

Herne Tavern - built in mid 19th century London

Although this tavern is a little more opulent than I am looking for, there are details that I would like to draw your attention to.



Notice the detail in the wanes coating along the walls

I am drawn to the age of the floor and to the style of the tables and chairs.



This is another look at the wanes coating and the furniture. I am beginning to wonder if elements such as the tile around the bar would be included in an inn like Berish's.

Russian Hut - built 1860

This is a very accurate representation of the size of inn I am trying to create. The crudeness of the construction and the 'bare-bones' essence is what feels right for an inn like Berish's. However, I would like to include some of the more ornate elements of the Herne Tavern, so that we get the sense that we are in a tavern that was once high quality and well kept and now slightly dilapidated, although never ornamented and frilly.





I enjoy the roughness of the wood elements and the openness of the room, with exposed roof work and rafters in these photos.



Miscellaneous Elements

Here I will point out elements that I am drawn to, that stand out, or that I feel need to be incorporated in the design.



This is an abandoned building in the ghost town of Bodie, CA. I enjoy the exaggerated windowpanes, the wood siding, the horizontal aged siding, the detail in the entryway, and the overall compactness of this corner building.



I like the idea of incorporating vertical wooden supports to make the space feel a little more shoddy and filled up - like they're making do with the space they have.



Here I am drawn to the grade of the rooftops, and like the vast amount of space they take up in comparison to the wall structure.



I like the age of this building, and am particularly interested in the white windowpane on the right.



I am interested in the style of these windows as well.



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Here, a sense of isolation is felt. I imagine the location of Berish's inn is something similar to this, with barren fields and trees that stretch for miles.

Art Nouveau - the style that dominated Russian architecture during the late 19th century



I am examining the exterior of small houses such as this so as to get a feel of the layout of a small building with this influence in style. I particularly like the windows in the center of the image.