

Lysenko's Plaster  
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This is a magical wall plaster with tiny colored specks in it. The colored specks are magically-shrunken tiles, each inscribed with a symbol of power (death, insanity, etc.) much like the magic-user spell symbol. Anyone looking for secret doors or otherwise examining the wall closely has 10% cumulative per 10 square feet of wall examined to be affected by the symbol, whether they are examining by sight or by touch. Normal saves apply.

Normal active searching for secret doors requires a close examination of only 1 square foot of wall (at eye level) per each running foot of wall searched. Thus each 10 feet length searched gives 10% cumulative to be affected.

Lysenko recommends color-coding the symbols and using only a single type of symbol per room so that the chance starts over at 10% in each room: "After all, the owners of the house need to be able to find their own secret doors safely. Knowing where to look, they can find them with only a slight danger of being affected... Of course, they should keep antidotes about too, so to speak..."

XP Value: 3,000/gallon

GP Value: 30,000/gallon