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1952 International Regional Contest

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There are 14 Regional Contests being held simultaneously throughout North America. From these will come the 40 qualifiers for the International Contest at Kansas City, Missouri, June 12-15, 1952. Three 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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B. F. Marsden	-	-	-	-	-	-	Detroit, Michigan
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Timers

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PROGRAM

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Competing Quartets

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MERRI-MEN	- - - - -	LANSING
WOLVERINES	- - - - -	DEARBORN
TOWN CRIERS	- - - - -	KALAMAZOO
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TWILIGHTERS	- - - - -	GROSSE POINTE
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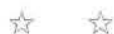
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