

A new 10-mile highway between Caracas and La Guaira, Venezuela, will include a tunnel 7000 feet long.

School Inspector Talks About Modern Teaching

At Borden Street School Parent-Teacher Association monthly meeting last evening, the speaker was School Inspector S. Graham who talked informally on present-day methods and teachers. There always had been criticism of the kind of pupils the schools turn out. Every generation took its turn bewailing the poor grade of instruction but a realistic survey showed that pupils of twenty years ago could not spell perfectly, he said, and indeed were not better taught than they are today. In any case the most important factor was the teacher and in every case the teacher was one who did his or her work with all sincerity and honesty of purpose. Most of the critics are not members of the parent-teacher association, he said, and therefore, speak with a limited and one-sided view. The value of the parent-teacher organization was indeed very real and the movement an asset in every school where it functions.

Terrace Disaster

TERRACE — The Red Cross local Disaster Committee was informed by wire on Friday afternoon that the main business section and Red Cross Outpost Hospital in Terrace had been destroyed by fire and five thousand people were homeless.

This was the message that had been awaited to start "Operation Mercy." Disaster committee chairman, Morris Wightman, called his committee chairmen to headquarters at the police station and "Operation Mercy" began in theory with Constable Wilson doing the practical work in sending messages south in code.

In theory, people were transported to the Civic Centre where the bowling alleys, being heated, were used as a hospital. The transportation was in charge of a taxi service. A list of supplies was sent to Vancouver headquarters by wireless by Constable Wilson. The committee were working on the assumption that 500 people had to be cared for for ten days.

Mel PeekeVout was in charge of the food supplies. Gerald Duffus, blankets, coats and pyjamas, while Dr. Mills and Dr. May gave the list of medical supplies and disinfectants, whole blood and plasma needed. Everything went smoothly and "Operation Mercy" was successfully concluded in Terrace.

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