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Due to the acoustics of the curved surface, a phrase whispered against one wall can be heard against the far wall 112 feet away. It was established that after several tens or hundreds of years, a fire occurred, destroying the preceding cathedrals.

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