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Foggintor School.

This looks like and is a car park, but actually the walls that you see here are the walls that were originally associated with a school that was built in here called Foggintor School, or sometimes New School I think, and the school was first constructed in 1915 and it was to serve all the houses and cottages that were occupied by people working in the local quarries, all now since gone. So there was a fairly substantial population of children who were coming here from 1915 through to when the school closed. The Headmaster for the entire life of the school was somebody called Mr Stoyle who had his own headmaster's house next door to the school house its self and he lived there with his wife and children for 21 odd years.