

THE DIAMOND AGE

or, "a young lady's illustrated
guide to... educational
software"

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APOLOGIES TO

NEAL STEPHENSON

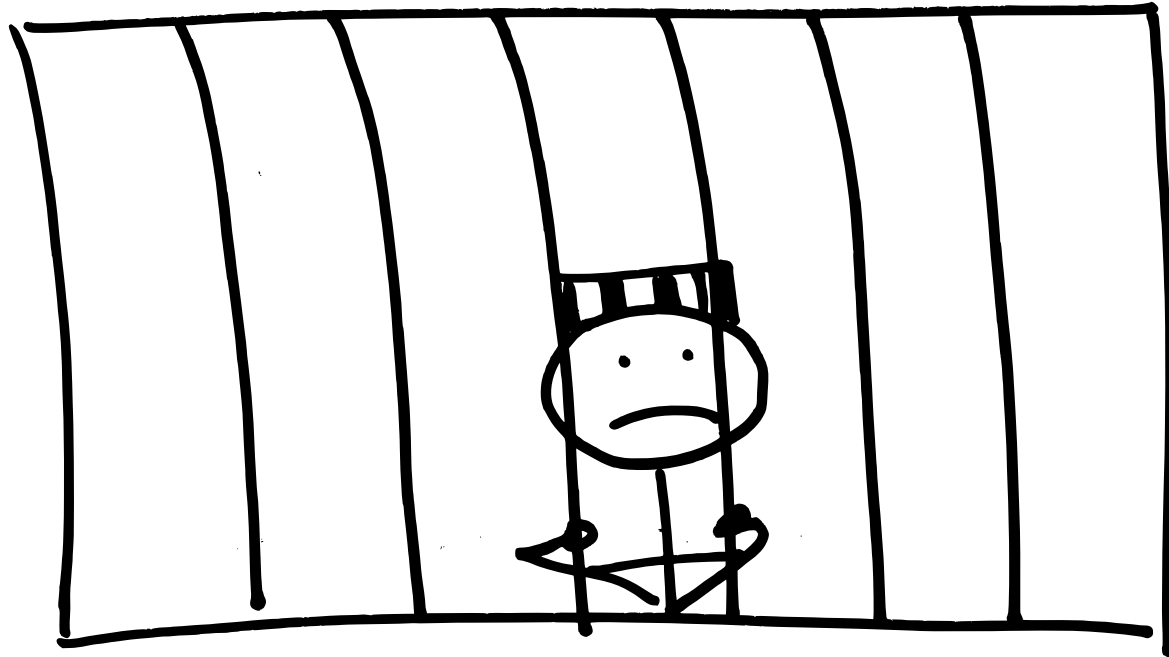
IN THE

FUTURE...

HACKWORTH

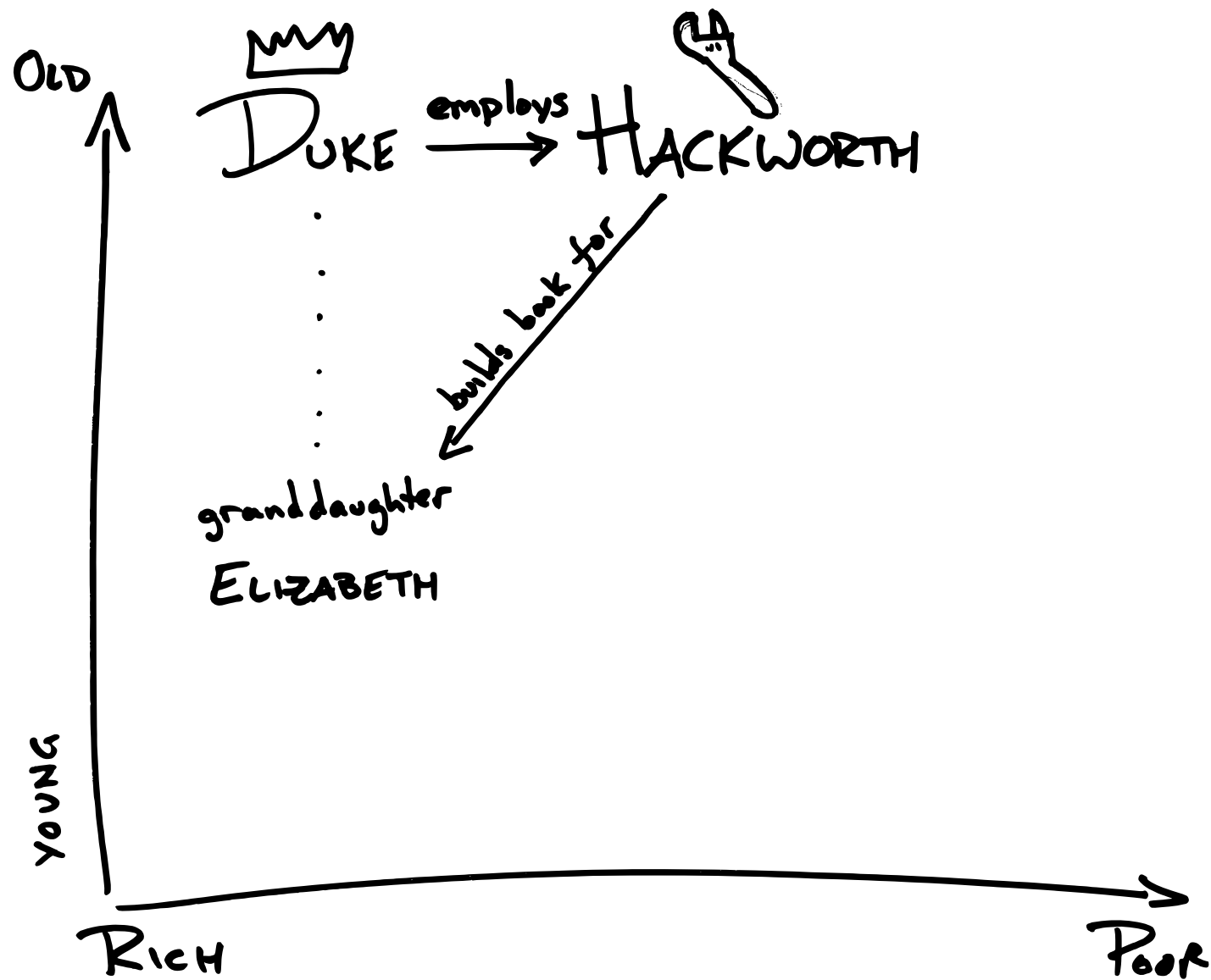
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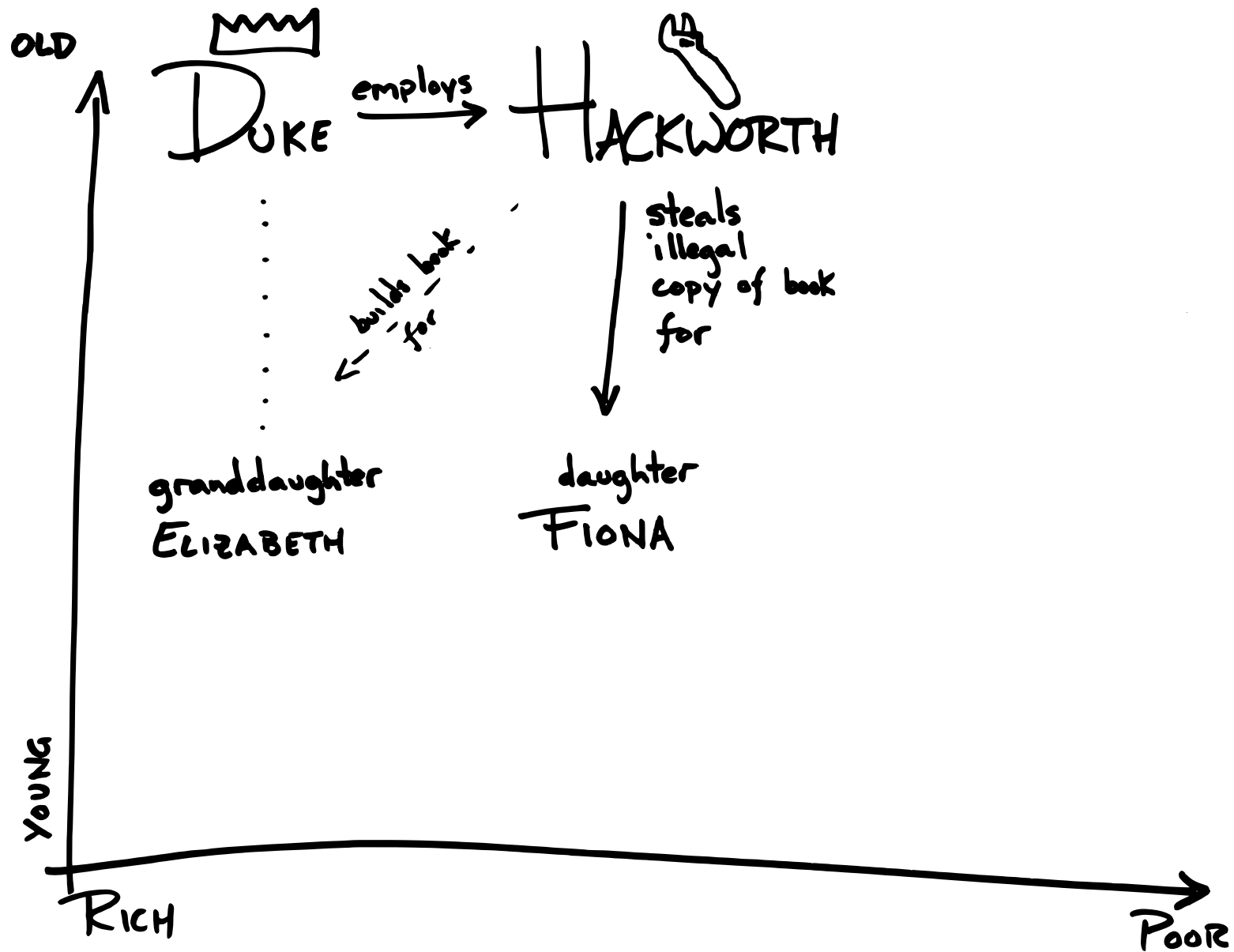
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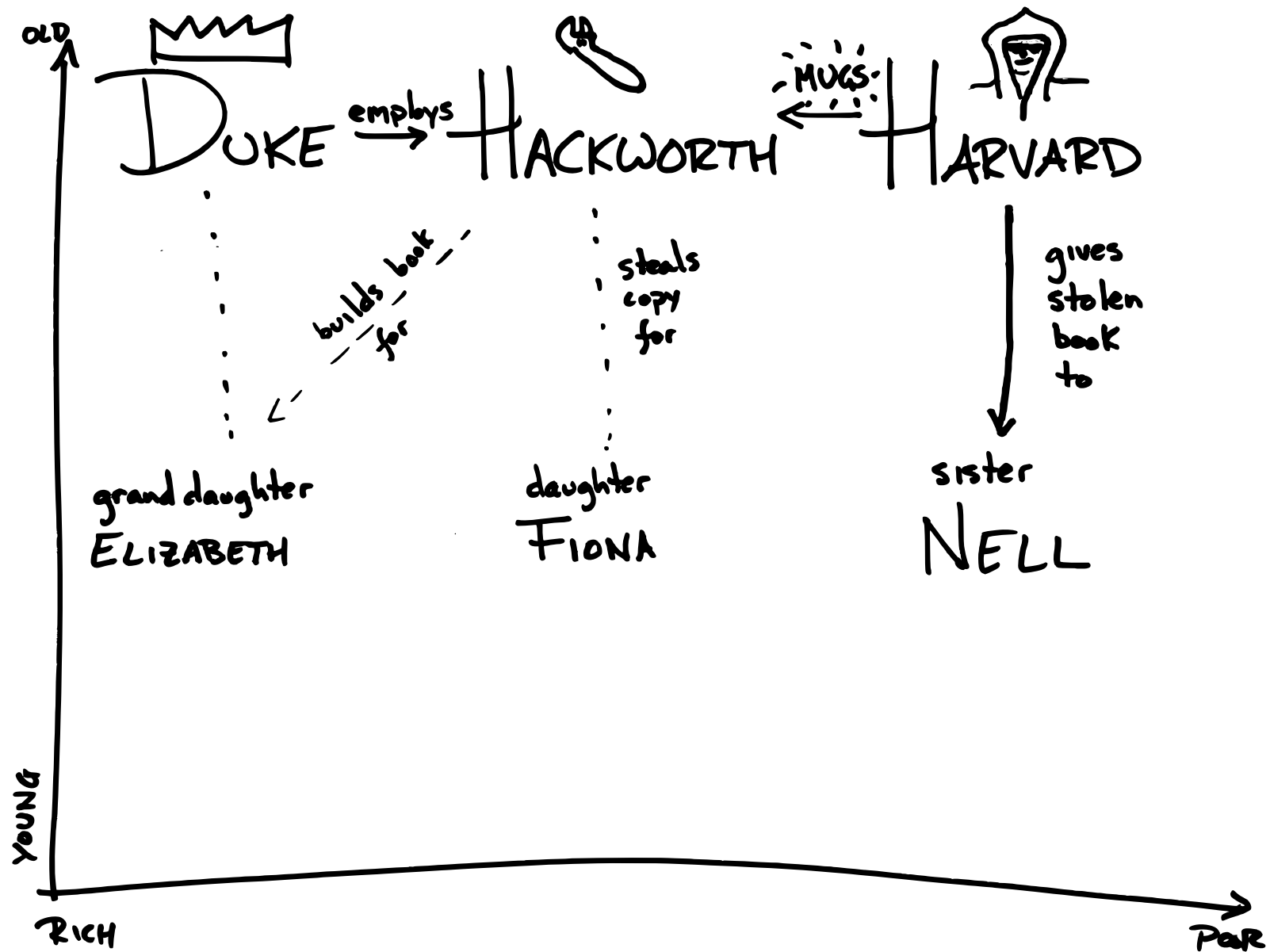


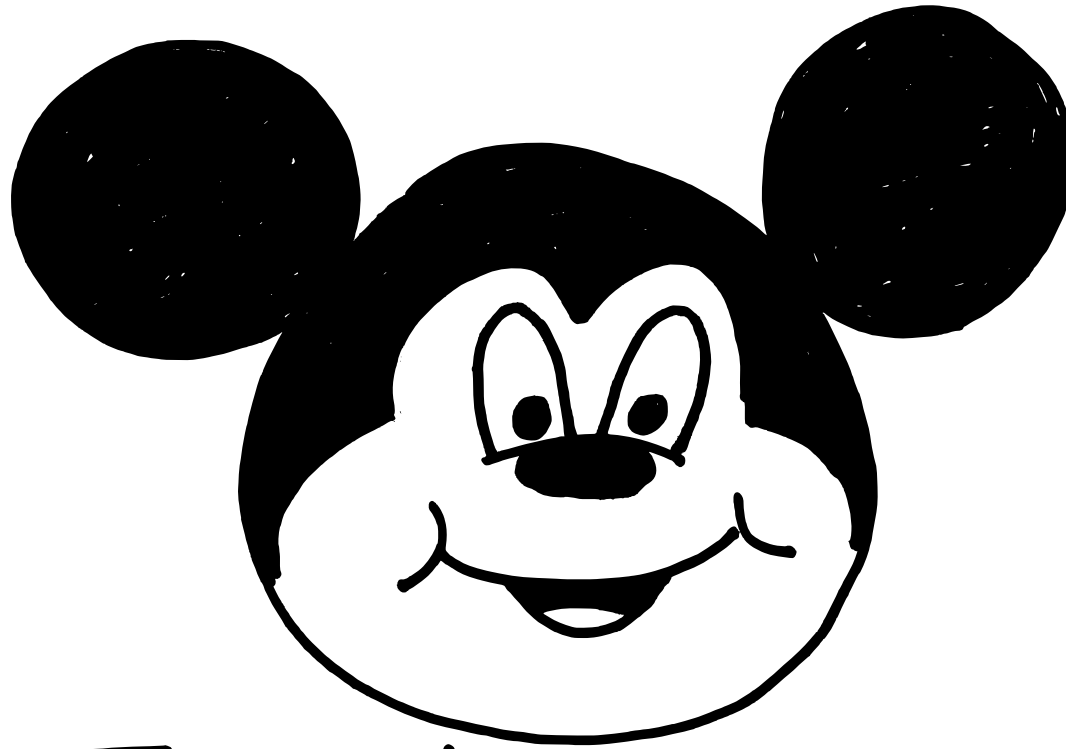


A YOUNG LADY'S ILLUSTRATED
PRIMER





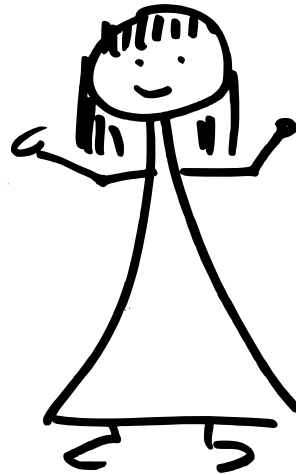




THE MOUSE ARMY

ONCE UPON A TIME...

there was a little girl



ONCE UPON A TIME...

there was
A PRINCESS
named
NELL



FOUR FRIENDS

purple



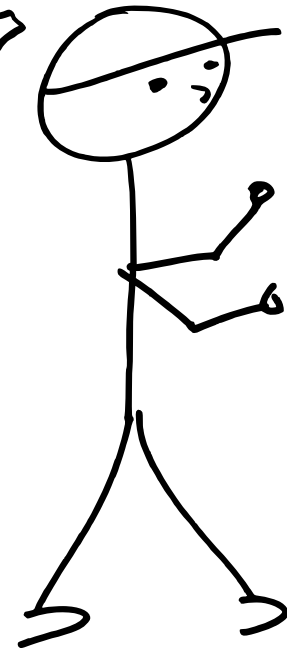
dinosaur



duck



Peter

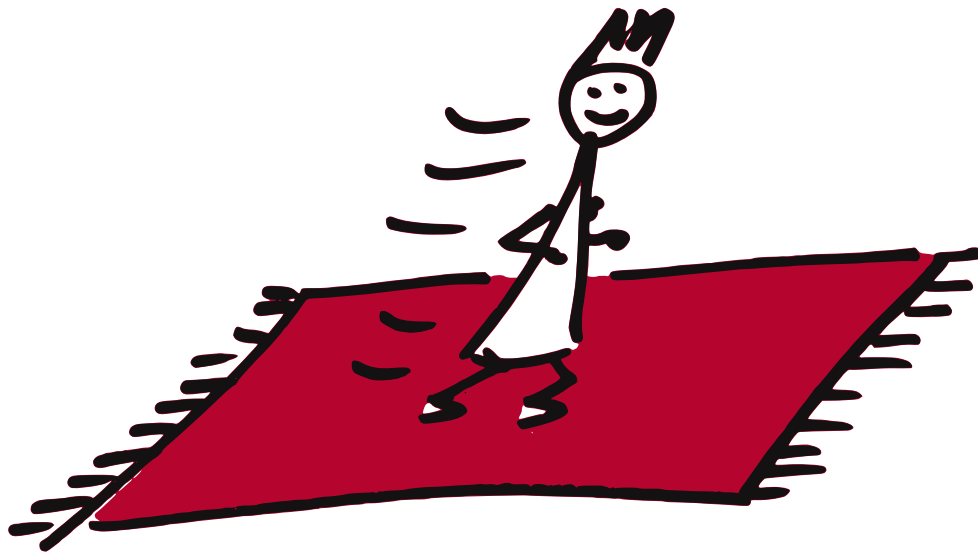


WHAT'S A



RAVEN?

RR IS FOR RUN!



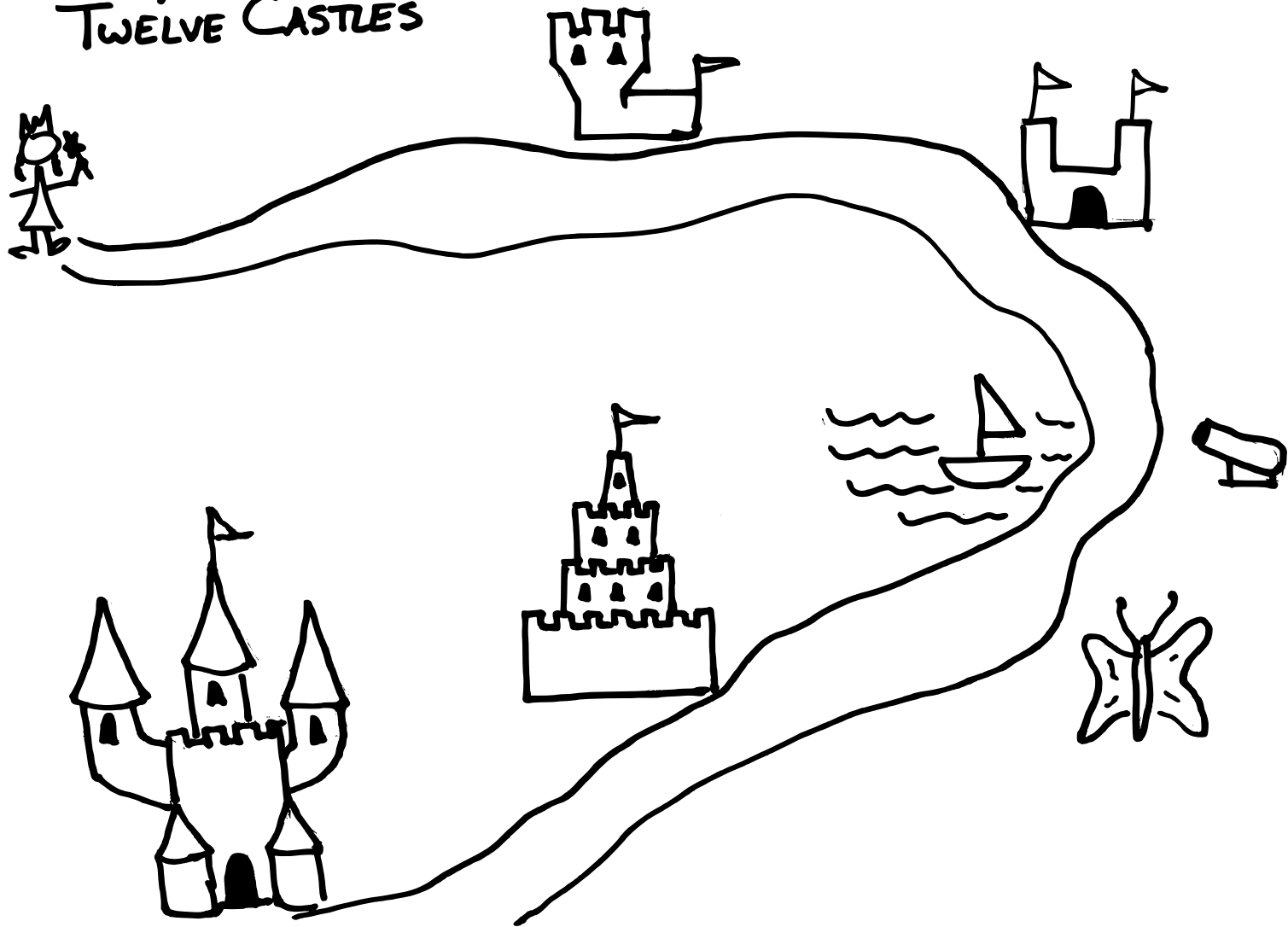
NEU RRUNS ON THE RED RUG

VERY GOOD!

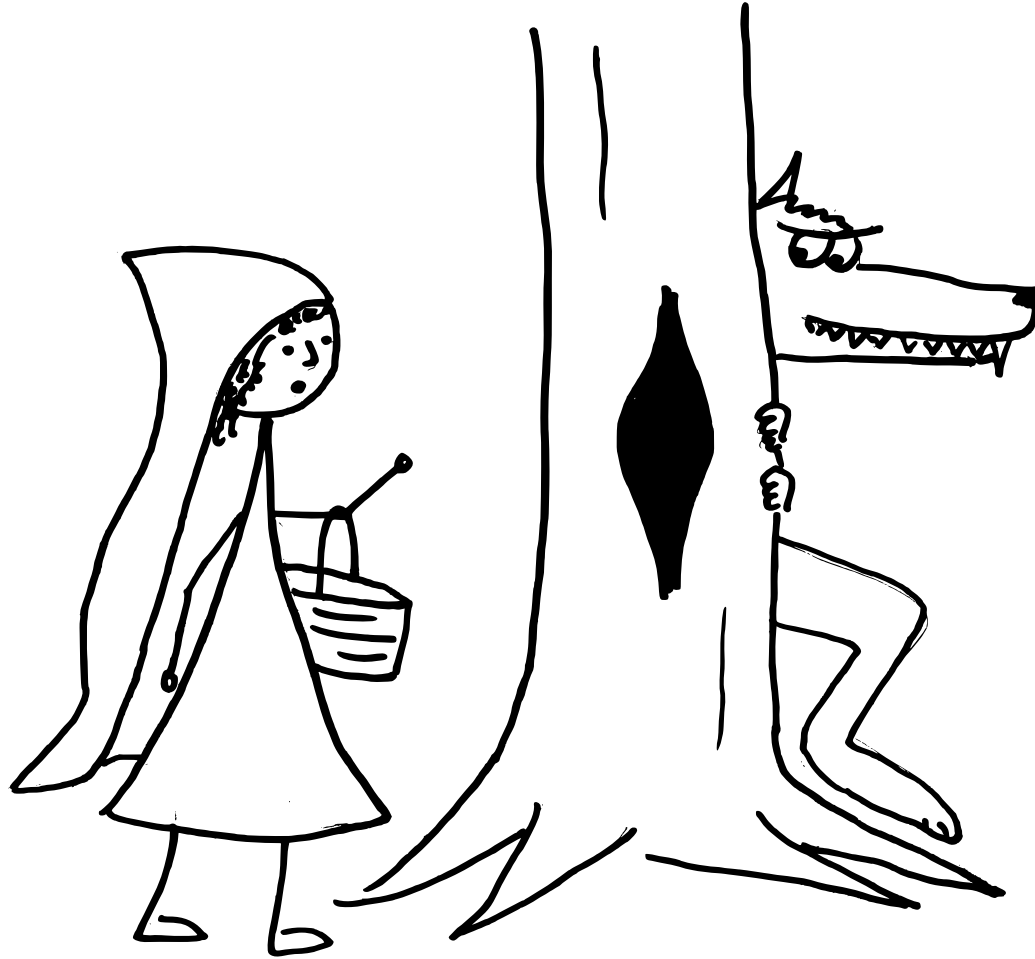


! GOOD WITH LETTERS!

TWELVE KEYS from TWELVE CASTLES



FOLKLORE



PRINCESS NELL

thought,

"Perhaps I should eat more



VEGETABLES!"



←
UNDO

→
REDO

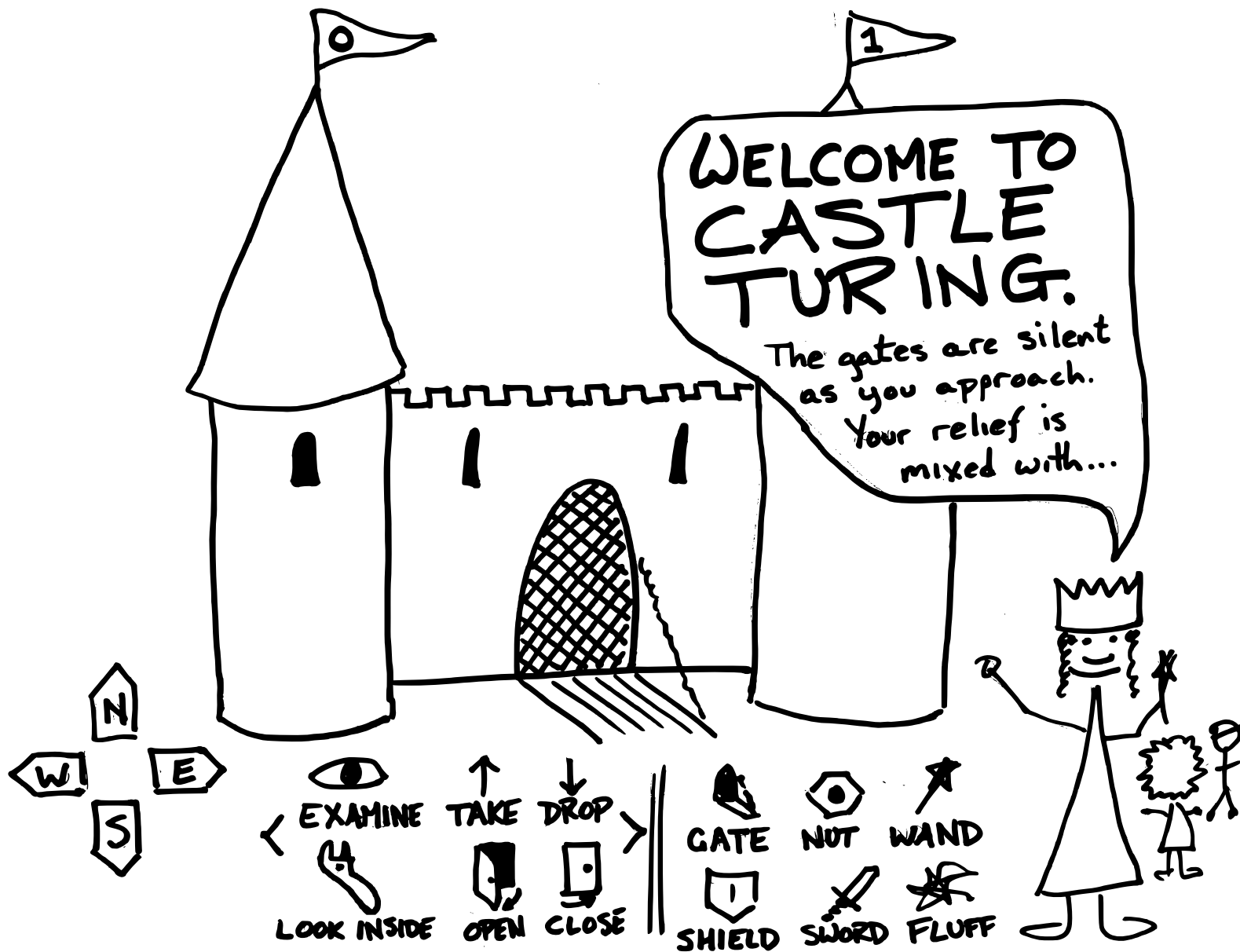
"In your Primer you have a resource
that will make you highly

educated

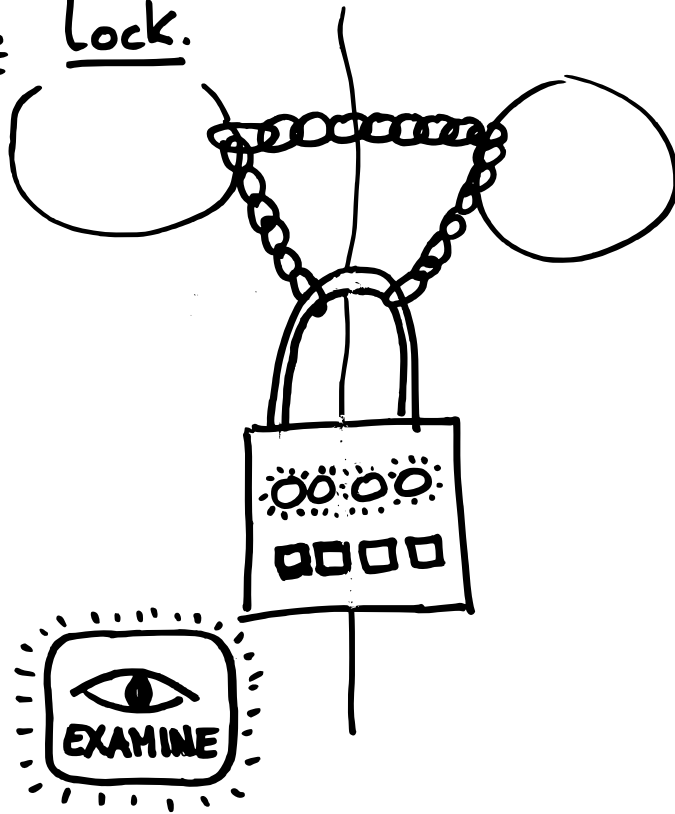
but it will never make you

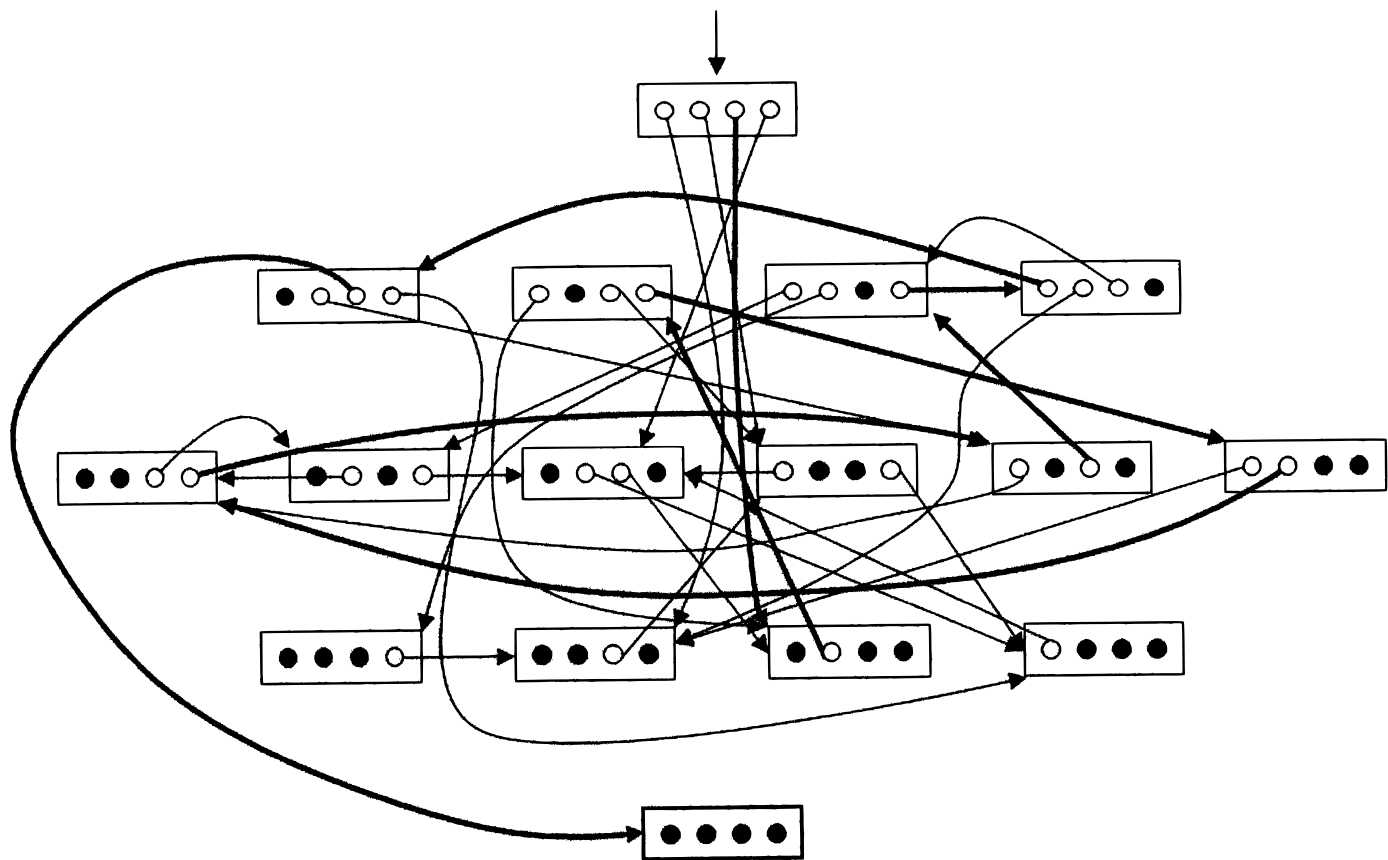
INTELLIGENT.

That comes from
life."

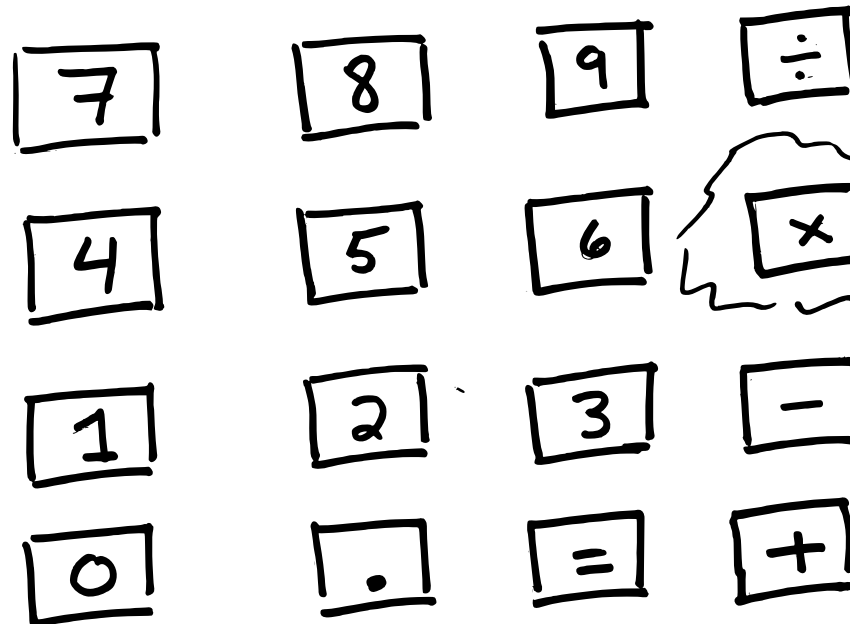


The clockwork guards dragged Nell to the deepest dungeon and shoved her inside. Then they ran a chain across the door and attached a strange lock.





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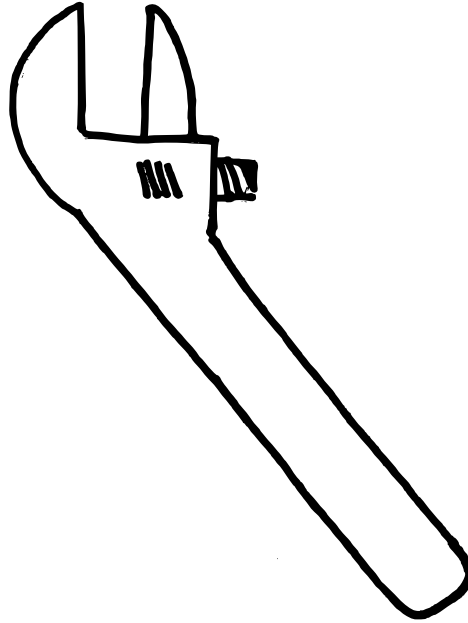
PRINCESS NELL used the x key because each of the 42 faeries had 3 cobwebs.



- LET the child tell stories
- Make it easy to create content
- Software testing is a walkthrough
- Extensible achievements
= extensible story



HACKWORTH'S



WANTED



THE
END

