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# \_\_\_\_\_ Castle

Located in County Clare, \_\_\_\_\_

1. There are over \_\_\_\_\_ castles in Ireland.
2. Many castles do not have a \_\_\_\_\_ on the first floor but instead it is found on the \_\_\_\_\_ floor to be more defensible.
3. Castles were mainly built for \_\_\_\_\_. Many times windows started on the \_\_\_\_\_ floor of the castle as did the door.
4. Staircases were \_\_\_\_\_ and turned clockwise. Narrow doors and windows helped \_\_\_\_\_ an enemy's entrance.
5. The first room from the main door of Bunratty Castle is the \_\_\_\_\_. Then next is the \_\_\_\_\_ room.
6. Castles used \_\_\_\_\_ to stay warm and were made more beautiful with \_\_\_\_\_ walls, ornately carved \_\_\_\_\_ and large \_\_\_\_\_.
7. To get to the top of the castle one had to walk \_\_\_\_\_ file up many stairs.
8. Walls were built for \_\_\_\_\_ to stand watch. It was hard for an \_\_\_\_\_ to approach unnoticed.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ formed around castles where the workers lived.
10. Many buildings and fences were made of \_\_\_\_\_. Roofs were made of slate or \_\_\_\_\_ which had to be added every year.
11. When a village was first formed villagers ate \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
12. After a village was settled the people raised livestock for \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
13. Sometimes Irish lived with \_\_\_\_\_ inside their homes.
14. As an energy source, people harnessed \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Every village had a \_\_\_\_\_. The priest provided support to the people.
16. Castles that are not maintained begin to disintegrate and become \_\_\_\_\_.