

## **John Thorp**

### **Spice cupboard.**

In the corner there next to the window in the wall to the inner room is a wood-lined alcove, these are commonly called spice cupboards but they are simply keeping places; we don't know really what's kept there, in one house I've dealt with where you've still got the 17<sup>th</sup> century inscription on [it], it was clearly the store for the family bible, it had a religious text on it, other places they're just keeping places.