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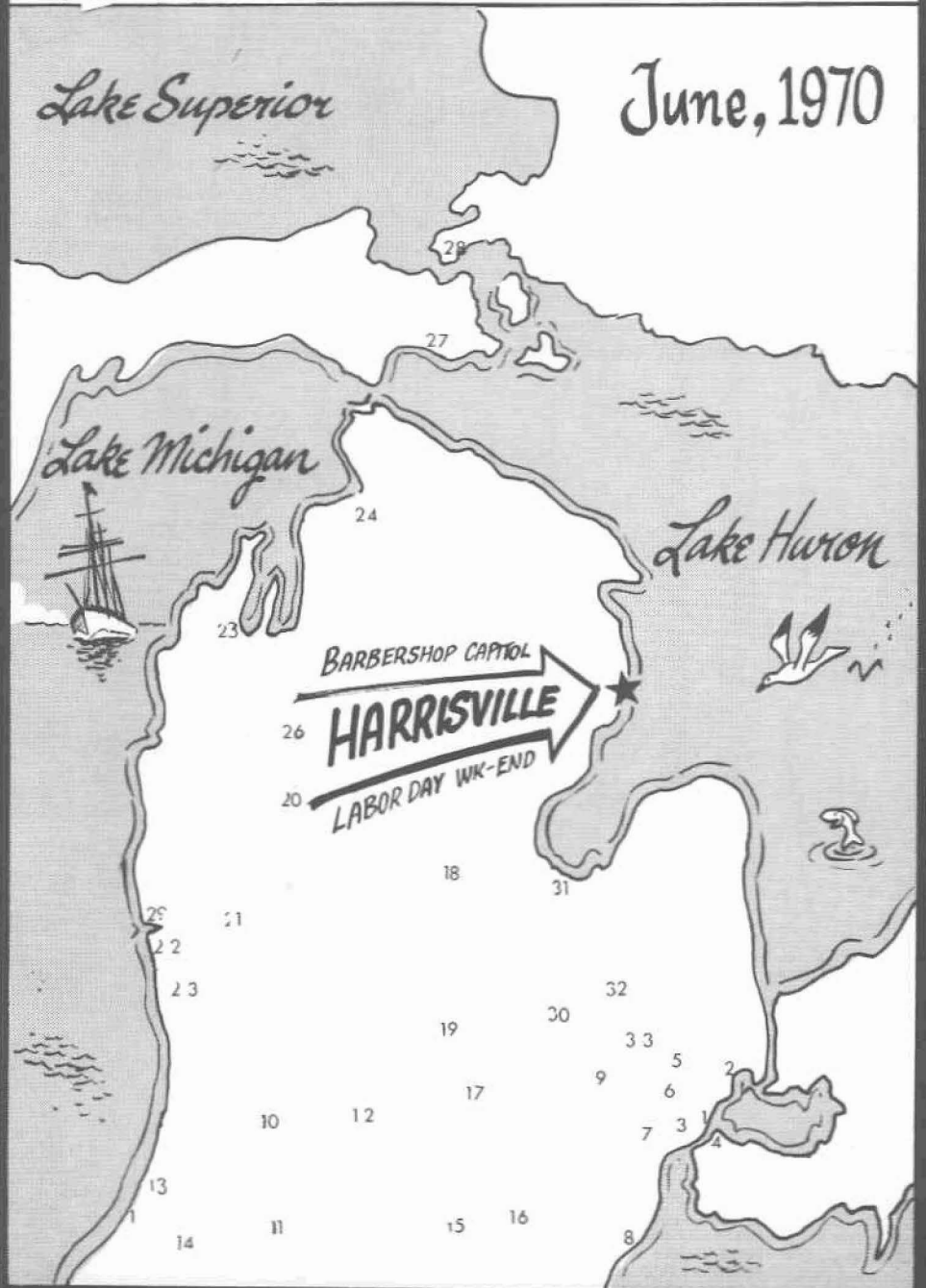
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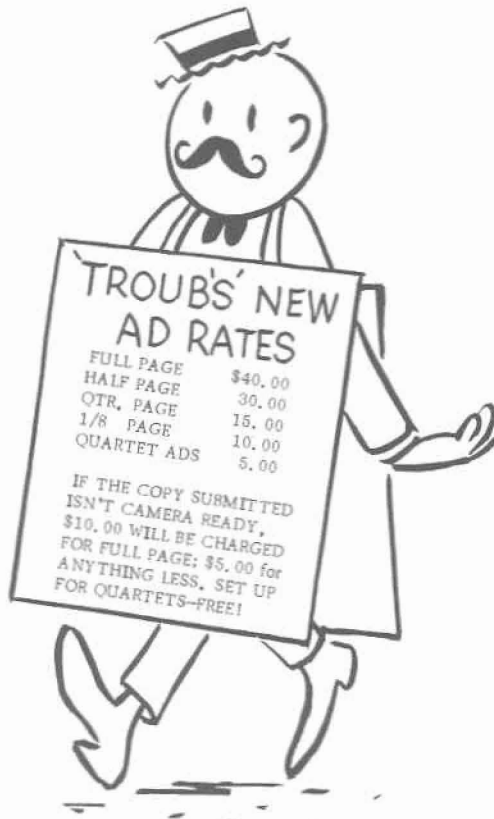
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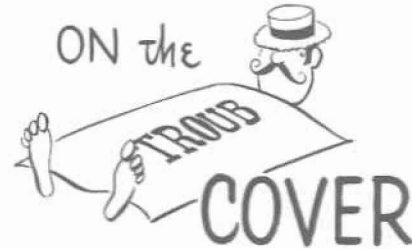
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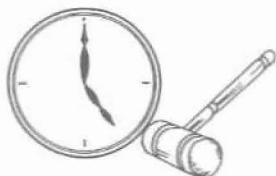
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It has been requested, many times - "Why don't you show the District members a map of the entire District showing where the various chapters are, and what Zones they belong to", so here it is. Of course, Harrisville isn't a Chapter, but by Proclamation of the District Board of Directors last year, Harrisville is the "Labor-Day Weer -end Capitol of the Pioneer District" so we've shown it on the map. If you haven't been to Harrisville for Labor Day, you're missing something akin to - New Year's eve, a Thanksgiving Day dinner, the Renegades on stage, Macy's parade, an International Convention, the Rosebowl, and World War II (complete with the original cast). It's sort of like the beer that advertises - "A completely unique experience". Chapters from all over the Country are represented there, and for the first time, we'll be going up there a week early. The hospitality of the townfolk of Harrisville is truly something to behold, and we wouldn't like you to miss it. See you there.

**DON'T FORGET
C.O.T.S. DEC. 6TH!**





Minutes

EXECUTIVE
BOARD
MEETING

Century Club, Muskegon, April 24, 1970

All board members were present except Zone II V.P. Dick Simpson. Also in attendance were Immediate Past Pres. Bob Gall (International), District C&J Chairman Merle Clayton, & Convention Co-Chairmen Jack Bennett and Ken Barnhard.

An extended discussion was had re: the agenda for the house of Delegates meeting to follow.

Exec. V.P. Ron Gillies advised the Board that Pontiac requested to be transferred to Zone IV (from Zone I) because of activities with several chapters in Zone IV. Pat Ryan so moved, seconded by Tom Pollard, and the motion to transfer carried, effective May 1, 1970

Respectfully submitted,
William C. Warner, Sec'y.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES MEETING, MUSKEGON, 4/24/70

The meeting, in the Occidental Hotel, was called to order By Pres. Damm at 9:10 P.M. V.P. Tom Pollard gave the invocation. Credentials Chairman reported 41 members present which constitutes a quorum.

Pres. Damm, in his opening remarks, stressed membership and the need to expand it. He suggested more members could be encouraged through the use of the District owned "logopedics Film" available to any chapter on request at no charge to the chapter.

Pres. Damm reported that a request by the Troub. Editor to edit all copy was denied, but that the Board agreed that due to space and cost limitations, reports should be limited to 300 words or less, and anything over that would be printed at the editors discretion.

Minutes of the last previous meeting were read and approved. The secretary advised that achievement awards would be presented at the fall Convention. He also urged all chapter secretaries to submit their QUARTERLY reports ON TIME since awards are based primarily on these reports.

The treasurers report was read and approved.

ZONE REPORTS

Zone I - Tom Pollard Zone I shows a healthy outlook and much activity . . . interchapter quartet contests patterned after Detroit-GrossePointe Christmas contest have spread to Wayne, Detroit, Grosse Pointe, and Pontiac getting involved on a home-and-home basis. . . . The Ann Arbor Chapter charter has been revoked, and Redford is currently having attendance problems.

Zone II No report

Zone III - Don Funk Zone III is healthy. . . Grand Rapids was congratulated on their great show just finished Big Rapids is in some difficulty expanding and District help was requested. . .

Zone IV - Cliff MacLean All chapters reported doing well, and some extension work is being conducted in Alpena and Roscommon.

Exec. V.P. Gillies reported that the Board had voted to let Pontiac transfer from Zone I to IV, and assigned it to Bud

Carpenter for administration. Cliff Douglas was relieved of his duties since he is no longer in Zone I, and Milford was assigned to Ed Conn for administration.

Gillies further stated that an emergency appendectomy prevented Chet Fox' visit to the District, but that Bob Johnson was receiving favorable turnouts on his District wide swing.

1969 Area-Councilor-of-the-Year Award was presented to Noel "Bud" Carpenter.

Pres. Damm introduced "Keynoter" Bob Gall who's address stressed the word "Encouragement" and suggested we all get involved and try new ways to promote Barber-shopping. Gall presented the International PROTECTION Awards to Chapters as follows: 1st plateau - Boyne City, 2nd plateau - Windsor, 4th plateau - Muskegon, and 5th plateau - Detroit. Fruitbelt Chapter was honored with a banner recognizing 100% retention of members, and their officers received mementos.

President Gall also commended men-of-note in the District, particularly Frank Bateson of the Saginaw-Bay Chapter for number 16(only 16 men in the Society have 15 or more men-of-note Awards).

Pontiac's Cliff Douglas moved that the area-councilor-of-the year Award henceforth be known as the CHASE SANBORN AREA COUNCILOR AWARD, it was seconded by Jack Bennett, and carried unanimously.

Bob Peterson of the Holland Chapter questioned the matter of requiring all contestants to purchase an all events ticket to be eligible to compete. After considerable discussion, it was moved by Ted Verwey(Windsor) to support the District Board's action. The motion was seconded and the vote carried 36 to 4.

Cris Neff (Niles-Buchanan) spoke at length on membership promotion and encouragement and presented some very helpful suggestions.

Ted Verwey reminded all present of the forth coming Windsor convention and preparations already going.

Ed Carlson spoke of the preliminary groundwork already accomplished for the 1971 Spring Convention in Traverse City.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 P.M. with "KEEP AMERICA SINGING".

Respectfully submitted,
William C. Warner
District Secretary



CHAPTER REPORTS

LANSING

by Michael Strauss

We want to send a special "thanks" to our Ladies Auxiliary for the terrific job they did in Muskegon, both in moral support and the Hospitality room. Because of your hard work, we had the best room in the "Accidental" Hotel.

To get with the spirit of this year's convention, the Chapter rented the film from last year's International Convention in St. Louis, which was quite a treat. It seems a shame that only one chorus and quartet can win; they were all so great. Many members invaded Larry Wicker's home one night for a second showing. Thanks, Larry.

The biggest event was past president's night on May 18. We had quite a turn out, including nine past presidents & one guest past president who now hold a dual membership in Jackson and Lansing, George Dyer. The night was concluded by Tony Stornant, a former director and past president leading gang singing.

Best of luck to the SHARPLIFTERS, GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT, and the WOLVERINE CHORUS in Atlantic City. We're sure you'll represent our District well. A word of warning to the quartets - Ken Gibson's motto (since that dreary day in Muskegon) is "Traverse City in 71". Maybe it'll rub off on the chorus, so look out Wolverines..



Past Presidents Left to right: G. Johnson, R Olger, D Funk M. Bates, T. Stornant, H. McAtee, W. Dyer, W. Wood, and F. Brown

TRAVERSE CITY

Dean Fisher

WASN'T COMPETITION GREAT !!! Our "over 40" came back really up.

Friday after Muskegon we hit Roscommon where Moe Weaver and the boys are doing a good job getting a new Chapter together. . . Good luck, guys.

The next Monday was a great night with Boyne City, which was almost cancelled due to the untimely death of their president Jay Shuring. (Jay's wife thought the meeting should take place, because that's what Jay would have wanted. . . What a great gal . . .)

Now hard at work putting our show tunes together . . . come up June 13th and hear us.

Many, many thanks to all the people and quartets who came to our hospitality room in Muskegon. Many of us feel this is the greatest part of the convention. We don't hear enough of this.

Hearty congratulations to the WOLVERINES AND CARL DAHLKE, THE SHARPLIFTERS, AND THE GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT, AND THE VAGABONDS. Great going.

REMEMBER - - - SPRING CONVENTION IN 1971 IS IN TRAVERSE CITY. We promise you a great one. (Ed note to D. Fischer - if you haven't received your Troubs., talk to your corresponding secretary. I'm sorry, but I have absolutely no control over circulation)

FLINT

Les Lang

May was a month of varied activities. Holly-Fenton show was a real good one - nice to see Jack Stephan again, and the quartet he sings with (THE CHALKDUSTERS) are very good and a great bunch of guys. The afterglo was a riot.

The Quad-Chapter meeting was a real live affair. Not as well attended as usual but those there made up for it with enthusiasm.

Our May 12 meeting was very well attended, and Holly-Fenton made a surprise visit. The BEAN TOWN FOUR was our guest quartet. Lunch was served, and everyone joined in for a lot of woodshedding.

We will continue thru the summer with our regular meetings, and starting in September (after Harrisville) we will meet every Tuesday night, have a real good chorus, and do some singing out this fall and winter.

BOYNE CITY

by Loton Willson

Sorry I missed last issue, just too busy, I guess. The Boyne City Chapter deeply grieves the loss of our president, Jay Schuring, who was killed in a car accident recently. We will greatly miss him, though he was not an "old timer" in the sense of long time membership, he certainly was a dedicated barbershopper. Mrs. Schuring requested no flowers and said if we wished to honor Jay, we could make a donation to Logopedics in his name, which we have done.

I am sure you have all been informed of the Bush League results so I will not elaborate. Next year is being planned already, and Dick Wheeler has been named Chairman.

The chorus has been very busy since Bush League. We have appeared at various functions among which was the Librarians Convention at Boyne Mountain which numbered about 800. Needless to say, we enjoyed the praise they showered upon us. They sent a check to us made out to Logopedics for our services. We also sang at the Boyne City Rotary Ladies night at Boyne Mountain. Our quartet, the COMMON-TATORS also sang at these events. We have two more requests to sing at conventions this summer, so we will be busy.

Our next Monday night meeting, we will take the Traveling Jug (Traverse City brought it to us) to Cedarville. Although both of these Chapters are over 60 miles away, it is easier for us to make visitations now than just a few years ago, when the nearest chapter was a hundred miles away. That is the only reason we envy the southern chapters . . . otherwise, we like the north Country.

CADILLAC

Chester J. Polega

DEARBORN

by Bob Stone

DAVID STEVENS, your visit here on May 12 will be long remembered. You were superb and we are ever so grateful to International for allowing you to visit us and tell so many things we didn't know about the origin and organization of S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A. and about the changes that have taken place in barbershopping from the old days to the present time. The program was very enlightening, and we enjoyed every minute of it.

TO: Dave Lucas, one of our highly regarded Chapter Members . . . is it true your wife is too demanding of your time? ? ? ? ?

MUSKEGON

by Del Doctor

Thanks (District members) for Making our Spring Convention a big success. If you had as much fun as we, in Muskegon did, you really did yourselves proud. You're a great group to host.

Our chapter meeting on May 18th was a good evening of barbershop. Along with a contest for woodshed quartets we heard from the DUNE TONES, the KASUAL D's, and our treat for the evening was a visit from the TUNE TAILORS from Holland. Henry Malmquist was the chairman for the evening, and he proved his mettle with his planning. The UKE-A-LO-FT's (Dick & Clyde Hester) had a job that even- and dropped in to brighten up the evening, even more.

The best of everything from the Muskegon Chapter to the GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT and THE SHARPLIFTERS in Atlantic City. Knock 'em dead, fellows.

The KASUAL D's will be singing for the adults at the Retardation Center Monday, May 25th. Community service is a great thing our chapter will be doing more of this year.

We would like to show off our queen for the year. Here she is . . . MRS. AL MARTIN, our 1970 SPEBSQUAW-of-the year. Our former queen, Mrs. Tom Damm is putting the



crown on June's head while husband Al looks on, proudly. Again, congratulations, June.

Let's KEEP AMERICA SINGING, and get rid of a little of the drab look that the world has for us.

Until September, see ya.

Our regular meeting on May 8th went extremely well with some old timers quartets displaying early harmony styles at the behest of Cecil Craig, M.C., filling in for George Hoke who had to cancel out at the last minute. George had expected to commute from his retirement villa in Auburndale Fla. for M.C. chores, but sadly, his doctor said no-can-do. Sorry George. Thanks to the Wayne Wonderland and Grosse Pointe Choruses who showed up after a couple of singing engagements. Again we hand accolades to Chef Shamus for his wondrous concoctions that go down easy, taste good, fill us up, and stay within the budget.

By the time this gets into print, we expect our fund raising "Boardwalk Bash" for the International bound competitors will have closed a successful book in the black. This has been a custom in Dearborn for many years, dating way back to the SHARPKEEPERS trip to Dallas, I think. We ask all the talent we can get; everybody pays at the door (guests, wives, girl friends, kids, etc), and we usually garner enough over minimum expenses to divvy up a couple of hundred dollars between the quartets and chorus, with a set rate for the foursomes and the rest going to the chorus at a rate per head. We sent out flyers and hope for support.

George Hoke just wrote and promised to M.C. our June meeting on the second Friday (the 12th). Stop by at our meeting hall and join in with a song to welcome George - the Jolly Green Giant of Dearborn.

DEARBORN JOINS THE FAMILY & FRIENDS OF LONG TIME BARBERSHOPPER TOM HAGAN TO MOURN HIS PASSING after a brief illness. Tom died May 24th at Oakwood Hospital.

Tom was active in several chapters, but his last, and probably his favorite, was Dearborn. Tom sang a good tenor

DETROIT

Larry King

Detroit hosted the second annual Wayne-Detroit Quartet contest on May 15, and what a battle of chords it was. Nine ty barbershoppers filled the room to capacity and 20 quartets participated. When it was over, judges Joe Wolff, Ed Conn, and Bob Whitledge gave the nod to Detroit, which put us back on the winning track after three quartet contests with Grosse Pointe and two with Wayne. We also had the pleasure of hearing some numbers from the INTERLOCHENS and the INVOICES. Our Society seems to thrive on contests such as this, and it really builds the enthusiasm and gets everyone into the spirit of things.

Detroit hosted Dave Stevens, one of the fieldmen from Kenosha on May 18. The Individuals on the Society staff do a remarkable job of imparting their knowledge of music at the workshops they conduct, and Dave is no exception. All present went away with a better understanding of the ramifications of arranging.

It isn't too early to start talking to your friends, (barbershoppers and non-barbershoppers) about Detroit's annual Moonlight Cruise. The boat leaves the foot of Woodward at 8:15 P.M. on July 17, and tickets may be purchased at the dock for \$2.50 each. This is one of the big events of the year, rain or shine (1300 sailed with us last year). With many of the top quartets in the area, woodshedding, and dancing - there is something for just about everyone. (Please note - no refreshments may be taken aboard, but they can be purchased on the boat.)

GRAND RAPIDS

by Dick Williams

W O W! Congratulations to us guys in the Chorus and Chapter for our fine showing in the Muskegon Contest, and for our very successful Great Lakes week-end. It was the most exciting and successful in our Chapter's history. One couldn't ask for any better talent than the MARK IV, SALT FLATS, SHARPLIFTERS, and the STRAND BROS. Our afterglo was held in the Grand Valley Armory and exceeded our greatest hopes with around 700 in attendance. The "sweetheart" and her beau for that week-end were Bob & Ardie Jeltema. Boy, did they have a good time.

And then, of course, there was the Muskegon Contest . . . well, what can you say?? The contest was great, but the accomadations left something to be desired. The highlight of the convention was our upset of the Muskegon Chorus and the fact that we didn't have to wear the dunce caps. I guess the Great "Lunks" chorus came thru.

Our plans for the summer include at least one sing-out package show a month plus our normal activities of program nights and chorus rehearsals, and getting ready for the fall contest in Windsor. We're out to improve our position so, to those "aspirants to to District Champs", you'll have to trample 45 of us first, if you want to get there.

WAYNE

by Morrie Giles

Note to the WOLVERINE CHORUS: Congratulations, you guys, but do you have to stay on top of that mountain all of the time??? If, perchance, you suffer dizzy spells at such heights, we can show you a quick way to get down. How about watching the judges instead of the director? Afterall, they appreciate a nod and a smile from you once in a while; and who says you can only have four parts in your chorus? Wouldn't a fifth part make the chords that much sweeter? Try it, and you'll soon find yourselves in a much less rarified atmosphere.

Now that this green gilled reporter has that off his chest, let me hasten to add that the entire District is proud to recognize you as the undisputed champs, and we all wish you the very best in Atlantic City.

Wayne now holds Chapter meetings at Hawthorn Valley Country Club at Warren & Merriman Roads. Come visit us any first Friday. At our May meeting we were visited By the WONDERLADS who entertained royally. Thanks, fellahs, come back real soon.

On May 8th, the Wonderland Chorus fulfilled another engagement at the Livonia Shopping Mall where they received a standing ovation (no seats available). Following this we joined Grosse Pointe for a visit to Dearborn for a bang-up evening.

May 14th the Chorus sang for the Garden City Kiwanians and their ladies. We received a standing ovation for our efforts which always make you feel good.

On May 15th we were forced to give up the crown at the Annual Interchapter Quartet Contest with Detroit. Wait 'till next year . . .

May 23rd we also sang for a Joint meeting of the Masons and the Knights of Columbus.

This being the last issue for the summer, may you have a pleasant summer, and we'll see you in Harrisville.

WINDSOR

by Ted Verwey

Windsor takes this opportunity to again thank the Muskegon members for a splendid job, so ably executed, in steering our Spring Convention in the right channels. Special thanks to Jack Bennett and Ken Barnhard, co-chairmen, and Tom Damm, as well as their hard working wives, who managed to get things ship-shape as much as possible under trying circumstances. (Here is an example of what can be done with a "Ladies Auxiliary")

Our Congratulations to the contest winners - the GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT, SHARPLIFTERS, and VAGABONDS. Best of luck in Atlantic City, fellows. We hope to hear much more of our new District Champs - the WOLVERINES. Nice work, men.

Due to added obligations at work, Ron Thompson had to relinquish his job as Secretary. Please make the following changes on page 19 of the District Directory:

Change ALL area codes from 416 to 519

President: William Lloyd

1849 Alexis

Windsor 19, Ontario (519) 945-7272

Secretary: Earl Dykeman

4191 Mount Royal

Windsor 21, Ontario (519) 969-2788



The MERRI-MADICS as seen in one of their eight performances with the Windsor Light Opera Association's production of the Music Man. (L. to R. - Fred Sorrell, Bill Strong, Doran McTaggart, and Paul Eberwein.)



SAGINAW BAY

by Bob Melton

A tip of the old straw hat to the GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT and the SHARPLIFTERS for the job they did over in Muskegon, and the big sound of the WOLVERINES is still ringing around in this writer's empty old head. That Carl Dahlke can wring the chords out of them like a scrub woman getting water out of a sponge. About our only claim to fame was our own Bud Carpenter being named Area-Councilor-of-the-Year. Congratulations, Bud.

Saginaw-Bay hosted the Quad-Chapter meeting May 8th, and the sixty in attendance were made up of 22 from our own chapter, 14 from Pontiac, 10 from Flint, 7 from Holly-Fenton, 2 from Detroit, and two guests. Don Ferguson and Bill Pascher led gang singing, and the combined chorus never sounded better. The BARNYARD FOUR (Bob Deming, Pete Norling, Doug Beaver, & Bill Dolzell) started the meeting and were followed by the RING MAS-TERS, BEAN TOWN FOUR, EVERSHARPS, and the PONTIAC FOUR. It's a night I'll not soon forget.

Dave Steven's visit on May 12 was a success. He thanked us for the used car we bought for him and complimented us on our membership (35 members and guests). He taught us more about the fundamentals of music than I ever knew existed.

In the coming event department - June 21 is the annual Saginaw-Bay Family Picnic at the Bay County Fair Grounds . . . Pontiac's 4th of July Camp-out . . . The next quad-chapter meeting in Flint (Croatian Hall) on the 15th of September.

PONTIAC

by Terry Ermonian

HEAR YE .. HEAR YE .. Be it known to all men that on the night of May 15, 1970, Clifford Douglas was proclaimed Pontiac's "Barbershopper-of-the-Year". Congratulations to ye, matey - 'tis a fine job your a-doin' and ye be well deservin' of the award.

Be it also known the Pontiac Chapter will be a-hostin' its' Golf outing on June 6th at noon at the Pontiac Country Club Green fees, matey, be a mere \$5.50 (or a gold doubloon from Captain Kidd's treasure chest). Contact 1st Mate Dick Guerin at 674-1353 for information.

Other activities, mate, that'll be a-comin' your way:

- June 14 Pontiac's Family picnic
- June 19 Pontiac Chapter meeting
- June 23rd Pontiac visits Milford
- July 1 Bermuda shorts night
- Jul 3-5 Camp-out, Paradise Park

Be a-settin' your sights, mate, to be a-sailin' with the crew of the "Pontiac Clipper". We'll be a-sharin' many a keg o' ale and rum plus a-raisin' the galley roofs with robust singing. Be 'seen' ya.



OAKLAND COUNTY

by Bob Drabik

On top of rehearsing two nights a week, the WOLVERINE CHORUS will be singing out every Friday night starting at Dearborn's Ladies night on May 29th until our July 3rd meeting. It's all in preparation for Atlantic City and in the interest of good barbershopping, through fellowship.

By the time this is read, the Brown Jug will have returned (thanks, guys) and the walls of our hall will have had one heck of an earth shattering experience. You couldn't find two better representatives than the GENTLEMEN'S AGREEMENT and the SHARPLIFTERS. I don't know about you, but I'm planning on buying a record with both of them on it this year.

June 12 will find us at the Lansing Fish Fry. We've chartered a bus for the trip, and anyone is welcome to join us. This will make the fifth year in a row that we've made this excursion and it seems to get better every year. Why don't you get a group together and sample some of that Lansing hospitality.

June 24th we board the plane for the "Big One" in Atlantic City. This is where it really happens - "all the good things" Man, if your lamp isn't lit there, your switch is broken. It's a barbershoppers thrill of a lifetime.

July 3 will be our Annual Bermuda Shorts Night, and August 7th will be the Annual GREENHORN QUARTET CONTEST, for novices like you and me. This is where you and three of your buddies get a chance to boondoggle and maybe win a prize. It will be a ladies night, so bring your best girl along. The rules are (1) no more than two registered quartet men per quartet. Stage presence will not be judged and the entry fee of \$1.00 per man will be split, equally between the winning quartet and Logopedics, with a guarantee of \$20.00 to the winners. Your Program V.P. will have all the info, so get together and have some fun. The VAGABONDS and THE TRIADS (Sweet-Ads) will provide entertainment for the evening.

We'd like to welcome our new members - STU GATES, CHUCK EGAN, BOB BURNS, and VERN HOLSTROM (a transfer from Berkley Cal.) Also, it's good to hear the CHORD REPORTERS again; with ED McCARTHY singing lead they sound better than ever.

SEE YOU IN HARRISVILLE

This is the last issue of the Troubadour until September. Chapter reporters please note that your next deadline for copy is August 25th.

We appreciate your help in keeping your copy as short as possible during our "financial" troubles. Most of you found out that you could say in 300 words what it used to take you 500 words to say, anyway.

We had a ball doing the Troub. and, the Board willing, we'll do it again next year.

From the staff of the Troubadour, have a good summer, and we'll see you next season.

Keep America Singing

men of  note



Look at us go. The Pioneer District on the grow. Thirty two brand spankin' new members, and it doesn't take many months like this one to get back our third quartet for International. Muskegon, in addition to producing a fine District Convention, leads the pack with five new members, and Grand Rapids is second with four. (Zone III has a total of 12 new members, in fact.) Fred Kendall is the hero of the group with his ninth man of note award, and he is joined by Don Van Dyke, Bob Hart, Ken Barnhard, and Corbett Hansen to make up the five honored men. Al Fricker of Wayne should also be commended for his ninth award. Here's the total list:

Vern Rowan	1
E.J. Sidor	3
Thomas Hegle	1
Bill Schumacher	1
Bernie Poelman	1
Thomas Weller	1
Richard Harrington	2
Robert Peterson	2
Jack Zimmerman	4
Charles Wilson	2
Carl Elwing	1
Meruyn Kidd	1
Norm Kingstad	1
Don Van Dyke	3
Bob Hart	2
Ken Barnhard	3
Corbett Hansen	2
Fred Kendall	9
Bob McDermott	7
Quentin Wilber	1
Martin Chirgwin	3
Max Carter	7
Peter C. Anderson	2
Al Fricker	9
Robert A. Campbell	1
Sanford Burrill	1
Don L. Burrill	2
Don Hartman	1
Cecil Roberts	2
Ted Verwey	3
Andrew J. Roy	3
Ken Arksley	1

Get busy, all you slackers. You too, can be listed among the notable "Men-of-Note; it takes just a little bit of effort to find a guy who likes to sing. Good luck....



Coming Events

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William C. Warner
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