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#### Califat Engine House



A somewhat damp session weeding the winding drum void. This quickly turned the clay floor at the north end into a quagmire.

At the south end of the void an attempt was made to break through the clay to drain away the water from the brick pavement, but the clay was too deep for this to be successful.





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#### Miners Cottages



More of the French drain at the rear of the cottage was uncovered. This is the north east corner of the cottage.





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Work continued on exposing the eastern pavement, while puzzling on what it was for.



A melted metal knife was discovered.