Serious Drinking Problem Noted At William E. Beltz High School

The drinking problem is serious among students at William E. Beltz Regional High School, Nome, James M. Harper said last week.

"We realize we have had problems at the Beltz School, but we are working on them and we hope to have them solved as quickly as possible," Harper, assistant director of state operated schools, said.

Speaking before the Northwest Alaska Chamber of Commerce at Nome, Harper announced that George White, acting superintendent at Beltz, would be administrator for the high school next term.