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STEVENS POINT BARBERSHOPPERS PRESENT 21st ANNUAL HARVEST OF HARMONY September 21, 1974

STEVENS POINT CHORUS

The Stevens Point Barbershop Chorus celebrates its twenty-first anniversary this evening with the production of "The Things We Did Last Summer."

This versatile chorus under the able direction of Carman Lane is one of the finest in the Land-O-Lakes district. This spring the chorus won first place in the Region 2 contest. They will be competing in the District finals competition October 26 in Oshkosh with the winners representing Land-O-Lakes at the International Convention next summer.

Vern Holmes, a member of the lead section, will be doing double duty tonight acting as MC for the evening and holding down his part as the Chorus performs.

Also doing extra curricular duty will be the members of "The Associates" Quartet composed of Eric Konkol, Tenor; Keith Jahnke, Lead; Pat Cassidy, Baritone; and Dave Peplinski, Bass, who will perform a portion of the opening melody of songs.

The group, composed of some fifty members, rehearses every Monday

Besides being topnotch quarteters they have well in excess of 50 years of chorus experience and are all active members of the Stevens Point chapter and all have been officers.

ALLIED FOUR

The Allied Four quartet from the greater Chicago area is a variety quartet with a somewhat different approach to Barbershop entertainment. Their unique style of comedy, rhythm, and song has been a refreshing change of pace to audiences throughout the midwest.

Their enthusiasm and showmanship has led to their frequently being called the showstoppers. Each member is a veteran of Illinois District competition with a collective Society membership of over 60 years.

This zany and madcap group was selected to appear at the 1972 International Convention of Comedy Quartet Shows in Atlanta.

Tenor, Fred Sellers is a teacher in a suburban Chicago High School. Lead, George Stybr is a Personnel Administrator for a nationally

In December of 1972 the "Emporium" was born and in just two short years has swept all the honors in the Land-O-Lakes District and placed in the top ten in International competition this past July.

The "Emporium" is a remarkably versatile singing group, equally proficient with pure barbershop arrangements, modern harmonies, spirituals, show songs or novelty tunes.

Bob Dowma, Tenor, is 6'6" long on talent, a gifted tenor with a remarkable voice. He is Assistant Con-

troller for the F. H. Bathke Co. of St. Paul. Rod Johnson, Lead, is an IBM marketing specialist which is far from what he would lead you to believe when he starts his comic routines. Jim Foy, Bass, is the artist's conception of the classic barbershopper. Jim is manager of sales and development for the American Hoist and Derrick Co. His rendition of "If I Were a Rich Man" has become one of everyone's favorites. Bob Spong, Baritone, has a master's degree in music, and has taught music in high schools for nine years. He was director of the Minneapolis chorus for four years during which it won two district championships.



group, composed of some fifty members, rehearses every Monday evening at 7:30 at the Elks' Club-rooms and is open to membership to anyone with a desire to sing.

Sit back, relax and enjoy the Twenty first performance of "Harvest of Harmony."

SENTRYMEN

Definitely one of the more active quartets in the District is Stevens Point's own Sentrymen! This group has been together for more than seven years both in entertaining and competing. They currently reign as the Region 2 Champs and will compete this Fall in District competition.

The group is composed of Tenor — Jack Edgerton, who is a Senior Systems Programmer for Sentry Insurance; Lead — Russ Zimmerman, who is a Workmen's Compensation Supervisor for Sentry Insurance; Baritone — Jack Wysocki, who is self-employed and Bass — Gene Moss, who is a Rulerman at Whiting Plover Paper Company.



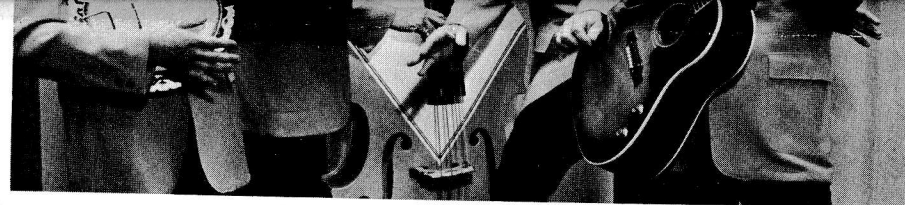
HAPPINESS EMPORIUM top row Bass — Jim Foy and Baritone — Bob Spong, bottom row Tenor — Bob Dowma and Lead — Rod Johnson

Lead, George Stybr is a Personnel Administrator for a nationally known manufacturer. He is a most accomplished musical arranger and a former chorus director for several chapters. Bass, Dick Munter is an Audio Visual Technician and the business agent for the quartet. Baritone, Ralph Hartmann operates his own commercial art service. He has been featured in several nationally distributed publications.

HAPPINESS EMPORIUM

It happens every now and then in barbershopping that four guys who have been singing in other groups for years find their musical paths crossing and something very special is born.

The members of the Happiness Emporium, all in their 30's, have a combined total of nearly 50 years of quartet experience. They have sung with four district championship quartets, have toured Pacific military hospitals with the USO and have been in International Competition many times.



ALLIED FOUR pictured left to right Tenor — Fred Sellers, Lead — George Stybr, Bass — Dick Munter and Baritone — Ralph Hartmann

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STEVENS POINT BARBERSHOPPERS

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John Garvin		
*Steve Gonske		

*Members singing in tonight's show.

We dedicate the program this evening to the memory of our dearly missed member and immediate past president John Zinda.

We must give a hearty special thanks to the Stevens Point Elks' Club for the use of their hall every Monday evening. We also thank Diane McDonald for the design and painting of tonight's backdrop.

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 SOUNDPete Leahy

Each year we have been blessed with an active group of individuals and businesses that have supported our program as Benefactors, Patrons and Sponsors. We would not be able to continue the type of shows and the yearly program we do without their continued support. We are extremely proud of those listed here. We thank them and urge your support of them whenever possible.

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