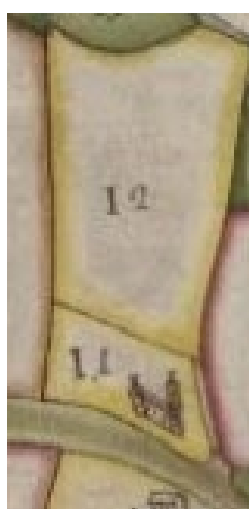


## The Pound House, Main Road, Hallow SO 8275 5803

The Pound House is a substantial double fronted property. It is rendered and painted white. It has two storey bays with slate roofs to the front and to the south side. A columned portico has recently been added to the central front door. It has a double-pitched slate roof with 3 chimney stacks on the front roof. The property stands close to and facing the main road with a low boundary wall.



On John Doharty's map of 1747, the Pound House property is marked as I1, the field behind in the same ownership as I2. At this time this substantial L shaped property was called 'Bartons' or 'Burtons'. At some stage a transaction took place between John Yeats of Elmley cottage who owned the animal pound on the Green and John Bellamy Reynolds. This may be the reason this property became the Pound House in later records. Early in the 19<sup>th</sup> century the house was rebuilt. In 1813 the Pound House Farm was for sale following the death of owner John Bellamy Reynolds. The copyhold estate was for sale again in 1841 when it was described as 'comprising a house divided into 5 tenements ... several farm buildings, another dwelling house and garden ...capital arable, meadow and pasture land'.



To the south of the property there are two terraces of cottages called 'Pound Piece Cottages'. This early photo shows the corner of the Pound on Hallow Green roughly where the see- saw now stands.

*Source: Hallow History Group Research 2020*

