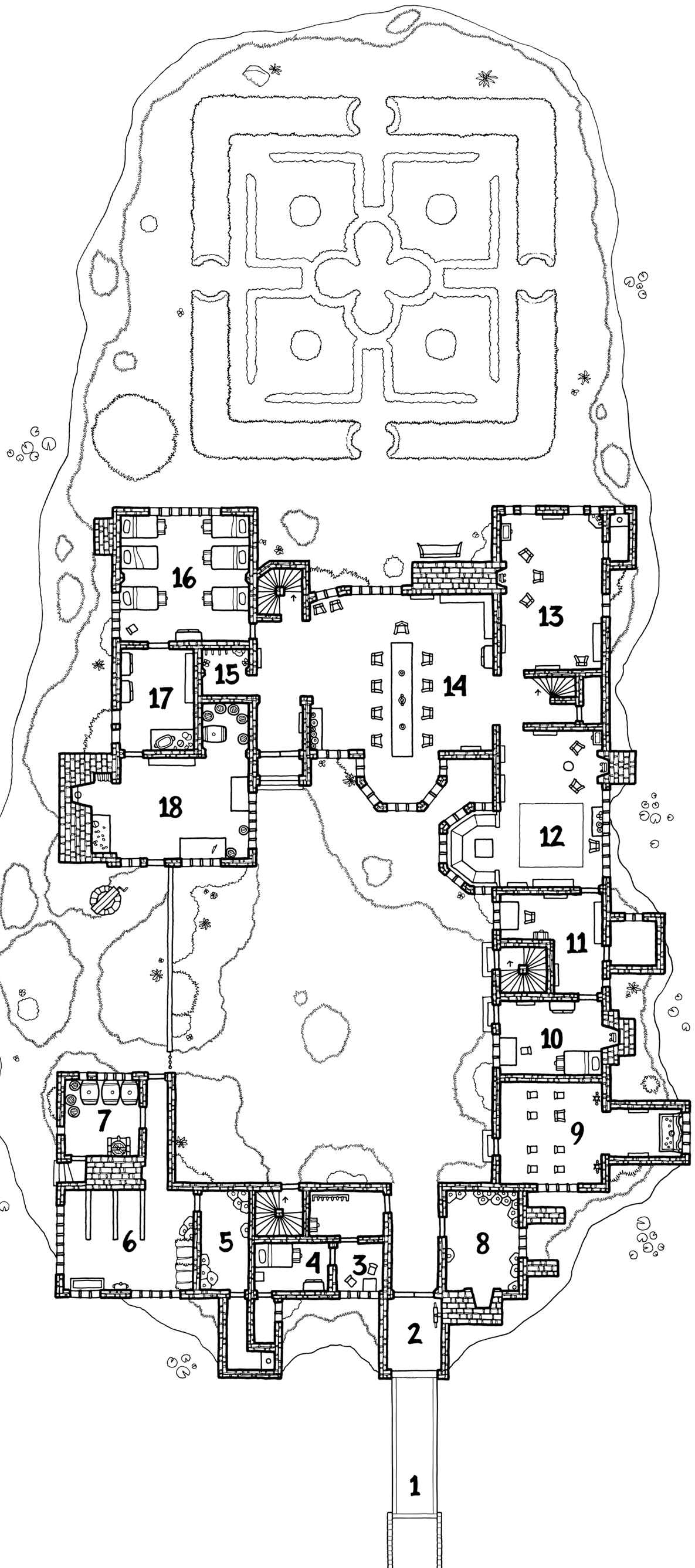
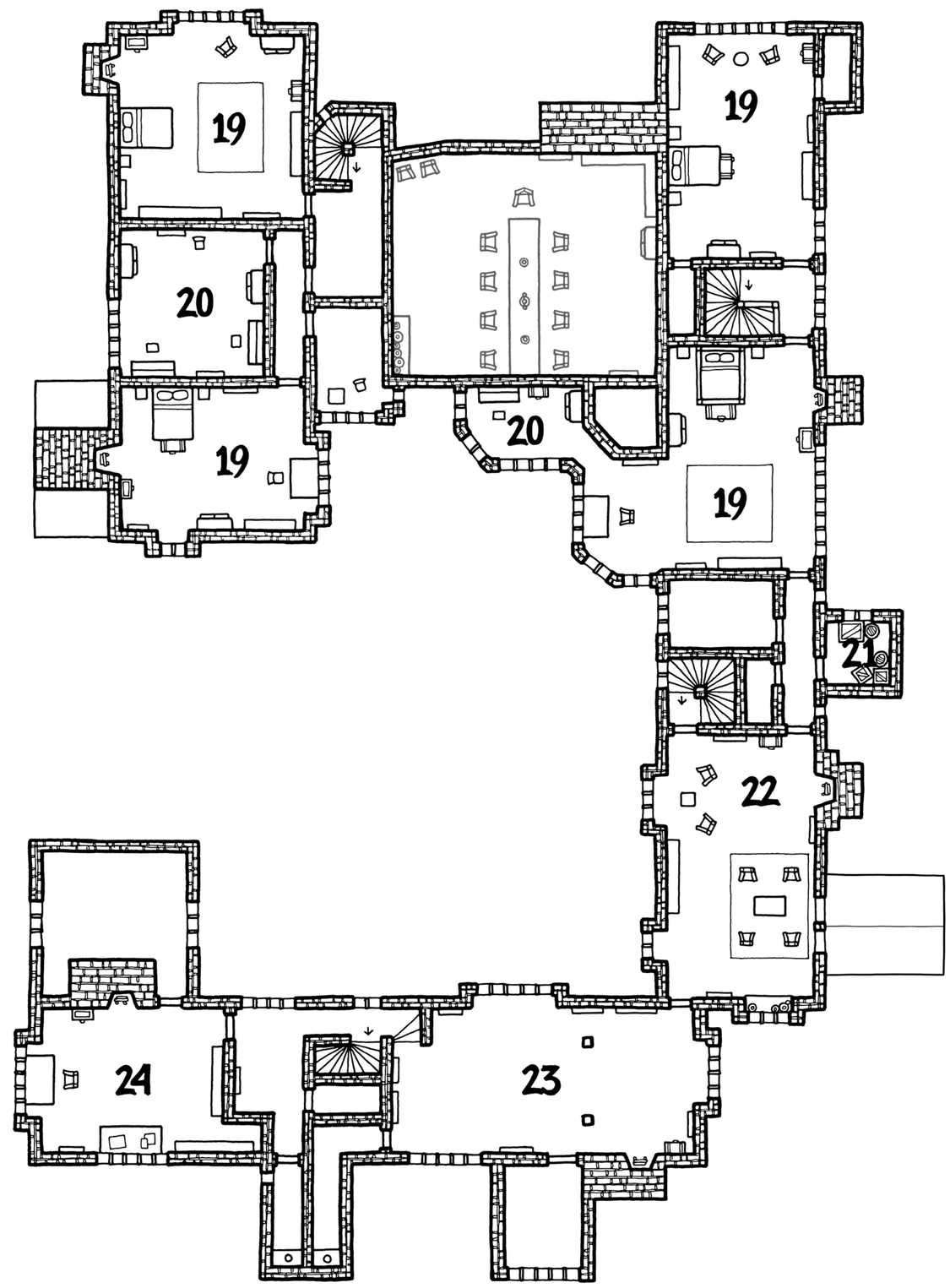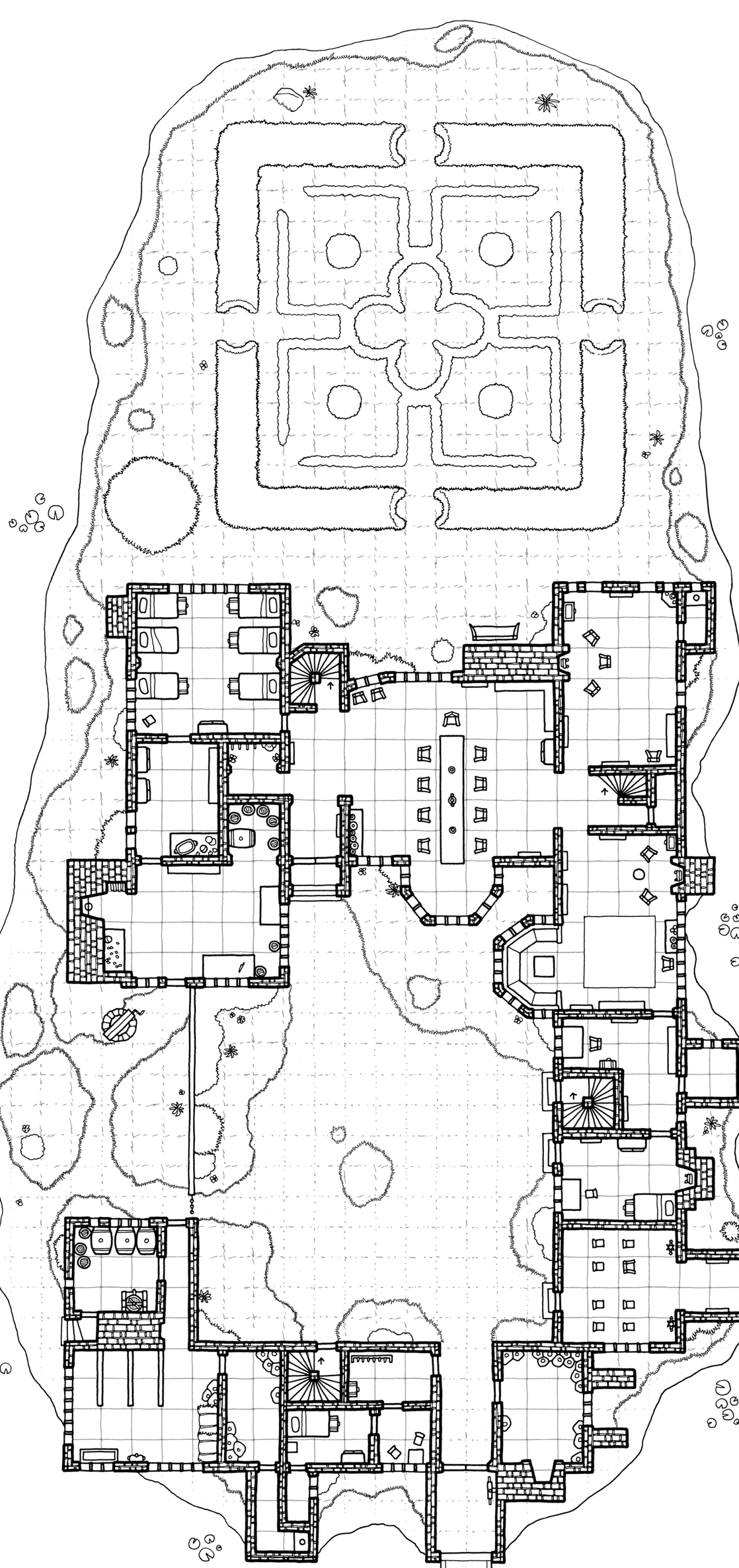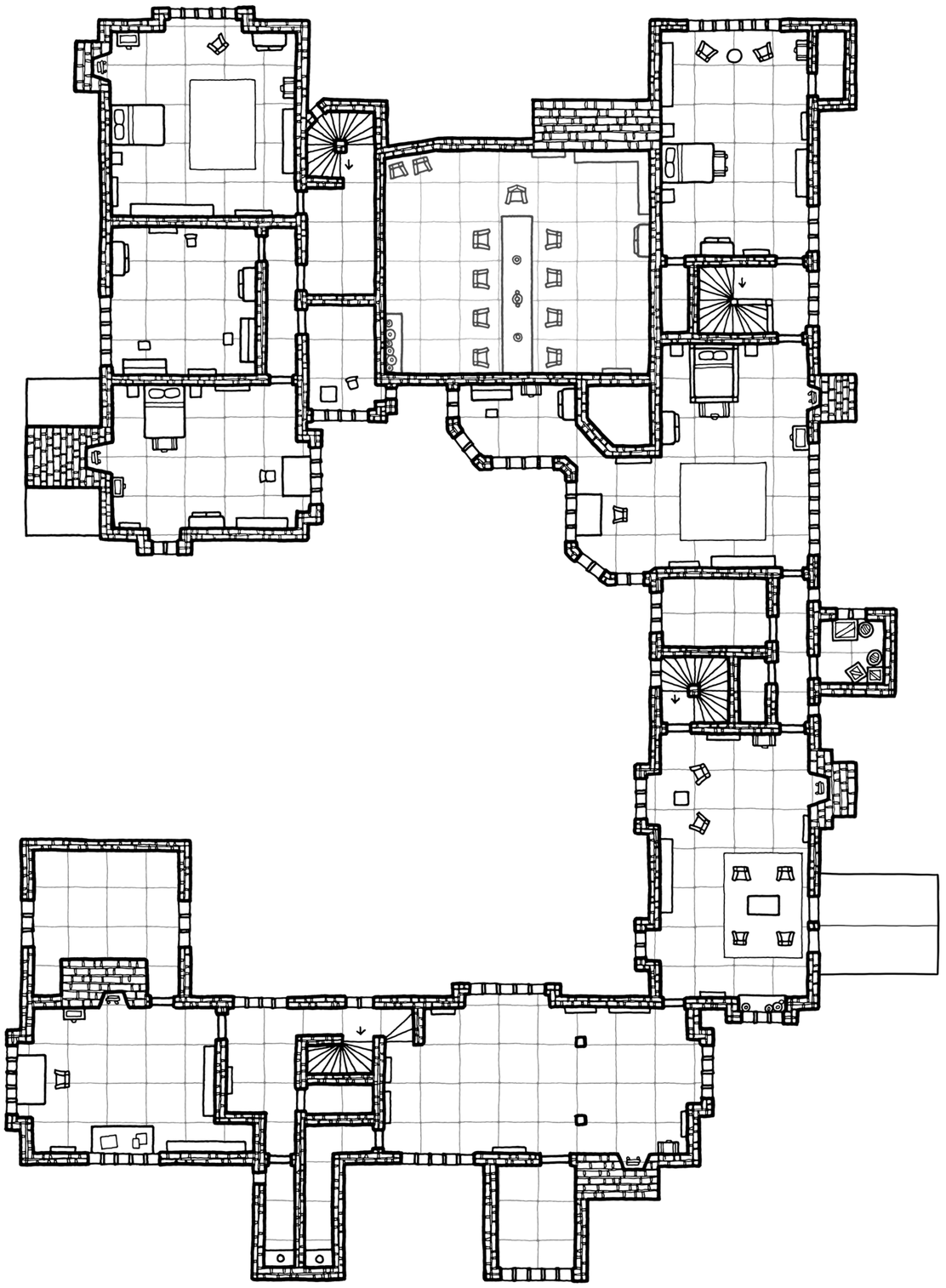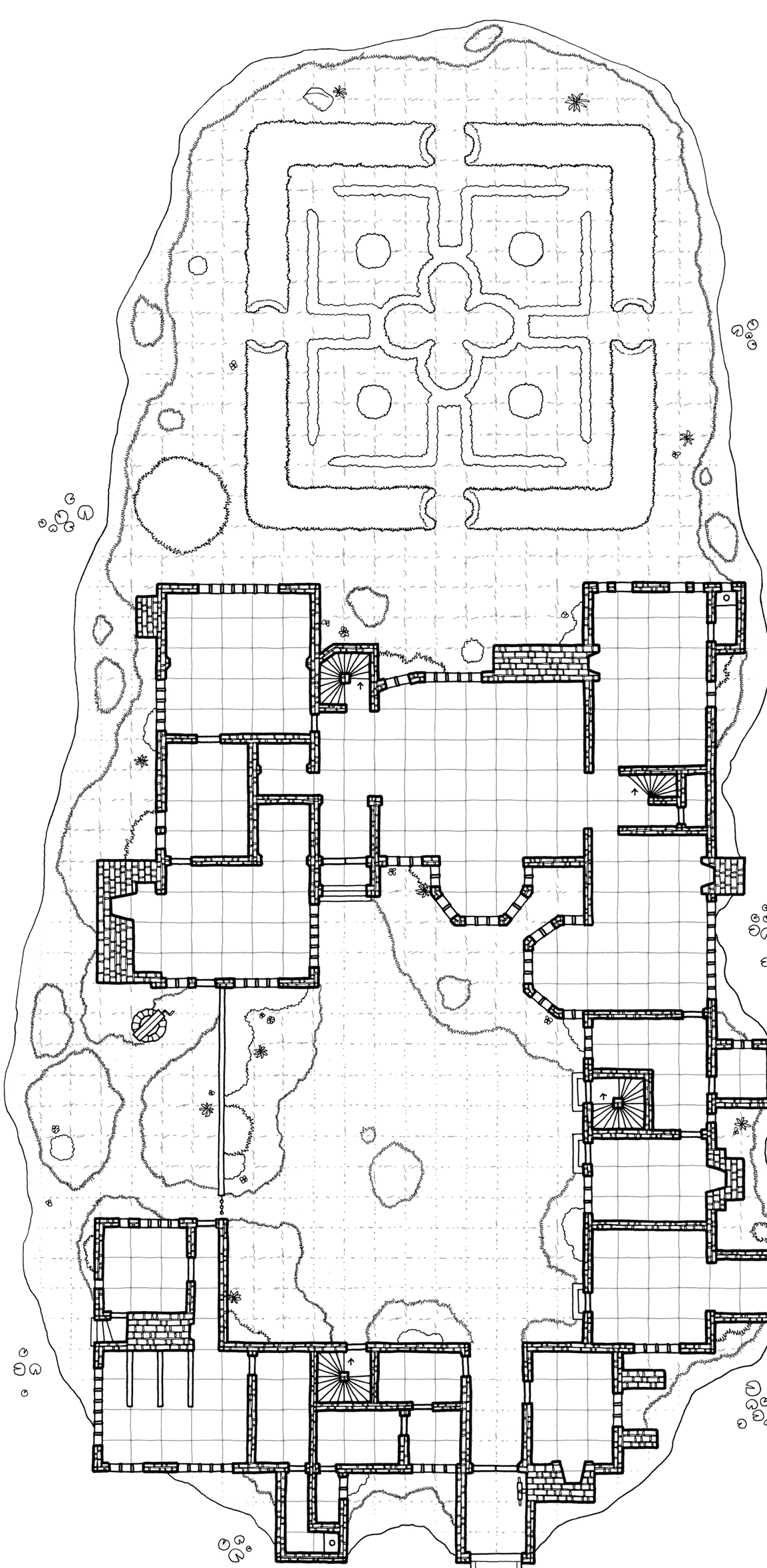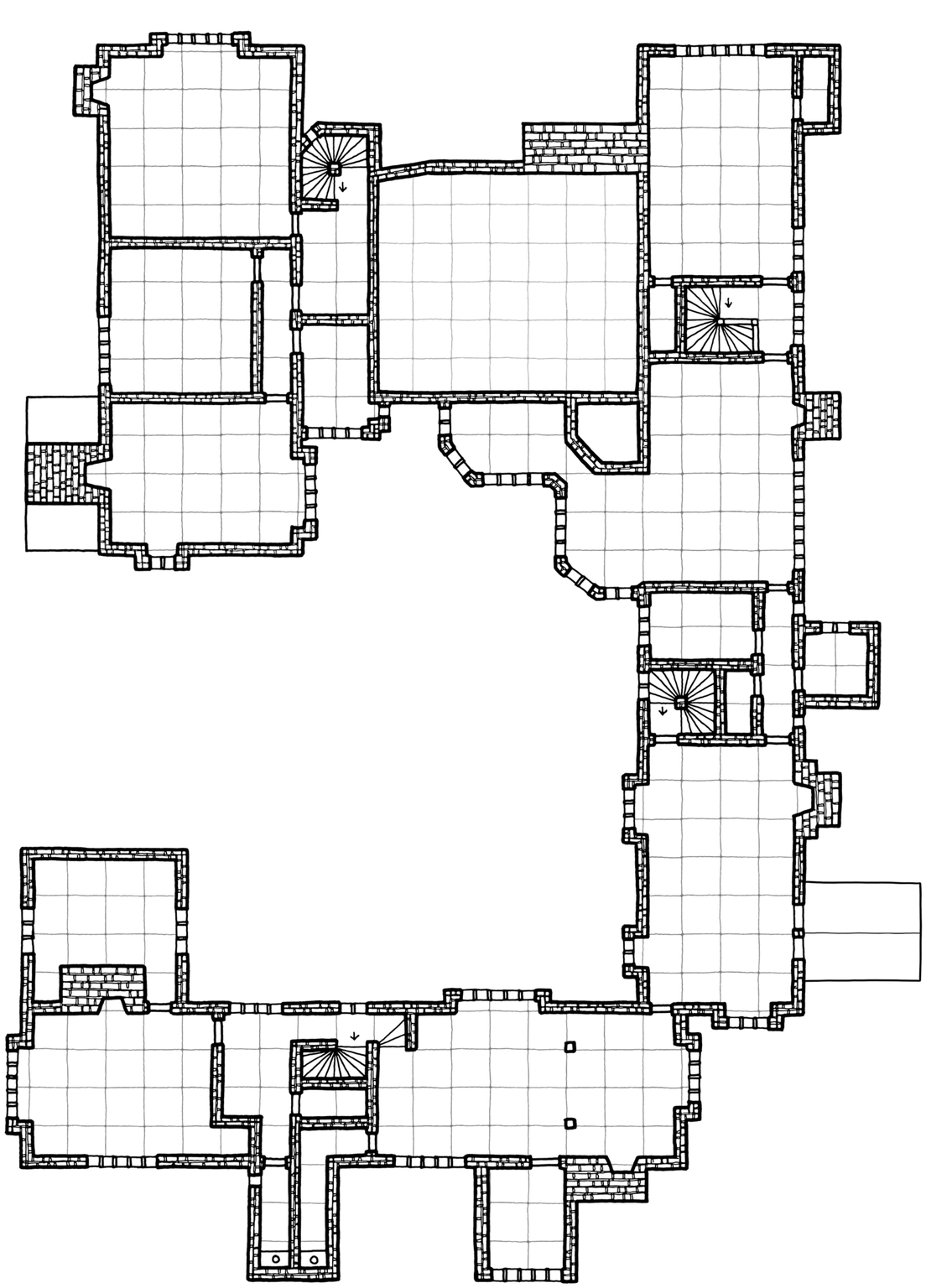
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