

THE OLD STOREHOUSE, ST. MARY'S, HOLM FIXED PRICE £45,000



Built in 1649, the Old Storehouse stands on the shores of Holm Bay in St. Mary's Village. It would have been the only stone building there when, the following year, Montrose and his army of ill equipped Orkney men embarked from the Bay, bound for death and defeat at the Battle of Carbisdale.

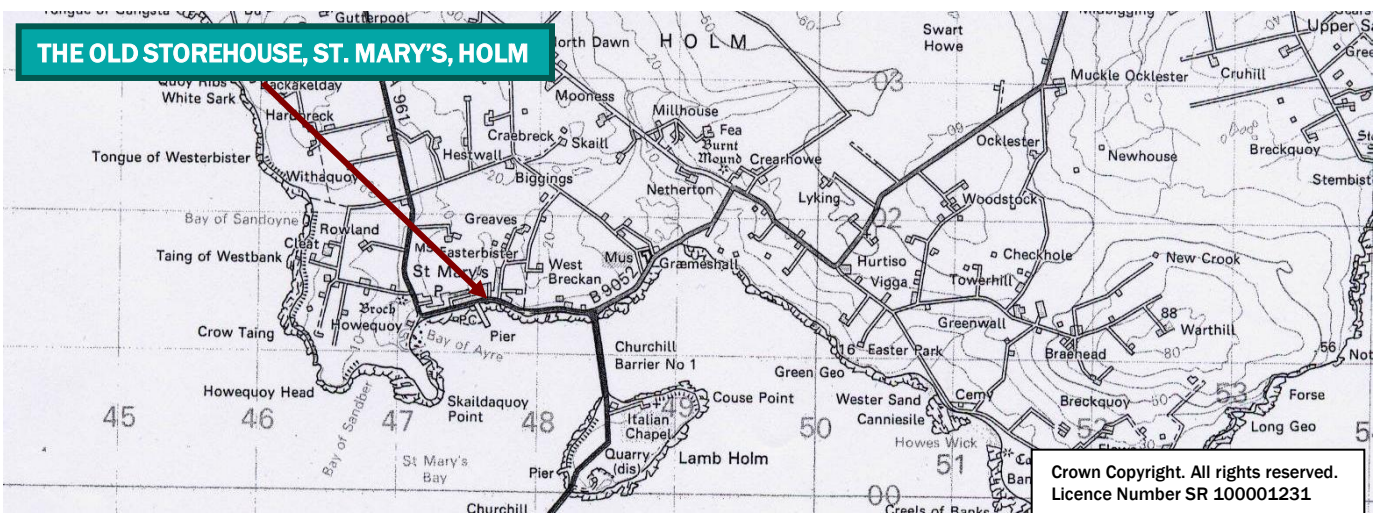
Farm rents, paid in produce, were stored here. French pirates made the most of this in 1694, coming ashore in longboats, breaking down the doors with repeated blows and escaping with the contents stored inside.

Over the centuries the old building has functioned as a kelp store, a herring fishing store, a cooperage and a warehouse where the cargo of wrecked sailing ships were stowed.

The attractive architecture of the building features traditional crow-stepped gables. It is 'B' listed and overlooks Holm Pier.

Each of the 3 floors extends to 60' x 16'6" approx.

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