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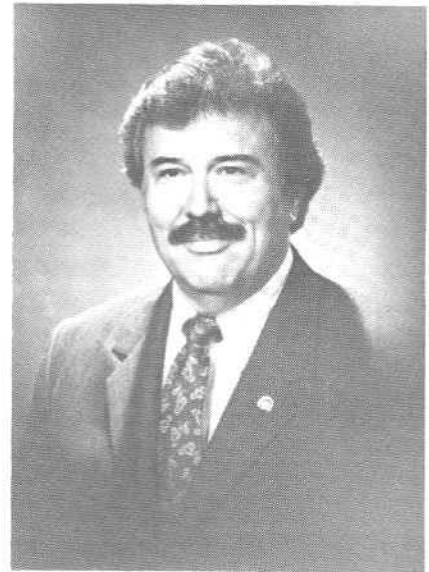
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Spring Convention

April 22-24, 1988



Darryl Flinn
Past International President

W. K. Kellogg Auditorium
Battle Creek, Michigan

Hosts
Grand Rapids Chapter

JUDGES

Chairman	Darryl Flinn, N. Canton, OH Johnny Appleseed
Sound	Thomas E. Ewald, Davidson, MD Mid-Atlantic Harry Williamson, Wilmington, DE Mid-Atlantic
Interpretation	Ed Berry, Worthington, OH Johnny Appleseed Douglas Miller, Prior Lake, MN Land O' Lakes
Stage Presence	Tom Hegle, Ballwin, MO Central States Roger Thomas, Racine, WI Land O' Lakes
Arrangement	Don Gray, Cincinnati, OH Johnny Appleseed Burt Szabo, Kenosha, WI Land O' Lakes
Secretary	Larry King, Farmington Hills, MI Pioneer
Assistant Secretaries	John T. Gillespie, Kalamazoo, MI Pioneer Bob McDermott, Birmingham, MI Pioneer
Timers	Fran Jones, Lowell, MI Pioneer Norman Peterson, Big Rapids, Pioneer



DISTRICT QUARTET PRELIMINARIES 8:30 p.m., Friday, April 22, 1988 Kellogg Auditorium, Battle Creek, MI

Master of Ceremonies Don Lacy
Grand Rapids Chapter
Mike Testers: Nitty Gritty Good Time Four

- Songs 'R' Us** – Macomb County Chapter
Tenor – George Van De Velde Bari – Larry Buescher
Lead – Roy Gurney Bass – Derrick Deakins
- Anything Goes** – Wayne Chapter
Tenor – Matt Coombs Bari – Kevin Hayes
Lead – Craig Pollard Bass – John Burns
- Your Favorite Quartet** – Grosse Pointe,
Jackson and Wayne Chapters
Tenor – Marvin Skupski Bari – Dan LaBumbard
Lead – Dick McHugh Bass – Nels Gregersen
- Hi-Tech** – Wayne Chapter
Tenor – Bob Riedel Bari – Brian Kaufman
Lead – Bruce LaMarte Bass – Bob Wisdom

- Collector's Choice** – Lansing Chapter
Tenor – Art Cardy Bari – Don Horton
Lead – Jeff Marks Bass – Bob Fox
- Furniture City Chord Company** –
Grand Rapids Chapter
Tenor – Ron Thomet Bari – Dave Kutter
Lead – Jim Westveld Bass – Ray Gruter
- Grand Prix** – Battle Creek Chapter
Tenor – Ron Rachauskas, Jr. Bari – Ben Jerzyk
Lead – Dick Spear Bass – Don Burrill

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- Blue Ribbon Coalition** –
Griatiot County Chapter
Tenor – Mark Wilson Bari – Dave Rayburn
Lead – Jeff Rayburn Bass – Randy Mac Laren
- The Family Forum** – Macomb County Chapter
Tenor – Michael T. Slamka Bari – Michael A. Slamka
Lead – Donald M. Slamka Bass – John E. Slamka
- Past Tense** – Grand Rapids Chapter
Tenor – Ron Olson Bari – Jean Curtiss
Lead – Don Phillips Bass – Jack Sidor
- The Sound Ambassadors** –
Huron Valley Chapter
Tenor – Ken Winkelman Bari – Chuck Simmons
Lead – Jim Stephens Bass – Walt Quick
- Executive Suite** – Traverse City Chapter
Tenor – Paul Stabile Bari – Jeff Slaughter
Lead – Jim Carey Bass – Mark Johnson
- "The Ivy League"** – Wayne Chapter
Tenor – Bob Hartley Bari – Jim Pollard
Lead – Scott Turnbull Bass – Dave Drouillard

DISTRICT CHORUS CONTEST 12:00 Noon, April 23, 1988 Kellogg Auditorium, Battle Creek, MI

Master of Ceremonies Bill Wickstrom
Detroit/Oakland County Chapter

DIRECTOR

Traverse City
Cherry Capital Chorus

Dean Fischer

ABOUT THAT FACE ON THE COVER

Darryl was born and raised in Akron, Ohio. He worked for Goodyear for eight years, during which time he also completed a stint in the military and attended Akron University. He joined the State Farm Insurance Companies in 1961 as an agent and then moved to Canton, Ohio where he now serves the Companies as a District Manager.

Darryl's barbershop harmony hobby began during high school in Akron in 1949 where he sang with his first quartet. Since then, he has competed in several quartets internationally; directed the Hall of Fame Chorus and the Sweet Adeline City of Flags Chorus, both from Canton. In addition to coaching and teaching the craft of barbershop, he is a certified Sound Judge, a certified Chairman of Judges, is past President of the great Johnny Appleseed District and served as 1987 International President of the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America, Inc.

1988 PIONEER DISTRICT OFFICERS

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 INTERNATIONAL BOARD MEMBER Robert T. McDermott
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 Division III Michael J. O'Donnell
 Division IV Robert Tracy
 Division V Paul Lehmkuhle

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 DIRECTOR OF CONVENTION PLANNING
 AND SPECIAL EVENTS Roger J. Lewis

We would like to thank the following members of the permanent convention committee: Roger Lewis, Jim Gougeon, Clay Jones, Fran Jones, Larry King, Jim Stephens, Russ Seely and Jack Schneider as well as the host chapter and their committees for the efforts in making this another successful convention.

SPRING '88 HOST CHAPTER
 COORDINATOR Jim Russell
 (Grand Rapids Chapter) 616-942-1827

FALL '88 HOST CHAPTER
 COORDINATOR Jim Stephens
 (Huron Valley Chapter) 313-459-4011

THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

Oh, say! can you see by the dawn's early light,

What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming

Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight

O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?

And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in the air,

Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.

Oh, say, does that Star Spangled Banner yet wave

O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

Francis Scott Key

O CANADA

O Canada! Our home and native land!

True Patriot love in all thy sons command

With glowing hearts we see thee rise,

The True North strong and free!

From far and wide, O Canada

we stand on guard for thee,

God keep our land glorious and free!

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY – April 22

12:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Registration in Lobby at
 poolside.
 1:00 p.m. District Board Meeting
 Horizon
 2:00 p.m.-On Barbershopper's Shop
 Lobby
 8:00 p.m. Quartet Briefing
 Kellogg Auditorium
 Backstage
 8:30 p.m. Quartet Contest
 Kellogg Auditorium

SATURDAY – April 23

7:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Registration
 7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Chapter President's
 Breakfast Horizon
 8:30 a.m. House of Delegates
 Meeting Branson 4
 9:00 a.m.-On Barbershopper's Shop
 Lobby
 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. A & R Sessions - Eliminated
 Quartets Montgomery
 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. Logopedic's Meeting
 Branson 3
 11:30 a.m. Chorus Director's Briefing
 Kellogg Auditorium
 Backstage
 12:00 noon Pioneer District Chorus
 Contest - Kellogg Auditorium

Chorus A & R Sessions immediately following the contest - Branson 3

(A half hour after the end of the Chorus contest, there will be a mass sing in McCamly Place Center Court.)

8:30 p.m.-10:30 p.m. Quartet Finals
 Kellogg Auditorium
 11:00 p.m. Chorditorium-Afterglow
 Branson

SUNDAY – April 24

10 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Quartet A & R Sessions
 Montgomery

- 2. Wayne Renaissance Chorus Jim Polla
- 3. Muskegon Shoreline Chorus Del Doctor
- 4. Lansing Capitol City Chordsmen Chorus Michael J. O'Donnell
- 5. Saginaw-Bay Timberland Chordsmen Chorus James Gross
- 6. Swan Valley Soundmen Chorus Herb Benjamin
- 7. Flint Arrowhead Chorus John A. Noteware
- 8. Battle Creek Cereal City Chorus Dorn Burrill
- 9. Holland Windmill Chorus Myke Lucas
- 10. Grosse Pointe Lakeshore Chorus Russ Seely

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- 11. Kalamazoo Mall City Chorus Ed Fritzen
- 12. Gratiot County Midstatesmen Chorus Jeff Raybur
- 13. Clinton Valley Heart Of The Hills Chorus Al Fisk
- 14. Benton Harbor-St. Joseph Fruit Belt Chorus Bob Bame
- 15. Milford Mill Valley Chorus Darl Wiley
- 16. Huron Valley Huron Valley Chorus Jim Stephens
- 17. Macomb County Harmony Heritage Chorus Jack Slamka
- 18. Monroe Stateline Chorus Stephen J. Wolff
- 19. Windsor Sun Parlour Chorus David Duncan



DISTRICT QUARTET FINALS
8:30 p.m., Saturday, April 23, 1988
Kellogg Auditorium, Battle Creek, MI

Welcome Earl Berry
 Pioneer District President

Master of Ceremonies Doran McTaggart
 Windsor Chapter

Mike Testers _____

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PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

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OUTGOING DISTRICT CHORUS CHAMPIONS
"GENTLEMEN SONGSTERS"
DETROIT OAKLAND CHAPTER

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1988 INTERNATIONAL
QUARTET REPRESENTATIVES

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1988 PIONEER DISTRICT
CHORUS CHAMPIONS

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FINALE

"KEEP THE WHOLE WORLD SINGING"

