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OF

**SOCIETY FOR THE PRESERVATION AND  
ENCOURAGEMENT OF BARBER SHOP  
QUARTET SINGING IN AMERICA**

*Presents*

**1949 Michigan Regional Quartet Contest**



**CASS TECH AUDITORIUM, DETROIT, MICHIGAN  
Saturday, April 30, 1949**

# Metropolitan Detroit Association of Chapters

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There are 13 Regional Contests being held simultaneously throughout North America. From these will come the 40 qualifiers for the International Contest at Buffalo, New York, June 10-11, 1949. Four quartets will be chosen in tonight's Michigan Regional, quotas being set on the basis of SPEBSQSA membership in each region.

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# Program

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## Quartets

- 1—Pitch Pipers.....Grand Rapids
- 2—Four Huron Hoarsemen.....Ypsilanti
- 3—Clef Dwellers.....Oakland County
- 4—Auto City Four.....Hamtramck
- 5—Interludes.....Midland
- 6—Four Shorties.....Detroit
- 7—Gardenaires.....Detroit
- 8—Food City Four.....Battle Creek
- 9—Detroiters.....Detroit
- 10—Paragons.....Muskegon
- 11—Song Masters.....Lansing
- 12—Antlers.....Flint
- 13—Jokers.....Redford
- 14—Tune Vendors.....Dowagiac
- 15—Old Timers.....Detroit, Oakland, Grosse Pointe, Hamtramck
- 16—Collegians.....Grosse Pointe
- 17—The Done Four.....Three Rivers
- 18—Note Orioles.....Muskegon

## Intermission

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### METROPOLITAN DETROIT BARBERSHOP CHORUS

*Under the direction of Thomas E. Needham*

### THE FOUR WINNERS

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