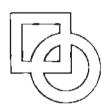


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April 22,23,1988 - Portland, ME April 28,29,1989 - Danvers, MA

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#### CALLERLAB

March 28,29,30,1988 - Reno, NV March 20,21,22,1989 - Nashville, TN

- Orlando, FL April 9,10,11,1990 March 25, 26, 27, 1991 - Las Vegas, NV

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#### ESSARDE

October 7,8,9,1988 - Buffalo, NY

#### 26th INTERNATIONAL

May 12,13,14, 1988 - Ontario, Canada

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June 23,24,25,1988 - Anaheim, CA June 22,23,24,1989 - Oklahoma City, OK

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June 19,20,21,1988 - Anaheim, CA

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June 24,25,26,1990 - Memphis, TN

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#### LEGACY

May 18, 19, 20, 21, 1989 - Reno, NV

#### N.J. SQ & RD CONVENTION

March 19,1988 - Trenton State College, N.

## Editor's Notebook

## REFLECTIONS



year goes by and unless we really spend a few minutes thinking about what happened during that time, we only think about how fast it went by. A lot of things happen in one year, in all of our lives, both good and bad, but that's life in a nutshell. My heart goes out to those of you who have had a death or serious illness in your family during 1987 and I hope that your Square Dunce friends were a help to you in your time of need.

Our lives were busy, as usual, during the year past, attending Tri State Callers Association meetings, Necca meetings, CO-OP meetings and now, as Chairman of CO-OP, we find ourselves attending Convention Committee meetings in Portland, and soon it will be Danvers.

Travel seemed to be the name of the game for us this year, having started with a trip to Orlando for a Century 21 Real Estate Convention in March, then home for two days and off again for five days to Los Angeles to consummate a business deal with Blob & Becky Osgood of the Sets In Order American Square Dance Society to acquire the copyright to and inventory of several Square Dance related books. Our workload and responsibilities have just about doubled with this acquisition which means that we only get to sleep two hours a night instead of four. (A slight exaggeration.)

Less than two weeks later, we were in New Orleans for the Callerlab Convention, followed by the New England Convention in Portland, and then in May, it was the Legacy Convention in Nashville.

The shortage of time didn't allow us to do all the other things we wanted to do but it was another great year, being Caller for Alpine Squares and eatling Class Level dances for Skirts N' Filrts and Northeast Regional Squares.

Other highlights that come to mind are the annual East Hill Farm weekend in June with Roger Dufault and John Moran, the Tri State Annual Meeting and cook-out at the Mayo's, the recruiting seminar by Len Murphy in August, the Caller Interest Session sponsored by Necca which I chaired in September, the second annual camp & dance weekend at Yogi Bear Campground in Ashland, New Hampshire, with the Casey's and the Mayoll's, the New York State Festival held in Rochester in October, the Semca meeting also in October where I was asked to speak on advertising and the 800# fund, the Skirts N' Flirts 20th Anniversary November 7th, the Western Mass. Fall Festival also in November and last but not least, the three weeks we spent with our motor home back in August at York Beach where we got to spend some delightful time with Jim & JoAnn Mayo, by the ocean.

What will 1988 be like for us? We have no reason to think that we will work any less or be any less busy, but I guess we must like it that way.

We look forward to many exciting things in 1988 such as the development of the 800\$, now that we have reached the \$2000 mark, the possibility of some real promotion of our activity coming out of the efforts of the CO-OP Committee, the National Convention in Annheim, California, the 25th Anniversary of Alpine Squares calling to live music with Joe Casey in October, and one week later it's Town Travellers 30th Anniversary.

Carole and I wish all of you a happy and healthy New Year and ask you to join with us in making a resolution to keep Square Dancing alive and well as a fun-filled recreational activity second to none.

> Ray Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer January 1988

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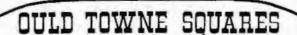
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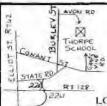
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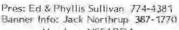
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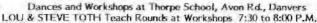


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looking forward to our class ball in February, Plan now to bring your class to the Fun Club's annual "Pre Spring Fling".

In November we raided the Acton

Square Wheelers.

Preparations are continuing for our 25th Anniversary. If anyone has heard from L'il Hickory, would you let us know. L'il Hickory was a small wooden hobby horse that was given to the couple that travelled the longest distance to a dance. We are hoping to get him back for our 25th Anniversary.



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The Turkey Raffle will be held

in November. You might be the winner "come on down". We retrieved our banner with 22 members going to the Do-Si-Doers dance, also won all the prizes. I hope they are as lucky when they come and dance with us. Nice to have Pauline & Richard from Taunton & Sue Devereaux from Randolph join our group. Happy Hollday to all.

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Alamo Styles November 19, put on a Fashion Show for class and club members. This yearly event is looked forward to with great anticipation as was evident in the large turnout and the enthusiasm of the group. The

fashions were beautiful - from simple skirts and blouses to the frilliest and dressiest of dresses. It's always fun to see the latest styles and colors. The three class members and class coordinator who modeled the more than 24 outfits were Marilyn Anetzberger, Midge Kuklin, Jean Newton, and Rena Greenup, It was evident that they enjoyed the modeling and applause it generated.

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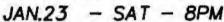












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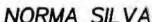
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#### GREAT PLAIN SDC

NEEDHAM, MA. . . By Ruth & Bill Tracy. . . It's January 1988! We extend to our friends and neighboring clubs our best wishes for a fine fun year!

We thank the Skirts 'N Flirts for the fine time they gave us on their 20th Anniversary dance, Nov. 7, - fifteen couples retrieved our banner captured by them several weeks earlier.

We also thank the Baldwin Apples and the Scrambled Eights for the fun and good food during our recent visits. Especially thankful are Mary McMahon and Betty Pearson for they each won a turkey!

Our Presidents, Leslie Ctark & Bill Beattle, in their monthly Newsletter, turned the 'Spotlight' on our callers and cuer — Art Nurse, Mil Dixon and Jo Yakimowski. Generally speaking, we only meet them during our weekly dancing. We were all very much surprised at how active they are and how much of their time is devoted to the Square and Round dance movement. Maybe this is what makes them so good and provides us with so much fun!

We invite all clubs to make sure their classes attend our Snowflake Ball this month - See our Ad. Bill Bean, calter for the evening, is returning for his 14th year as caller. He is full of fun and provides the new dancers a nice evening on their first trip away

from the 'classroom'.

YOUNG AT HEART (SENIORS)

LUDLOW, MA...By Russ Moorhouse
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more witches, clowns, goblins, etc.,
than you could shake a stick at!

Winners were: Funniest, Minnie Pearl – Helen Marquette; Scariest, Devil – Henry Monet; Most Original, Minnie Mouse - Charlotte McDonald.

All the costumes should have won prizes, they were great!

Costume contest was followed by dancing and refreshments of cider and donuts provided a great time for our "Young at Heart".

Thanks to Jerry & Helen Benoit for the cider and the committee for the donuts. As usual Jerry kept the seniors dancing, dancingly.

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#### **TECH SQUARES**

Alexa Barnes and I attended the Presidents' Seminar & Ball sponsored by the Fairs 'N Squares. We got a lot of new ideas and got to make a lot of new friends.

Tech Squares is proud to announce our (26) fall Krash Kourse graduates: Michael Adler, Janet Allen, Florence Barker, Brandon Brylawski, Carol Cassidy, Scott Drown, Ann Faldetta, Jerry Fatal, Judy Fishel, Nassim Fotouhi, Bob Ganley, Bernard Hays, Julie Lancaster, Michael Lauer, Ann McNutt, Lynne Merl, Mimma Mogavero, Clare Rabinow, Michael Shea, Ramnarine, Joanne Shea, Michael Shea, Bronwen Smith, Steven Tolkin, Doreen Tremblay, Margaret White, Nancy Yosl.

Our spring Krash Kourse will begin Tuesday, Febuary 2, 1988 with a fun night on Tuesday, January 26, 1988.

Call the News Line, 225-9126, or a contact (see ad) for our dance locations.

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#### CHIC MATES SDC

CHICOPEE, MA. . . By Russ & Roberta Moorhouse. . . May 1988 be blessed with great dancing.

A horse, a horse is a horse of course unless its a horse portrayed by John 6. Angela Martin. They even danced a Square dance tip plus Lefooters 1 step. They won most original! The scariest, devil Franklin Surrette and funniest, clown baseball player Roland (Swingles). Thanks to guests from Star Thru Squares Long Island, Vagabonds (banner), Hi-Lighters (banner), Swingles, Dancing Shadows, Gadabouts, Whip City Whirlers, Allemande 8's for attending recent dances.

Again, another visit to Jim Kelly's house in Holyoke. Decorated in Halloween theme. First you entered through a web with spiders. Need I say more? Thanks to Gene & Lori King for the invite. And, the refreshments, wow! All donations were given to Brightside Children's Home.

Callers and cuers in attendance at our dances were Gene King, Dave Muller, John Martin, Buddy Dow and Frank Welch, Ed Blain and Linn Case did a nice job of calling and cueing.

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Eileen & I Wish you all a Happy Healthy New Year ...

#### SCRAMBLED EIGHTS

MEDFIELD, MA . . . By Mattanellie . . . To all the faithful, health and happy dancing.

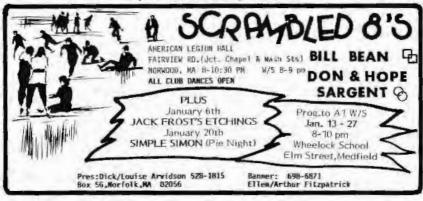
At our November Dance raiding parties from both the Sidesplitters and the Great Plains not only made off with a banner but also won in the turkey raffle. (We treat our guests well.) Those two busy kids, the Fitzies, certainly know how to keep the raids going.

Bill & Allison Shaw, home from the hospital for Thanksgiving, are making good progress on the road to recovery. John & Nina, those two old faithfuls, subbing for the ailing Shaws, produced a first-rate November newsletter. The term "old" used in this context is, of course, a term of endearment.

Pie has always been a part of our national heritage. We speak of "Apple pie, Motherhood and the American Way of Life." (You could probably get yourself elected on that siogan.) And so our January Pie Night should not only be a palate pleaser but a patriotic event as well. (see ad)

During the past year Bill Bean and his Beansprouts have had a lot of fun together. The pleasures we've found in dancing the Round with Don & Hope are a happy memory and we look forward to more of the same. As we enter a new year, let us keep these wise precepts in mind. Think young, keep smiling, keep dancing and don't let ole rockin chair getcha.

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  - B Happy Squares, M, Jerry Benoit/C. Landry, Easthampton Cong. Ch., Easthampton Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wb
    - 9 Dancing Shadows, C, Dick Leger/Daviaus, St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley Hampden Promenaders, Red Bates/C. Lamdru, Brunton Sh., Parker St., Spfld. Vagabonds, Plus, Harmony Express/King, Ma. 5 & R/D Ctr., Willimansett
    - 15 Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/Benoit, K of C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West Springfield
    - 16 Chic-Mates, Plus, Ed Blain/Benoit, Ma. 5 & R/D Ctr., Willimansett Pizza
    - 22 Happy Squares, M, Jerry Benoit/C. Landry, 1st Cong. Ch., Rt. 140 & 10, Easthamp. Rainbow Stroller, M, Lou Taddia/G. King, JFK J.H., Enfield, CT > 6th ANNIV. Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St. Wb.
    - 23 Dancing Shadows, 2, Buddy Dow/Daviau's. St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley Hampden Prom., 2, Earl Johnston/Landry, Brunton Sh., 1801 Parker St., Spfld.

#### VAGABONDS SDC

GR. SPRINGFIELD, MA. . .By Russ & Roberta Moorhouse. . .May 1988 be blessed with happy dancing for all!

Thanks to visitors attending our Turkey Give-away dance from Hi-Lighters, Heavenly Rounds, Allemande 8's, Happy Squares, Swingles, Young at Heart and Chic Mates (banner). Jolly Roger (perpetual motor) Carignan called a great dance. His rendition of Al Jolson's "Toot, Toot, Tootsie, Goodbye" was too 'Marvelous' for words. Carole Landry did a nice job on Rounds. Gene Chapdelaine

and George Bolduc won the lurkeys. Thanks to Trish Joly for preparing pin-on turkeys, numbered for door prizes. We even had a horse (turkey) race to raise funds for Sunshine Village. Marion Cabana was the winner. Dan Guin (caller) and Frank Welsh (cuer) were in attendance, also.

We had a good crowd at our dance and most of them also attended the Western Mass Fall Festival the next day, Wasn't that a great festival?

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#### DAN SORANO

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Square Dance Caller & Teacher I wish to thank the following clubs that contacted me this past year! Trailfown Twirlers, Newington SOC, Single Squares, Crazy 8's, Pelham Partners, Country Cousins, Valley Squares, Le Vi Rounders, Great Plain Squares.

#### SWINGLES SDC

Thanks to visitors at recent dances from Hi-Lighters, Wheel C (banner), Happy Promenaders, South Windsor, Belchertown, Ocean Waves, Hawaii.

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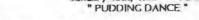


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7 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Earl Johnston/Dolly Cochran THU

FRI 8 Mad Hatters, Hayestown Ave 5ch, nr. Exits 5&6,1-84, Danbury, Muller / Kendall, Blast-off Surfside "8", Tower St Sch, Westerly, RI, Jack Bright/Dolly Cochran

SAT 9 Farmington Valley SDC, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Leo "Morgan" Dumas/Taravella, Plus Lads & Lassies, Lillie B. Haynes Sch, East Lyme, Bob Linden/Kathy Bryant

THU 14 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Jim Harris/Dolly Cochran

FRI 15 Farmington Valley SDC, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Jim DeNigris, B.B. Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Rt 32, Uncasville, Jim Harris/Dolly, 8-11 p.m. Windham Whirlers, Oak Hill Dr., Willimantic, Mark Castracane/Howard & Jan Rds.

SUN 17 Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch, Rt 10, Cheshire, R.McLean/R.Scanlon

21 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Earl Johnston/Dolly Cochran THU

FRI 22 Mad Hatters, Hayestown Ave Sch, nr. Exits 5&6,1-84, Danbury, Johnston/Scanlon Rainbow Strollers Anniv, JFK Sch, Enfield, Lou Taddia/Gene King Surfside "8", Tower St Sch, Westerly, RI, Jerry LeBlanc/Dolly Cochran

23 Farmington Valley SDC, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Don Beck/Taravella, Plus SAT Lads & Lassies, Lillie B. Haynes Sch, East Lyme, Gen Hennessey/Liz Underwood

SUN 24 Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Rt 32, Uncasville, Clint McLean/Dolly, 2-5 p.m.

28 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Dave Hass/Dolly Cochran THU SAT

30 Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Rt 32, Uncasville, Ora Blakely/Dolly, 8-11 p.m.

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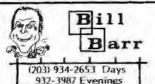


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of dancing at some of our dances again this winter (see ad). We welcome all class members to dance in the class level hall, and club dancers in the plus hall. Class chairmen are welcome to invite your classes. This really helps with the transition to club-level dancing. Our lessons will go into May, with graduation May 18. Club-level dancers are invited to attend the last six weeks of lessons for brushups at Bultonball School. We'll be having our "Birthday Bash" again in January. This was a huge success last year, with birthday cakes for each month. We sat at the table for "our" month. We hope you'll join us.

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Jan.23		CLINT McLEAN Birth	day Bash	BILL MAGER
Feb. 13		JACK O'LEARY (w/s )	:30-8)	BILL MAGER
Feb. 27		RANDY PAGE		MARK CASTRACANE
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Sat. 16 Gardner-Dickenson School, East Ave., Wynantskill, NY

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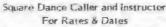


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Instead of being the hit or miss situation, we have now, dependent on whims of mother nature) we think the caller and dancer organizations need to get together to provide expansive exposure of the activity to the nearly half million people that attend the Topsfield Fair (see Eagle Tribunc article below).

Our thought is the demonstrations should come out of the Farmyard to under the "Big-Top" style tent and on a wood dance floor and have scheduled dance activities rain or shine each day of the fair. Dance variations could include all aspects; Square, Round, public participation dances, even Clogging and Line Dances if we can get those groups interested!!

All of this could take place continuously throughout the day/evening everyday. This is why it needs to be sponsored by the area-wide Square Dance, Round Dance, Caller and Cuer organizations. Class/Club information could be made available about all of the participating clubs and organizations.

Thank you for your consideration of this Square Dance promotion idea.



Bill & Jean Dewberry Fairtown Squares

# Topsfield Fair

By Jim Patten Eagle-Tribune Writer (10/13/87)

TOPSFIELD - Nearly 110,000 jammed Topsfield Fair grounds Saturday before rain cooled off crowds for the second Sunday in a row.

And, in his first year as general manager, Al Craig might liken the 1987 fair, which closed last night, to a roller coaster.

Both Sundays, usually big attendance

days, were rained out.

"We had some real highs and some lows. The weather was up and down like a yo-yo," Craig said.

Overall attendance for the fair's 10day run was 486,500 people. But along with some of the lows there were some highs.

new all-time high one day attendance record was set Saturday, when 109,000 people took advantage of the warm fall sun and came to the fair.

The new record shattered previous mark of 107,775 set during the second Sunday of the 1983 fair.

There were also suggestions more signs were needed on Route 1, to help with traffic backups, according to Craig.

Don Fleming, of Morrisville, VT, won the World Pumpkin Weigh-off with a 604.6 pound pumpkin.

And several people complained when the fair closed early one night because of bad weather, Craig said.

"I've heard a lot of good reports on the fair, which is what it is all about," said Craig, who promises to be back next year.

People loved the entertainment and the idea of having more animals, "and they loved the Budweiser Clydesdales," Craig said.

Craig had particular praise for the fair volunteers.

As a former volunteer himself, he knows the role played by the volunteers.

There were about 15 to 20 first aid calls each day, mostly for bee stings and headaches, and the first aid department was a little more active on Senior Citizen Day, Craig said.

Vendors offered a variety of opinions

on the 10-day event,

"It was good except for the weather," said Ray Haslen, who sold shish-kebob, teriyaki sticks and Greek salads at a food stand.

Sue Harnden, in the Groveland Congregational Church food booth, said the church had a "medium" year at the fair, it is the church's biggest money

"We've done better, we've done worse, it's right in the middle," she said.





FOR SQUARE DANCERS &

#### THE BUBBLE

As I begin my twentieth year of NEEDLE NOTES, I look back with utter amazement that the time has flown by so fast! In celebration of reaching this point, I thought I would be slightly frivolous and have a little fun with a frivolous subject, the Bubble Skirt. I know you must have noticed them in the stores, magazines and pattern books. They are odd and extreme, and silly, but fun. They certainly are not for most of us and the occasions for using one are rare, but definitely New Year's Eve might be the time.

There are patterns available.

SiMPLICITY has a dress #8246 for \$5.25 in sizes 6 to 14, and #8347 which has a drop waist and comes in multiple sizes, 6 to 14, priced at \$5.75.

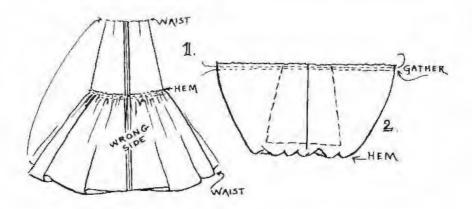
Vogue has one for \$11.00.

McCALL'S has #3328 which features a S/D bodice with a sweetheart neckline and large puffed sleeves on clastic stoulders. It also offers a double bubble skirt as well as a single bubble. It comes in sizes 6 to 14 and is priced at \$6.25. #3446 has a very dressy bodice with a single shoulder and a dropped walst with a front V. I chose #3247 to take home because if can be made up us a skirt (which includes pockets) and therefore, allows the option of using an exotic fabric, but still have a top that will be washable. This pattern also includes the option of a nicely flured, gathered skirt for every day wear.



# Needle Notes (Communued)

All patterns show approximately the same construction plan, some more elaborate than others. I noticed differences in yardage requirements. Give thought to this, for if a skirt is too skimpy, its bubble effect may be diminished. #3247 recommends fusible and non-fusible interfacings, but I like the idea of stitching a single layer of nylon net to the back of each skirt piece (stitch around the edges only, of course) before putting it together. All bubble skirts are made on the theory of gathering the outer skirt onto a smaller, narrower under skirt (see sketches), doing the hemline first, then turning it right side out, push the under skirt up through so that the outer skirt can be gathered onto the under skirt's waistline. This is the same general design as the puffed sleeve without elastic as shown on page 46 of NEEDLE NOTES, Vol II. To finish off your bubble, finish your placket and put on a matching waistband. I like to put belting in mine to keep it smooth.



At no place in the instructions do I see may plan for establishing skirt length, I would suggest at least four or more inches of hem turning under in the over skirt, and keep in mind that you do NOT want any crease in the bemline. If you miss-planned, and your skirt turns out to be too long, you can take a tuck in the under skirt, if too short, you can add a strip into the lower part of the under skirt.

If you have the opportunity, take a good look at one of these skirts in a dress shop. Even try one on and then you will know if you want to make one.

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#### TIME TO PRAY

Lyot up early one morning, and rushed right into the day;

Had so much to accomplish that I did not take time to pray.

Problems just tumbled about me, and heavier came each task,

"Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered. He answered, "You didn't take time to ask."

I wanted to see joy and beauty but the day tolled on grey and bleak,

I wondered, "Why God didn't show me?"

He said, "Hut you didn't seek."

I tried to come into God's presence; I used all my keys to the lack, Cod gently and lovingly chided, "My child, you didn't knock."

I woke up early this morning and paused before entering the day. I had so much to accomplish, that I had to take time TO PRAY.

- Author Unknown

Oratory: The art of making deep noises from the chest sould like important messages from the brain.

# CAROLE'S CORNER O E RNER









ith so many folks having had so much turkey in the past two months, have spent some time looking for recipes that would be good for the left over turkey that is still in the refrigerator or the extra that was put in the freezer for another day.

One recipe that has caught my eye is for Turkey and choose - called:

#### Turkey - Cheddar Casserole

- 4 oz broad noodles, cooked 21 cups diced cooked turkey
- Leup milk
- 3 Thsp butter melted
- 1 4 kgz jar whole mushrooms, drained I Tosp instant minced onion or (finely
- chapped onion)
- 1 11 oz can Cheddar Cheese soup I cup finely crushed choose crackers

Place modles in a greased 2-quart cassernle. Top with turkey and mushrooms. Blend onion, milk and soup Logether: nour. over turkey and mushrooms, Combine crumbs and butter. Sprinkle over top. Bake at 350° for 35 minutes. This can be used with left over chicken also.

Another good use for left over Turkey (or chicken) is:

#### Turkey Chop Suey

- I onion sliced
- 3 cups cooked turkey
- 2 cups chopped celery
- small green pepper, minced or 1 tsp dried peppers
- a cups turkey broth or 5 clucken bouillon cubes, dissolved in 5 cups boiling water
- cup button mushrooms
- cup sliced water chestnuts fl like a bit more)
- I to 2 tsp salt (or a bit less)
- tsp pepper
- 2 Tosp soy sauce
- I Tosp molusses

Mix all ingredients together in a large soucepan. Cover; bring to a boil. Simmer for 30 minutes. Yields 1-6 servings. Serve your own special way.

I have been told by many friends that they enjoy the helpful hints in past calumis, sa I have a few more this month.

- 1. Cheese: Place dried out and hard pieces of cheese in a blender or processor. Then it can be added to scrambled eggs or sprinkled over vegetables. Stir in to cheese souffle's scallop potatoes or use to garnish salads and soups.
- 2. Heavy Cream: Freeze left over heavy cream in its original container (to be used only for whipping). Partially thaw and whip. Chocolate syrup can be added to cream before freezing.
- 3. Potatoes: Slice and saute left over potatoes in butter for hash browns or scalloped casserole. Or scoop out the insides and mash. Season with onion, salt and pepper; add milk, and return to skins. Add grated cheese, parsley or chives. Bake until heated.

I am including this month a poem Jo Ann Mayo, Hampstead, NH sent to me a few months ago - It is a piece we might want to make a copy of and hang on the club Bulletin Board. Thanks Jo Ann.

#### The Confident Square Dancer

I think that I shall never see Another dancer as good as me I dance with such fine style & grace And keep such a timety pace The caller watches me with ease Because he laws 'I' um here to please I never miss and I never goof Just watch and you will see the proof But if somebody else breaks down Please watch, because I wear o frown. So if you are dancing in my square, Be sure to listen and beware. I'll watch and punch and pinch you too. Now is this fun I am asking you? So let's all try with all our might To make all dances a real delight Now please don't think that I mean you, But if it fits, put on the shoes.

For Square Dancing is meant to be such fin.

Author Unknown

Till next month,

This isn't meant to be a pun

Carole Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer January 1988



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# 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE NEW ENGLAND SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE CONVENTION UPDATE - January 1988

Here in the dead of winter our thoughts are turning to spring; for one month after we hit our vernal equinox, on April 21, 22, and 23, the city of Portland, Maine is going to spring to life with a grand party to celebrate the 30th Anniversary of the New England Square & Round Dance Convention!

The Party will start on Thursday night, April 21st, with a convention-sponsored trail-in dance that will be free of charge to one and all. We have plans to keep the Party going all weekend, and what a party it's going to be! In addition to all the fine convention Square dancing, Round dancing, and Clogging, there will be our second Sunrise Dance on Saturday morning. This dance will be a legacy to the late Jack Barry, last year's Special Events Chairman and founder of the Sunrise Dance. This year the dance is being carried on by Jack's partner, Kay Chisholm, and she is planning a breakfast to follow the dance.

Last year's Fashion Show was lauded by many conventioneers and one of the best ever, the Chairmen Wayne & Betsey Ross are confident that they will continue the high standard this year. If you missed last year's show, be sure to attend this year. Remember, seating is limited!

Singles Chairman Carolyn Richards is planning a Singletons' Dinner for Friday night, and she is researching ways to identify single Round dancers. Teen Chairman Greg Brackett is moving the teen hall to within walking distance of the convention center, and the teen after party will be on Friday night this year. For the after party, Greg plans to take the clock back 30 years for a 50s rock'n' roll theme.

These are just a few of the Party plans that we have. I'll tell you more in future updates. Get in on the fun — Register now! A registration form is located in this issue for your convenience. And be sure to use the Housing Committee to reserve your hotel/motel rooms. If your response to this advice about housing is "Why should I register with convention housing?". Chairmen Tom & Pat McClure have the answer:

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- If you register with convention housing and you have any problems with your reservation, you can call the housing chairman and they will help you all they can to solve the problem.

Speaking of housing, please note that all clubs that have reserved a block of rooms must turn in all unused rooms by <u>February 1st.</u>

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COMMENT

Sim Mayo



This COMMENT is being written on a Holland America Cruise Ship in the middle of the Carribean.

We are traveling with a group of Square Dancers and are demonstrating the popularity of this activity once again. The ship gave us a place to dance on the afternoons that we're at sea and we have just finished the first of these sessions.

The striking thing, aside from the fun we were having, was the appeal of Square dancing as a spectator activity. Nearly everyone who passed by stopped to watch and many stayed as long as we continued. Several of the watchers came up afterward and asked if they could try dancing. There were, of course, a few who said they used to dance, but had not done so recently. Many, though, just wanted to take part and we will be sure to let them at our next session. It's clear that what we do looks like fun and makes people want to try. I've heard many people suggest that we should take a different approach to demonstrations and perhaps our experience this week sheds some light on that subject.

The spectators were, for the most part, from the same age group as our dancers. This is one of the observations we have heard—that we always send an older group to demonstrate when the folks we want to recruit are young. I'm not so sure that we should concentrate our recruiting on the young. They're pretty busy these days. Perhaps we would be more successful if we concentrated on those whose kids have just left home. The commercial world calls them "empty nesters". They have more time and often are looking for something to replace the time they used to spend serving the needs of the kids.

Another aspect of our dancing was our clothing. It's a muisance to carry Square dancing clothes on a trip for the few occasions we have to dance, so we were dressed in the same kind of clothing as those watching - in this case shorts and sun-deck stuff. I don't know whether this makes what we do look more accessible or not, but it certainty didn't DISCOURAGE any of the spectators.

Aside from the demonstration aspects of our dancing, the thing about Square dancing that always amazes me, is the wonderful people who are part of it. For all the trouble our long, sometimes difficult, class introduction to Square dancing causes us, it does select the most compatible, social, friendly group of people I know. They are fun to be with and that's what makes traveling with a group of dancers so special.

Jim Mayo

The Northeast Square Dancer, January 1988

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# Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

#### BURDICK'S REPLY

Since not all of the Northeast Square Dancer's readers also subscribe to American Square Dance, I would like to point out a mild upset that occurred on its pages and commend aditor Stan Burdick for his bandling of it.

The May 1987 cover has a condid (that is, unposed) picture of a couple snapped as they were dancing. It is a good picture. Their faces are bright and animated, there is an excellent sense of "connection" between them, and a definite sense of movement even though it is not clear what movement they are doing. Technically, the picture has good focus and color and is cropped nicely. What more could an editor ask for in his cover picture?

According to comments in later issues of the magazine, some people distiked this picture very much. Fortunately, many more came to its defense. I like it even though I admit that it is not typical or representative of the "look" of modern club dancing.

Some of the readers objected to, or were troubled by, the unidentifiable movement. My guess is that is some variation of the bumps-a-daisy during a weave the ring, such as I see occasionally around eastern Massachusetts. I don't think they were round dancing. Some people objected to the woman's dress which has a sundress bodice with straps and does not cover the collar bone or upper shoulder area. Some people objected to the man's hair. Me, I'd envy it — it looks tike a great head of hair, thick and wavy. While it doesn't hang in his face, it is long enough to cover his collar in the back.

In the September 1987 issue, Stan Burdick wrote about the picture and the various comments he had received in the intervening months. I think the "ounce of latitude" he suggests is wonderful and I would like everyone to read his response:

We chose the photo mainly for its color and ideal composition (artistic flavor) and not to promote a poor styling maneuver or a brand new basic as yet un-named by Burleson.

In defense of the photo, we like those young, youthful faces—and the hearty enthusiasm those young people possess. If they're putting an extra twirl into what seems to be a swing, mountain style, let's let them have their fun without getting uptight about an extra flourish, which typifies lots of youthful dancing at the National.

If they're enjoying a regional variation or a playful innovation of their own, remember that even a benevolent dictator of styling like Pappy Shaw himself liked to improvise and add a touch of flamboyance at times for the sake of showmanship.

To those of you who complained about the girl's abundance of bare skin, or the man's long curly hair, we simply say "Shucks, the times are a changing — would you also revert to ankie-length square dance dresses?"

An ounce of latitude now can produce a pound of longevity and a double dose of perpetuation from generation to generation.

By the way, we just had a thought - maybe they're doing a new international round dance basic! Or perhaps it happened in the traditional hall, when the prompter bellowed:

"Swing 'em high, swing 'em low, Swing that pretty little calico... Pick her up an' feel her heft, Set 'er down an' allemande left..."

My only problem with Stan's wonderful response is his numerous references to these "young people." I'd guess from the photo that she is about 30 and he about 35;

## Musings On Dance

- Continued

in no way do they look like teenagers to me. This makes me wonder why the image of "youthful" starts at twice the middle age of real teenagers. It makes me think about Shawn Cuddy and others who campaign for teenaged square dancers. I am reminded of Ann Dixon's comment that some leaders in the square dance activity will not take me seriously until I cut my hair — me whose hair is now thinning and turning gray. The picture makes me think of the general aging of the majority of the square dance population and wonder about long-term continuity. Because we are all drawn to others like ourselves, even if present members bring their friends into the activity, new dancers may be older people.

I om sure that age is a touchy topic for many folks; I know that in some ways it is for me. But if we really want to think about the future of square dancing, it seems that we must include the long-term as well as the stort. What can we do to become more aware of ourselves and more available to more people? Should we define ourselves more closely, perhaps in terms of age or amount of energy we want to put into our dancing? If we really mean to be the all-inclusive American folk dance, how do many different people dance together without annoying one another? Do the mainstream of modern western style dancers really want to dance with several generations at the same time? Or with groups who do not share enough of their own views of the American way of life? It seems to me that the division of the activity into levels or programs is itself a statement against such inclusiveness, so how do I reconcile that with statements such as "square dancing is for everyone?"

I'm not sure if we should define ourselves more closely or try to live up to the slogans associated with the American folk dance publicity. But since this column is **Musings on Dance**, perhaps you'll muse too and maybe if we muse enough, a sense of direction will come of it.

Itappy dancing!

Veronica Ann McClure 22 Wagner Road, Medford, MA 02155 The Northeast Square Dancer, January 1988

# IF (for Square Dancers)

IF you can straighten out the square, when all the rest are lost,

IF you can dance with duffers, and never count the cost,

IF you can do a bend-the-line, while another four square thru,

IF you can still enjoy the dance, and they enjoy it too,

IF you can always wear a smile upon your shining face,

1F you can swing your partner with gentleness and grace,

IF you can dance with strangers, and make them glad they came,

IF you can meet with multitudes and not forget a name,

IF you can go to any dance, and willingly pay each dollar,

No matter the name or fame or skill of the individual caller,

If you can have your square break down, upon a simple call,

And yet never get uptight, and still can have a bail,

IF you can walk a figure, that you've known well for years, And you never get frustrated, or yet reduced to tears,

IF you can listen to the calls, and never lose your cool,

IF you can mess the whole square up and never feel a fool,

IF you can guide a dancer, who feels a bit unsure.

And then can watch them make mistakes, with thoughts that are still pure,

IF you can come each night to dance, and never pack a square,

If you can dance with one and all, My Goodness, you are rare,

IF you can do all of the above, I'll tell you what to do.

WE NEED LOTS MORE LIKE YOU!



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Recently, we've been noticing tolks have mentioned "going Squaring". "Margaret and I went Squaring three times last week," or, "Dur club has been Squaring for almost two years."

Naturally, we know what the individual means, however, the continual

use of this short out concerns us. Has dancing disappeared from this activity?

Dancing means moving to music. For some reason "Squaring" sounds to us like "marching" or drilling," and while rhythm is needed for good close-order drill, you might be able to get along without music. But in dancing, particularly in this field of Square dancing, music is vitally necessary!

Let's be sure that dancing never disappears as the center around which the Square dance activity revolves.

Square dancing may change a bit over the years; new terminology, new dances, new looks in Square dance costuming. Primarily, however, the same characteristics that were appealing to a new dancer 10, 15 or more years ago are still evident. On that score, we had occasion to remember a statement someone made to us one time, "I've never known anyone to drop out of Square dancing because it did not include drinking." It's hard to say how many people have found in this activity a great relief in discovering that Square dancing and liquor do not mix. This Isn't to say that many who Square dance do not also enjoy social drinking, but those conscientiously interested in the perpetuation of the activity have restricted their use of liquor to their non-dancing nights, certainly not prior to or during a dance. As one area association president put it, "I don't know where Square dancing would be today without its use of publicly owned recreation halls, church facilities, schools, etc., that allow us to use these facilities because ours is the type of activity it is.

It's important to keep Square dancing free from anything that might offend some or make it otherwise difficult for the activity to retain its aura of wholesomeness. We feel no less strongly about this today than we did 35 years ago. As a matter of fact to aid the growing attempts to have American Square dancing recognized as the American Folk Dance, we see increasing reason to divorce the type of activity we do today from the too-commonly connected picture of the old barn dance with the rowdy dancers and the jug on the floor.

We enjoyed recalling some unusual and special Square dance memories, such as: A shipload of Marines heading out into the Pacific during World War II and deciding it was just the right time and place for a Square dance. The hraver ones tied their jackets around their waists for aprons and knotted the four corners of their handker-chiefs into "hats" to designate them as the "ladies".

At the railroad station in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, during the Korean War, fifteen Squares of dancers turning out in full costume on little more than a half-hour's notice to welcome wounded Canadian veterans in a hospital train as it headed east.

In the old gymnasium with its less than perfect floor, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, as Dr. Lloyd "Pappy" Shaw called the dances. It was here we all agreed that "Square dancing had come to stay!"

In the airport waiting room at Anchorage, Alaska, where the prime minister of Japan, between flights, asked to see an example of American Square dancing, and where we moved back the chairs and danced for perhaps an hour as our "guest" sat and watched.

A truly high level dance was the one we puffed through a number of years ago in the Colorado Rockles with the elevation at more than 19,000 feet. To indicate that the tips were short would be putting it mildly.



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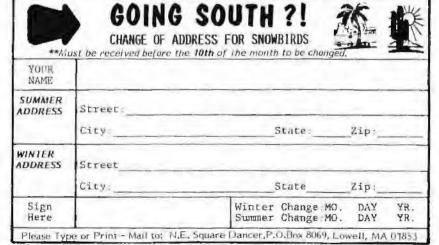
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In contrast, perhaps the lowest level dance we ever took part in was the Death Valley, California, about 100 feet below sea level.

Gaining some sort of immortal recognition was the demonstration one Square of our dancers held near a reservoir on the California/Arizona border. Since then, proud participants in the event claim that it was the "best Square dance by a dam site."

Doubtless every Square dancer has recollections of his most unusual Square dance and we'd like to print some of these from time to time. Why not share your "unusual" dance experience with us?

Bob Osgood The Northeast Square Dancer, January 1988



# Line/Solo DANCE CORNER

By Dr. Grant Longley

am saying now, "HAPPY NEW YEAR", but do you remember two months ago I promised to expound on Country and Western Line Dancing? After my experience in California in June, I think I may have a handle on the subject — however, thin and fragile that handle may be. Enlightening as my trip throughout California turned out to be — it still does not make me an authority on Country Western Dancing.

Already I have mentioned two separate entities — both enigmas. Let's take the proverbial "which came first, the hen or the egg"? What is the difference between Country and Western Dancing as opposed to Country Western Dancing? After vigorously questioning West Coast as well as East Coast dance instructors (professional), it was soon apparent that I could not obtain a well-defined answer to the question. So let's pass that one by.

It should be quite apparent we are more interested in Country and Western LINE Dancing. This is a most intriguing question. The unswer that I am proposing may cause some "fur to fly" — but I am not adverse to making a statement on a controversial matter.

After analyzing many line/solo dances that are labelled as Country and Western Line Dances, I discover one slim link or thread that seems to prevail in most of the Country and Western LINE Dances. Pay close attention now - the Country and Western Line Dances do not include "PHRASING" in their choreography. That is, many choreographers of Country and Western Line Dances seem to latch onto a "cute" series of dance steps and then terminate the dance irrespective of phrasing, namely, with an odd number of notes consumed by the dance. Here are a few examples: "Four Corners" with 33 beats of music; "Kansas City Stomp", 22 beats; "The Hustle", 17 beats; "Eight Corners", 46; and "Slapping Leather" with 34 beats. Round dance instructors reading this CORNER must be shuddering. Personally, I like to use "the power of TWO" formula for making any dance - line, round or ballroom.

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# LINE DANCE

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Music: Apple Records, 1870, Ringo Starr, "You're Sixteen"

Position: Solo, all facing Head of Hall

Intro: Wait four measures

#### - DANCE -

#### Measures:

- 1m <u>HEEL TOE HEEL</u> Place Left Heel in front, place Left Toe to rear, Left Foot step in place, HOLD;
- 2m <u>HEEL TOE HEEL</u> Place R Heel in front, place R Toe to rear, step RF in place, HOLD;
- 3m <u>HEEL TOE HEEL</u> Repeat Measure ONE;
- 4m <u>HEEL TOE HEEL</u> Repeat Measure TWO;
- 5m RAMBLE LEFT & RIGHT Touch L Toe diagonally L rear, step LF XIF RF, point R Toe diag. R rear, step RF XIF LF;
- 6m RAMBLE LEFT & RIGHT Repeat Measure FIVE;
- 7m RAMBLE LEFT & RIGHT TURN Repeat Measure
  Five (again) except as RF XIF
  LF make a ¼ turn Right and get
  ready to backup;
- Bm BACKWARD STEP Backup by stepping LF, RF, LF, RF.

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In my travels to schools, churches and senior centers over the last few months I've discovered that something's missing. There seems to be a shortage of decent costume changing facilities, coat hooks on the walls of those places, and conveniently located electrical outlets in halls and rooms used for performances.

None of this is earth-shaking but as I ply my trade giving lectures and performances on American Indian and Colonial American clothing, dance, music and customs I have to find many different

ways to adapt

Long extension cords solve one problem and I've gotten some of those hangers that silp over the tops of doors to use as a means of hanging my costumes and clothes as I change from one identity to the other. There's not much I can do about dressing rooms tuless I get a fancy van or truck and bring my own on the road.

In the area of historical research I've seen printed text from the last quarter of the 18th century that proves what I'd thought from readings of early 19th century material; that the way we dance contras and English dances today by starting with everyone dancing in groups of four or six couples was done over 200 years ago.

In the present era I'd like to give you a waltz country dance I wrote in 1984 to a time I wrote in 1979. (The dance was first done at the February 23, 1985 workshop in Newtown, Connecticut). The dance is in the modern English country dance style.

#### Fran's Waltz

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Music and dance: Chip Hendrickson — For my wife, Fran --Formation: Longways duple proper A is take Right hands & turn 1/2 to 4-inline w/2s. (2d man move slightly up & face down) Men are fucing down & women up [2 bars].

> All balance forward & back [2 bars]. All turn by the Left 1 & 1/4 to end in long lines, holding hands & the Is facing out [4 bars].

> All balance forward & back [2 bars], ending with feet together (weight on both).

All slow chassé left twice (face toface) and take hands again along the line [2 bars]. All balance forward & back [2 bars]. All turn with Right 3/4's & drop hands [2 bars]

B Js, holding Left hands, lead down the center (man 1 backing up) [2 bars]. Is turn 1/2 by the Left [2 bars]. Lead up & fall out to original places [4 bars] (man 2 may assist man 1, who is backing up, by reaching out and taking man 1's Right hand in his Left on the last 2 bars of this figure).

Circle 4 to the Left 1/2 way & fall back [4 bars]. All pass through by right shoulders & loop to the left to face back in, progressed [4 bars].

The dance may be done to any number of 32-bar waltzes. It dances much better to some than others. For those of you who use five music here is the time.

Chip Hendrickson Northeast Square Dancer January 1988





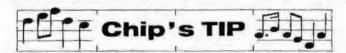
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Fran's Waltz (continued)





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What was known as Kramer's Hayloft is now the home of the Square Dance Foundation of New England, It consisted of 5 acres of land with a number of buildings located at 455 Union Street in South Weymouth, MA. As Kramer's flayloft, it has its own history deep in tradition and imbedded in a community area that was very much involved in the initial revival and rebirth of Square Dancing in New England, The buildings consist of a barn with two dance balls, a two-family home, a concrete with metal roof building, formerly used as the creamery and ice cream parlor that will provide us with a fire proof structure that will house library/museum, а two-car garage, a long barn that will be our conference and educational building. The Square of New Foundation England purchased this property on December 15, 1983. A fund-raising drive was put into place that produced in excess of \$100,000 from the New England Square Dance community, leaving an \$80,000 mortgage. Much labor and funds went into bringing the buildings up to the required occupancy codes. Up until this year, the rental of the halfs was not providing sufficient income to cover the operating expenses and had to be subsidized by the Foundation. By refinancing the mortgage we were able to improve our cash flow, decrease the interest and survive a The Interior of the financial crisis. long barn is in the process of being

renovated. A raffle produced funds that enabled us to paint the barn. The Foundation recently sold 2 acres of vacant land. A new water line and a new sewerage line has been installed that will alleviate the many problems this was giving us.

The hall and premises are rented to local Square Dance clubs and as function halfs to the local community. By cutting back on some operating costs, we have now turned the corner as we expect this to be our first break-even year. Further upgrading of the property is planned. In addition operating the dance halls, Foundation will continue its efforts in fund raising to further enhance the properties as a historical site that will become a sense of pride to the local community and all of New England. Volunteer help and funding is needed to enable us to further improve the property and to renovate the concrete building which will house our significant collection of books, publications, music and memorabilia of all sorts on social dance. We look forward to the day when we will be able to open the doors of library/museum archives center to the general public. It is our intentions. that through the operations of this facility, we will create a greater visibility and appreciation of the wonderful world Dancing. For Square further information on our property operations, availability of half rentals, dance schedule, the development of library/museum and the goals and purpose of this non-profit organization, write Square Dance Foundation of New England, 455 Union Street, S. Weymouth, MA 02190. Our purpose is the promotion, preservation and perpetuation of our dance heritage. Membership is open to all interested parties who believe in the value of preserving our dance heritage.

Hick & Judy Severance January 1988



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TO: The Square Dance Community

FROM: The SDFNE Board of Trustees

SUBJECT: CHANGE IN FOUNDATION OPERATED SATURDAY NIGHT DANCES

During the past year, the Board of Trustees has had many in-depth discussions about Saturday night dances sponsored by the Square Dance Foundation of New England. The consensus of these many discussions is that it is no longer in the best interest of the Foundation to continue sponsoring regularly scheduled Saturday Night Dances.

At a recent meeting, the Board of Trustees voted unanimously to discontinue sponsoring Saturday Night Dances on a regular basis starting January 1, 1988. They will, instead, establish a committee to plan and run special events on a monthly or semi-monthly basis that are dance related and will include but not be limited to Square dancing.

The Foundation never really intended to sponsor regular dances but got caught up into the Saturday night schedule when we purchased Kramer's Hayloft. Sam Kramer had commitments with callers and cuers and we felt we should honor them. We also felt that this dance would be a service to the Square dancers in the area. Attendance at the Saturday night dances has not proven this to be so. Thus the decision by the Trustees to take this action. This does not affect any of the scheduled activities except the Foundation sponsored Saturday night dance.

After January 1, 1988, the upstairs hall will be available for ront by clubs, callers, cuers or others on any date it is not being used by the Foundation who may occassionally run special promotional programs on Saturday nights.

We thank all those who have supported our Saturday Night Dances. Look for our Special Dance Programs which will be advertised in this magazine in the future.

Happy dancing,

The Board of Trustees

Ernie & Ellie Chase, Chairman

### Popular Rounds Eligible for Elevation to CLASSIC Status

For your convenience in voting for your 1988 Classics we've prepared a list of the most popular rounds appearing on Round Dancer's Top Ten and Top Five Classics lists beginning with 1978. There are only SOME of the eligible rounds...don't neglect to add your own favorite dances to this list and include them on your 1988 Classics Ballot.

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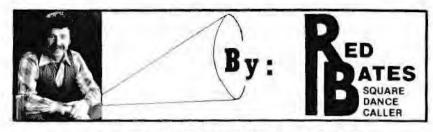
Beautiful weather, beautiful beaches, beautiful Anaheim Convention Center-all are a part of the Southern California scene which awaits the National Square Dance Convention goer in 1988. The Convention Center, largest on the West Coast, is the center of Anaheim's complete planned convention community, and is directly across from world-famous Disneyland. The Center, itself, provides 685,000 feet of air conditioned space and will house the 37th National Convention's Basic, Mainstream, and Plus, levels of Square dancing; Contra dancing; Clogging; Singles Hall; Youth Hall; Education clinics, panels and seminars; cafeteria; and 309 vendor booths. The Showcase of ideas will be on display in the 12,000 square foot Grand Lobby of the Convention Center all three days of the Convention.

The three large exhibition halls of the Convention Center will be partitioned with heavy velour drapes to insure good separation of sound between the sections. Dancing will take place in an area 100 by 250 feet, (large enough to handle 250 Squares), at each end of these halls. North Hall will have Basic Square dancing at one end and Mainstream at the other end, separated by 200 feet of vendors' booths. South Hall will have Mainstream at one end and Plus at the other, also separated by 200 feet of vendors' booths. Southwest Hall will accommodate Clogging and the Singles Hall, separated by a 50,000 square foot Cafeteria. Smaller rooms throughout the Center will be used for Youths, Contra dancing, Sew & Save, Education and, a 'first' for a National Convention, a Handi-dancers Hall for handicapped dancers. Opening Ceremonies, Fashion Show, Friday's Bid Session, Country Western Extravaganza, and Saturday night's Parade of States will go on in the 27,000 square foot Arena with comfortable seating for more than 8000 people.

But, the 37th National Square Dance Convention® will be bigger than that! Additional space has been reserved for dancing in the Anaheim Hilton and the Anaheim Marriott, two of Anaheims ultra-modern hotels, which are immediately adjacent to the Convention Center. Chandeliered grand ballrooms in the Anaheim Hilton, will be used for Advanced-1 and Advanced-2 Square dancing and Challenge Levels 1-3. All Round Dancing (Easy, Intermediate, and Advanced levels) will take place in the Anaheim Marriott directly across the street from the Hilton. Five ballrooms of the Marriott with 5000 square feet to 9500 square feet each will house The Showcase of Rounds each morning, workshops in the afternoon, and parties each evening. The Showcase of Rounds will give round dance enthusiasts a chance to see teachers and choreographers demonstrating Round dances and styling that will be taught later in workshops. All in all, 20 separate dance halls will be in use all day long, all three days of the Convention.

Housing for the 1988 Convention is assured in the immediate area of the Convention Center. We have blocked 8600 hotol rooms within walking distance, with 12,000 available in Anaheim. Also within walking distance are some of Anaheim's finest restaurants, featuring all types of cuising. Shopping at the Disneyland Hotel Complex is a unique experience. If you're looking for an exciting, dancing vacation, come join us in Anaheim in '88!!!

#### CLUB AND ASSOCIATION BANNERS ON DISPLAY



#### THE COMMUNITY DANCE PROGRAM

I have had some questions concerning the Callerlab Community Dance Program which was approved by the membership at the New Orleans Convention for a one-year trial period, to be given final approval at the Reno Convention in March 1988.

Basically, the program contains the fundamental elements of square dancing which can be taught in six (6) two (2) hour sessions and which will provide the foundation for a lifetime recreational program, it is not intended to be used as a stepping stone program for getting new people into our present mainstream program, but as an end in itself. A program for those folks who don't have the time or desire to commit themselves to 25 weeks (or more) of classes now necessary to join our existing clubs. A place where people can do a relaxed, non-complicated form of dancing.

The program is a product of the Calleriab Traditional Dance Committee and was chaired by Ken Kernen of Albuquerque, NM, who did an excellent job.

The program contains the following 24 figures:

- I. Circle Left and Right
- 2. Forward and Back
- 3. Do Sa Do
- 4. Swing
- 5. Couple Promenade
- 6. Single File Promenade
- 7. Allemande Left/Right
- B. Arm Turns, Left/Right
- 9. Right and Left Grand
- 10. Weave The Ring
- 11. Star Right/Left
- 12. Star Promenade

- 13. Pass Thru
- 14. Split the Couple/Ring
- 15. Rollaway Half Sashay
- 16. U-Turn Back 17. Separate
- 18. Courtesy Turn
- 19. Ladies Chain, two/four
- 20. Lead Right
- 21. Right and Left Thru
- 22. Circle to a Line
- 23. Bend The Line
- 24. Grand Square

Those are the main ingredients of the program and as you can see, are about the same as you would teach in the first few lessons of a mainstream class. However, variety is provided by the use of those figures in mixers, line dances, contra dances, couple dances, etc., as well as the usual patter and singing calls.

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The second meeting of the 87-88 Callers' Association was held on 11/1/87 with president Ruben Alexander presiding.

Before the mueting started, Austin Watson, as part of a caller education program, taught the sight-calling system he learned at a recent callers' school. This program lasted for about one hour.

A change in the by-laws to include caller insurance as part of the membership fee was discussed and tabled until the by-laws committee can revise the article so it is legally acceptable to the members.

Congratulations to Pat Juaire and Pearl Ferland on becoming full caller members of the association and to Barney Mallon who was accepted as an associate member. Pat was recommended by At Roberts, Pearl by Babe Postle and Barney by Bob Linden.

Tickets for the 35th Anniversary of the Spring Swing dinner/dance are going fast. If you have not ordered yours yet, drop a line to Dick Leger, 16 Sandra Drive, Bristol, RI. Do it NOW! Don't miss out on this gala occasion! BIC BIC things will be happening! Purchase blocks of lickets so you can be assured of sitting with your friends and club members.

The date is March 20, 1988 and the place is Rocky Point Palladium, Warwick, RI.

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Frank & Harriet Varin

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# W. MASS FALL FESTIVAL Connecticut

First we would like to dedicate the 12th Western Mass Square & Round Dance Festival to the memory of Ruth DeTurk, owner of Ox Yoke Square Dance Shop in Simsbury, CT, who passed away in November. She's been associated with the Festival every year. We'll miss you, Ruth.

Thanks to the tremendous efforts by the committee, Suptei Rogers and Norm (Gay) Bronsord (Co-Chairmen). We had over 1,000 dancers in altendance. The dancers fiterally poured in the entrance door. All halls were wall to wall dancing. We had dancers from PA, NY, and all New England States.

What a performance by the "GOOFERS" with Jerry Benoit calling. Well received by the crowd, Thank you, Goofers.

John & Jean Hartka, Chairman of Edsarda and Len & Connie Houle, Secretaries of Edsarda were in attendance.

Exhibitors reported a brisk business. Even Northeast Square Dancer Magazine and SDFNE did well.

Grand March, (400 strong), Celebrity Hour, M.C.'d by Lou Taddia was awesome. Progressive Squares called by Jerry Benoit attracted 42 Squares.

You dancers made it happen. The largest crowd in festival history. Thanks, Thanks to all the callers and Cuers.

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#### THE MAINSTREAM PROGRAM:

While CHAIN DOWN THE LINE is not on the Mainstream program, it is being called at many mainstream dances across the country as a regular part of the dance program. I mentioned last month that Callerlab should take a look at the call and re-evaluate its position in the present day dance program. . . In case you are not sure how the call goes, let me review the action.

#### CHAIN DOWN THE LINE:

Common starting formation is the Two Faced Line with Starting formation:

girls as centers. (right handed) Also from the left handed

ocean wave with the girls as centers.

The Action: The ladies trade as the men open up to courtesy turn the

girls 3/4.

Facing lines is normal boy/girl positions. When started The Ending Formation:

from parallel two faced lines or parallel waves. , Facing

couples when only one line or wave does the action.

#### DANCING CHAIN DOWN THE LINE.

ZERO BOX. RIGHT & LEFT THRU. VEER LEFT. COUPLES CIRCULATE. . CHAIN DOWN THE LINE, . . STAR THRU. . PASS THRU. . TRADE BY . . LEFT ALLE. . zero box.

ZERO BOX. RIGHT & LEFT THRU, VEER LEFT, COUPLES CIRCULATE. . CHAIN DOWN THE LINE. .. FLUTTER WHEEL. , SWEEP . . . SQUARE THRU 3/4...TRADE BY, LEFT ALLE...zero box

ZERO LINE. . . PASS THE OCEAN. . SCOOT BACK. . BOYS RUN. .GIRLS CIRCULATE. .CHAIN DOWN THE LINE. . PASS THE OCEAN, .RECYCLE, .PASS TO THE CENTER. .SQUARE THRU 3/4. , LEFT ALLE. . . . zero box. . . (nice conversion from zero line to zero box)

ZERO LINE, .PASS THE OCEAN, .GIRLS TRADE, .RECYCLE, .VEER LEFT. . COUPLES CIRCULATE. CHAIN DOWN THE LINE. . DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE. . BOYS CROSS RUN & CIRCULATE, GIRLS TRADE, RECYCLE, LEFT ALLE. . . zero box,

#### CHAIN DOWN THE LINE STARTING FROM LEFT HAND WAVES.

ZERO BOX, SLIDE THRU. . . RIGHT & LEFT THRU, .DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE. . BOYS TRADE...LEFT SWING THRU...CHAIN DOWN THE LINE... STAR THRU...PASS TO THE CENTER...SQUARE THRU 3/4. LEFT ALLE...zero.

ZERO LINE, RIGHT & LEFT THRU, DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE. . . BOYS CIRCULATE, LEFT SWING THRU. GIRLS CIRCULATE. CHAIN DOWN THE LINE. FLUTTER WHEEL, SWEEP . . . SWING THRU. . TURN THRU, LEFT ALLE, ... or Swing Thru, . Grand Rt. & Left.

ZERO LINE, .SLIDE THRU, .SWING THRU, .BOYS RUN, .COUPLES CIRCULATE. . CHAIN DOWN THE LINE, DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE. . . GIRLS CIRCULATE. .BOYS TRADE, .LEFT SWING THRU. CHAIN DOWN THE LINE, PASS THE OCEAN, GIRLS TRADE. RECYCLE, PASS TO THE CENTER, SOUARE THRU 3/4, LEFT ALLE, zero box

ZERO BOX. , SWING THRU. , BOYS RUN, . . COUPLES TRADE. CHAIN DOWN THE LINE, ROLLAWAY..., GRAND RIGHT & LEFT...

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# ROUND DANCE

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RECORD: MGR042 (MacGregor 5025-A)

DANCE: Two Step LEVEL: HI HAT PH II ±1

FOOTWORK: Opposite, directions for M except as noted

SEQUENCE: Intro, A, B, A, B, Tag

#### INTRO

#### 1-2 WAIT 3 PICKUP NOTES + 1 MEASURE; APT, PT, TOG BFLY WALL, TOUCH;

1-2 In open fcg pos wait 3 pickup notes \* 1 measure; apt from ptnr L, pt R,tog R to BFLY WALL,touch L;

#### PART A

# 1-4 SD,CL,SD,-; LUNGE,-,TURNOUT LOP RLOD,-; FWD TWO STEP; LUNGE,-, TURNOUT CP WALL,-;

In BFLY WALL so LOD L,cl R,sd L,-;

2 Lunge LOD R turning LF ! (W RF),-, rec L LOP RLOD,-;

Fwd R, cl L, fwd R,-;

4 Lunge RLOD L turning RF ! (W LF),-,rec R to CP WALL,-;

#### 5-8 HALF BOX; SCIS THRU SCP LOD; SCOOT 4; WALK, PICKUP CP LOD,

5-8 In CP WALL sd LOD Liel Rifwd Lie; sd RLOD Riel Lithru R to SCP LOD; ; fwd Liel Rifwd Liel R; fwd Liel Righwd R picking W up to CP LOD; -;

# 9-12 PROG.SCIS SCAR & CHECK; REC, SD, CROSS BJO LOD & CHECK,-; FISHTAIL; WALK,-,FACE,-1

9 in CP LOD sd COH L, cl R, XLIF(W XRIB) to SCAR diag LOD WALL & check,-;

III rec R, sd L, XRIP(W NLIB) to BJO LOD,-;

11-12 XLIB(W XRIF),sd R, fwd L, XRIB; fwd L,-, fwd R to CP WALL,-;

#### 13-16 TWO TURNING TWO STEPS;; TWIRL VINE; REV TWIRL VINE BFLY WALL;

13-14 In CP WALL side L.cl R, starting RF turn sd & bk L,-; continue RF turn sd R,cl L, side & fwd R to CP WALL,-;

15-16 Sd LOD L,XRiB,sd L (W twirl RF under M's raised L arm R,L,R),-; sd RLOD R,XLIB,sd R (W twirl LF under M's raised L arm L,R,L) to BFLY WALL,-;

#### PART B

#### 1-8 REPEAT MEASURES 1 THRU 8 OF PART A TO CP WALL

#### 9-12 VINE 8;; SD, TCH, SD, -; RK BK SCP LOD, -, REC CP WALL, -;

9-12 In CP WALL sd L, XRIB, sd L, XRIF; sd L, XRIB, sd L, XRIF; sd LOD L, tch R, sd R, -; rk bk RLOD to SCP LOD L, -, rec R CP WALL, -;

#### 13-16 TWO TURNING TWO STEPS;; TWIRL, -, 2, -; WALK, -, 2 BPLY WALL, -;

13-16 Repeat measures 13 & 14 of Part A;; fwd L,-,fwd R (W twirl RF under men's raised L arm R,-,L),-; Fwd L,-,fwd R to BFLY WALL,-;

#### TAG

#### 1-2 SD,CL,SD,CL; APT,-,PT,-;

1-2 In BFLY WALL sd L.cl R.sd L.cl R; apt from pinc L,-,pt R .-;

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# CHALLENGE RAMBLINGS

John Marshall, Chairman of the Callerlab Advanced Dancing Committee, announced that his committee has reviewed the current A-1 and A-2 programs and voted to make the following changes. A-1 calls dropped: All 8 Swing Thru, Arky Allemande, Arky Grand, and Cross Cloverleaf. A-2 calls dropped: All 4 Couples Pass Thru, All 4 Couples Cross Trail Thru, and Beau/Belle Naming Convention. Calls added to the Advanced Programs: Diamond Chain Thru, Grand 1/4 and 3/4 Thru, and Transfer And (Anything). The added calls will be temperarily assigned to the A-2 program. Review and discussion by the Advanced Committee will toke place at the Callerlab Convention in Reno, Nevada in March 1988. I assume that the calls dropped are automatically on C1 until that list is voted on.

Question: What do the following calls have in common?

Flip Your Neighbor
Revert the Tag the Star Back and Dodge
Cross Flip Chain Thru Reaction
Track Back and Scatter
Revert the Vertical Flip the Yellow Brick Road

Answer: They are all examples of compound tagging calls – an idea that is seeing increased use. To create a compound tagging call, the caller combines a tagging call with a call that can be used as a tagging call suffix. There are a limited number of each so we should look at both groups.

What is a tagging call? It is a call that has a first part which ends in a starting double pass thru formation and a second part which consists of 4 extend the tags. In addition, the tagging call can be done fractionally (i.e. Nothing, 1/4, 1/2, 3/4, or Full) with each fraction stopping at the corresponding tag position. Here are the only tagging calls of which I am aware: Tag The Line, Flip The Line, Cross Flip The Line, Vertical Tag The Line, Loop And Tag, Gross Loop And Tag, Tag The Star, Shap The Tag, and Chase The Tag. I also include Track 0-1-2-3-4 as a tagging call with the understanding that one must say Track 2, not Track 1/2. Later on we will see that Invert The Column is sometimes included since Invert The Column 1/2 ends in waves.

What is a tagging call suffix? It is a call that is done from waves and is based on a call that includes a tagging type action. Here is a list of root calls and the corresponding tagging call suffix:

Flip Back (Scoot Back)

Flip Your Neighbor (Fallow Your Neighbor)

Flip Your Leader (Follow Your Leader)

Tagger's Delight (Extend the Tag, Delight)

Tagger's Dilemma (Extend the Tag, Dilemma)

Tagger's Dream (Extend the Tag, Dream)

Tagger's Nightmare (Extend the Tag, Nightmare)

Plipperoo (Extend-eroo (1/2 Split Circulate, Lines Cast Off 3/4 Thru))

Flip The Yellow Brick Road (Follow The Yellow Brick Road)

Tag The Top (Extend The Top)

Flip To A Diamond (1/2 Box Circulate)

The suffix move starts at the 1/2 tag position. For example, 'The Top" or "Extend The Top" means finish a Tag The Top starting from the 1/2 tag position. There are more suffixes based on Scoot Back (e.g. Scoot Chain Thru, Scoot Reaction) which will be covered later.

The caller can pick any tagging call and combine it with any tagging call suffix to make a "new" call. These are danced by doing the tagging call to the 1/2 tag position and then doing the tagging call suffix. It should be easier to master the 1 compound tagging call rule, the 9 tagging calls, and the 11 suffixes then to master another 99 calls. Look at how

### LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT ......

Subject: 'Lest We Forget

A noted writer once said, "Never do anything if you expect to get thanks for it." I believe that most folks who are giving do not expect thanks. They give of themselves out of the goodness of their hearts. That is no reason why the rest of us should not show our appreciation.

The Yankee Clipper Award can only recognize but a few of these worthy people and an award a year can never catch up with the hundreds of deserving ones.

In comparison to the thousands of Square dancers in New England, I know but a few, but out of those few, several come to mind that have been unselfish contributors to the Square dance movement. Art  $\epsilon$  Helen Lufkin come to mind. A dancing couple who have supported all clubs large and small, all local callers and covers, and assisted new corners with both Squares and Rounds. Folks like Dick  $\epsilon$  Judy Severance, also callers and Round dance teachers who have supported so many benefit dances and conventions, have given so much time to attend meetings, Callerlab, Roundalab, Legacy. Without these contributors the Square dance movement could not survive.

Let us remember all the club officers and committee members. I think that it would be a nice gesture during the month of January, we all make it a point to extend the right of fellowship and thank these folks for a job well done. You know who they are. A good way to start the New Year.

clamps denoing,

Bob Marsh The Northeast Square Dancer, January 1988

Challenge Ramblings (continued)

Tag The Line is combined with each of the suffixes:

Tag Back To A Wave (1/2 Tag, Scoot Back)
Tag Your Neighbor (1/2 Tag, Follow Your Neighbor)
Tag Your Leader (1/2 Tag, Follow Your Leader)
Tagger's Delight (1/2 Tag, Extender's Delight)
Taggeroo (1/2 Tag, Extenderoo)
Tag The Yellow Brick Road (1/2 Tag, Follow The Yellow Brick Road)
Tag The Top (1/2 Tag, Extend The Top)
Tag To A Diamond (1/2 Tag, Extend To A Diamond)

All of the compound tagging calls should be danced as one smooth move. It is not proper to check the wave created as a result of performing the tagging call to the 1/2 tag point. In the old days, a call like Tag Your Neighbor was taught as a 3/4 Tag The Line and finish a Follow Your Neighbor. "Finishing" calls has always been a problem area which is why I now teach people to go to the 1/2 tag position and do the whole call te.g. 1/2 Tag and Follow Your Neighbor).

Next month, we will expand what we have learned by fooking at extensions to the second back calls, scoot back call suffixes, what Revert does to tagging calls, and Double Pass Thru and Invert The Column considered as tagging calls.

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# Ask Dr. Allemander

- By Glenn Ickler

Dear Dr. Allemander: There are all kinds of television programs about cops and robbers, mystery writers, lawyers and all kinds of other interesting people. What I want to know is: Have there ever been or are there now any TV shows about square dancers and are any of them worth watching?

J.B.P. Cobot Cove. Maine

Dear J.B: Dr. Allemander is aware of several shows that have appeared over the years and he is of the opinion that any time you can see square dancers they are worth watching.

The most famous, of course, is a show called "Hollywood Squares," which is about a square dance club made up exclusively of movie stars. When watching this show. Dr. Allemander has often fantasized himself in the position of being Sally Field's corner when the caller calls "yellow rock".

Another well-known series, this one about a caller who specialized in all-position calling, with boys paired off with boys and girls paired with girls, was called "The Odd Couple".

Surely you have heard of the long-running show about a square in which the couples kept getting mixed up called "Three's Company" and a program about a dancer who could never find the right partner to promenade called "Lost in Space".

The best show about life in a beginning square dance class is called "All-American Wrestling". Another show about advanced square dance classes, featuring dancers who have trouble following the calls, is "Diffrent Strokes".

The most entertaining series was the one about dancing on an extremely crowded floor where the squares kept getting mixed up. This was called "Eight is Enough", And, of course, the most authentic square dence show of all was the one entitled "Happy Days".

(Dr. A.L. "Lefty" Allemander gives advice to the dancelorn every month in this space when he's not busy watching the current square dance hit, "The Price Is Right".)

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# Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

At a recent EDSARDA management forum held in Hartford, C.T., we experienced some very interesting feedback from those in attendance that we want to share with you. You will note that I have continually emphasized in my articles Square dancing to that of healthful exercise. We learned that this country's largest industry is now exercise related activities. We know Square dancing to be a unique form of exercise. Your public relation's efforts should be capitalizing on the marketplace by telling the story over and over again the health benefits of Square dancing. The 40-50 year age group is very concerned about their health and are looking for something to do outside the family structure. We must get the message out to the non-dancer that our activity is an inexpensive healthful one that includes a fun-filled experience. llave you had your exercise today! Try Square dancing for the health of it! We need a quotable quote that we all can use. Any ideas? We have a moderate exercise program that all ages can enjoy. Let's self it that way. It is not an individual exercise event. . .It is a social exercise event. We were told by a professional promoter that our lessons of 30-weeks (8 months) is too long. Few people will make that kind of a commitment. A question was raised as to whether we could stagger our lessons throughout the year. Our current approach to lessons also has another inherent problem built into its structure in that when you have an interested "hot" prospect any time during the year you have to tell them to wait until September. Their interest span disappears by the time you get back to them. I don't know the answer. . however, it seems to me that we must change our traditional thinking and be more flexible. What would happen if we could somehow structure and resolve these two major objections in our beginner classes by starting a class each quarter. We were also told by this same promoter that in our activity we do not spend enough money in our promotion efforts. We were told that Clubs should be allocating 5% of their gross budget in getting their story to the media. I have tried to emphasize, that in your promotion, you should take advantage of every freebee that is available to you in your local community and that it cannot be a once-a-year thing, but must be done over and over again afi year long, not just in September.

In summary, what we found was that greater success in public relations can be ours if we: 1) Relate the Square dance activity to healthful exercise. 2) Restructure our approach to lessons. 3) Budget and spend some monies on public relations. 4) Keep the Square dance activity in the eyes of the public all year long. These are keys to improved image and future dancer population growth. It won't happen by itself. You have to work at it. Persistence and patience can give you a pay off.

Dick & Judy Severance The Northeust Square Dancer, January 1988

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# Skip Brown Square Dance Caller & Teacher

# A CALLERS VIEW

Something's going to happen this year and it concerns you and I and Square Dancing. It will happen at the Bally Grand Hotel in Rano, Nevada during March 28, 29 and 30 at the fifteenth annual Callerlab Convention. The four year freeze on changes to the Mainstream Program will and Sometime during that Convention the members of the Mainstreem Committee (204 callers) will get together and discuss the pest four years of Heinstreem dancing throughout the Square Dance World. They'll ask among themselves that of the 68 families of movements within the Hainstream Program which of those families on parts of families have risen (or declined) in popularity from the point of view of both dancers and callers alike. They'll discuss the pres and cons of teaching those 68 femilies to new dancers in 6 months or 80 hours or 9 months or whatever the Square Dance Season is in their particular area, they'll go on to tell each other of their successes or feilures in the lest four years while working with our *Heinstream*. Program and then they'll draft a resolution (or some resolutions) to present to the full Callerial Membership at the General Meeting on the 30th of March. One such resolution might read this way: "Be it resolved that the call Fan the Foo be dropped from the Plainstream Program"; or it might read this way: "Be it resolved that all "Left" movements (i.e. Left Square Thru, Left Swing Thru, etc.) be dropped from the Mainstream Program, or it could read this way: "Be it resolved that the movement "Grand Parade" be added to the Mainstream Program; and there's a possibility that a resolution could read this way. "Be it resolved that the *Plainstream*. Program is doing exactly what it was designed to do and that no additions, dailtions, or changes are naccom mended

Now, other than the fect that what is voted at Caller lab will effect us all on the dance floor, why am I telling you all this. Because your views countiff Every Squere Dancer has his or her own catter. Your catter teaches you, calls for you, advises you and Itstens to you!! Tell your caller just exactly what it is that you like or distike about the Itanistream Program. Tell your caller what movements or families of movements (if any) you would like to see added to or dropped from the Itanistream Program. Tell your caller why you feel this way. If you could have one wish granted for the bettermant of Square Dancing in general tell your catter what that wish would be. And test, ask if your catter is going to the Caller lab Convention - If so your views and wish to me and I'll see that they get to the other members of the Itanistream Committee.

Smooth Dencing,

5kip Brown 104 Brighton Avr., Portland, ME - 04102 The Northeast Saudre Dain er, Junuary 1988



Dear Northeast Square Dancer:

I am sending you a copy of Jim Palaski's keynote speech of the Fairs in Squares 22nd Alamad Presidents Seminar and Ball, The speech was well received, and several people have asked for copies of it. We thought the readers of the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine might benefit from it also. You are welcome to use it or any portion of it as you see fit.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerety yours.

Euppy X Norma Kaplow Seminor Chairmen

# KEYNOTE SPEECH By Jim Pulaski

THEME: Keeping Our National Folk Dance Alive

#### Introductory Remarks

A. Preliminary Comments On Introduction by Kappy Kaplow

B. May I start off by extending my personal greetings to the participants of today's Presidents Ball seminar. I also wish to express my appreciation to the Fairs in Squares for the invitation to address this group as keynote speaker. This is a new experience for me in the square dance scene. I that is, the role of Speaker and not of cafter. There are many capable and qualified leaders who could step into such a role, so I am somewhat overwhelmed but most appreciative of the confidence that the Fairs in Squares have placed in me to address you today and to kick off these seminars which, of course, are important to us and to our wonderful activity of square dancing. I shall try to measure up!! One advantage of my role today as Keynote Speaker, and not of square dance caller, is that I won't have to get you all back to your home' positions after this 'TIP'. But, then again, I just might lose my head and shift into a rendition of 'Rockin in Rosalie's Boat' before I'm finished. In any event, I'm sure that you won't be disappointed when you hear that I won't be telling any Polish lokes today. . well, perhaps later I might!

B. When I was first asked to address - this seminar I took time out to reflect back over 20-plus years of our (my wife, Pat's and mine) square dance experience, thistory is an excellent teacher, the Spanish born philosopher, George Santayana, once said words to the effect that those who don't learn the lessons of history are doomed to repeat it. George didn't know too much about square and round dancing because for us it wouldn't be difficult to repeat the last 20-odd years in the activity. It's been absolutely delightful! Over these years, we've had a lot of fun and have entered into many lasting friendships. From our first basic instructions with Skip Smith, thru our round dance lessons with Dick & Evelyn Doyle (God Bless Them), thru the opportunities for participation in club leadership, down to my decision to become involved in the activity as a caller. . . it has all been so wonderful, exciting, and, at times, hertic. I've cherished ...no, that's not too strong a word. . .chgrished the relationships that I've enjoyed as a caller working over the years with a large number of square dance clubs and caller associations throughout the Northeast area. We have so much going for us with this activity. . .the Square Dance Foundation; the Caller & Dancer Associations, publications like the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine, American Square Dance, the Zip Coder, etc., always at work keeping the square dance population informed and entertained, the New England Convention, the Nationals, the fun-filled weekends with friends sharing a common interest. . .yes, Square Dancing does indeed offer great recreational opportunity to everyone, young and old alike.

C. Then, if we can agree that square dancing has so much to offer...and at a very reasonable price, why are we having so much trouble building our classes, maintaining our workshops, and improving our club dance attendance? What must we do to generate a rate of growth that will assure good health for the activity in the years to come...

In short, what is required of us to keep our national folk dance alive and well? With

#### 22nd ANNUAL PRESIDENTS SEMINAR & BALL Jim Pulaski - Keynote Speech

respect to the impact that is needed to convert the general public to the sport of square dancing as a viable form of recreation and exercise, we can summarize our goals and policies into one simple line. . . HOW DO WE GET 'EM & HOW DO WE HOLD 'EM!?.

#### D. GETTING 'EM

It's no great revelation that we've seen a significant decline in the number of people involved in square and round dancing in the Northeast. We've seen the impact of this decline in the number of clubs that have folded. . . in the current need for clubs to integrate their resources in order to remain financially solvent and still provide the necessary means. . .thru the basic and mainstream classes and workshops. . .by which nondancers can enter the fold. In general (with few exceptions) we've observed reduced attendance at club-sponsored dances. Then too, we have the added burden of increased competition from other recreational activities such as home box office, video recorders. aerobic exercise groups, movies. . . I'm sure you can name many others. . . all in competition for public participation. Sometimes it can get very discouraging seeing so many things stacking up against us. But square dancers are optimistic people. To us the glass is half-full. , not half-empty. Equally as important, is the indisputable fact that, in general, square dancers can be very creative indeed. At this point in our history, our creativity may be the 'hole' card; the key that will prove essential to our survival and to new-found prosperity for the square dance experience. We see evidence of this creativity all the time but we have to work at it even harder. Then too, we must be willing to put our creative ideas to work and that takes people. . . everyone who is involved in our activity; dancers, club officers, round dance cuers, and even the lowly square dance caller! What good is the most creative thought if it can't be put to work effectively to meet a common goal? It's useless! We might as well have not even thought about it in the first place! To illustrate this a bit more dramatically, I'll tell you a brief story of a man who, during World War II, came up with an idea to solve the problems of German submarine attacks on allied shipping in the North Atlantic. The German sub wolfpack attacks had been devastating. Thousands of tons of ships and cargo critical to the war effort had been sent to the bottom. Something had to be done. and fast!! The urgency of this stinking situation called for creative thinking and our herowas equal to the task. His approach to a solution was scientific. He reasoned that if the water temperature in the North Atlantic could be raised to the boiling point then the enemy submarines, being unable to withstand the heat, would immediately surface thus exposing themselves to bombardment and destruction by Allied surface vessels and aircraft. What a heck of an idea!. . .the epitome of creativity, without doubt! After the initial adulations our hero was confronted with the big question. . . HOW DO WE IMPLEMENT THIS BRILLIANT IDEA! He responded; "Hey, guys, , just a minute here! I'm the 'Idea Man'. . . the 'creative thinker'! I had the idea. It's up to you to think up ways to do it!" The moral of this story is not in the silliness of our hero's idea but rather in his refusal to participate in the task of implementing it. Our story is indeed an exaggeration, but the message is clear; that ideas, however wild and exaggerated, have no chance if people are unwilling to do the work.

In pursuit of our question, "How do we get 'em and how do we hold 'em?" Let's give some thought to identifying those elements that may have some influence on our recruiting efforts... that may be viewed, at least for this moment, as challenges to the successful realization of our goals and objectives for needed growth in our activity. As I see it, there are three (3) such elements which must be considered and with which we must deal to attack and solve our problems. There may be more that others can think of but, in my view, it all boils down in the long-run to these three (3). And these are:

IMAGE, HUMAN NATURE, MARKETING

Continued next month. . .

#### \*\*\*\*\*\* OPINIONS \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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# RECORD REVIEW

Rating Code: \*\*\*\* Licetlent: \*\*\*\*-Good: \*\*\* Average: \*\* U.K. times not be suitable for all callers)

E.S.P. 613

ALABAMA JUBILEE - W/C by Larry Letson. Key of G.
Heads Square Thru 4, R & L Thru, Veer Left, Ladies Hinge, Diamond
Circulate, Flip the Diamond, Ladies Trade, Swing Thru, Spin the Top,
Slide Thru Corner Swing & Promenade. A groat rendition of this

classic tune. Rating \*\*\*\*

KALOX 1315

HAVE I TOLD YOU LATELY - W/C by Jon Jones, Key of A.

Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Spin the Top, K & L Thru.

Square Thru 3/4, Corner Swing & Promenade, Real smooth singing call

for Joh Jones, A good but for most callers, Dancers liked it. Rating \*\*\*\*

RED BOOT STAR LOVE IN THE COUNTRY - W/C Bob Harnes. Key of A.

Heads Square Thrit 4, Do-Sa-Do, Touch 1, Split Circulate two times, Walk 6 Dodge, Partner Trade, Pass the Ocean, Recycle, Pass Thru, Allemande Left and Promenade. This was a top hit in the 70s on another label. The Red Bool version is excellent and Bob does a nice job on the filip. Rating \*\*\*\*

RED BOOT
ON THE OTHER HAND - W/C By Red Boot Boys, key of F.
Entire call for this dance may be found in our Dance of the Month
Column, Rating \*\*\*\*

CIRCLE D 230 HUNGRY EYES - W/C by Kevin Bacon & Dean Crowell, Key of D.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Ferris Wheel,
R & L Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. A good
offering on Circle D. Rating \*\*\*

CHINOOK 086 I HOPE YOU'RE NEVEN HAPPY - W/C by Daryl Clendenin, Key of C.
Four Ladies Chain 3/4, Heads Promenade 3/4, Square Thru 3/4, Circle
Left 3/4, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade, Music is adequate.
Figure is novel with the 3/4 calls. Rating \*\*\*

HI HAT 5097 MORNIN' RIDE - W/C by Tom Perry. Key of D.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-5a-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Tag the Line,
Face Left, Ferris Wheel, Pass Thru, Corner Swing & Promenade.
Good Hi Hat music, Danceable figure. Rating \*\*\*

ROYAL 101 SOMEBODY LIKE ME - W/C by Jerry Story. Key of F. Heads Square Thru 4, Right Hand Star with Dutsides, Heads Star Left, Touch 1., Scoot Back twice, Corner Swing and Promenade. A slower paced singing call this month for Jerry. Good change of pace. Dancers looked smooth on this one. This label has produced some nice music tately. Rating \*\*\*\*

RHYTHM 205

DOCK OF THE BAY - W/C by Wade Drive. Key of E.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Hall Tag, Walk
E Dodge, Parlner Trade, Pass the Ocean, Recycle, Corner Swing E.
Promenade. A solid sound on Rhythm. Requires expanded vocal range
to hit some of the high notes but with practice this can be accomplished.
Has good dancer appeal. Rating \*\*\*\*

LOU MAC 163 ROAD, (patter) - W/C by Randy Dougherty, Key of G.

If you are looking for a solid heat, good instrumental, without a lot of metody to get in the way, this should be in your record case. I enjoy using it and find it very easy to call to. Rating \*\*\*\*

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Modern bathing suit: I wo buildannas and a worried look.



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#### UPENER:

Well, 4 LADIES CHIAN go straight across that ring Turn that girl and ROLAWAY (CIRCLE LEFT) You ROLLAWAY and CIRCLE LEFT and then LEFT ALLENANDE and WEAVE THE RING So many lovers games I'd love to play with you SWING that girl and PROMENAUE On that hand there's no reason why it's wrong



#### FIGURE (TWICE FOR HEADS, TWICE FOR SIDES (OR INTERCHANGE):

Those HEADS (SIDES) SQUARE THRU go 4 hands 'round 'Meet that corner DO SA DO

\*\*SWING THRU two by two, SPIN THE TOP
Boys move up a RIGHT AND LEFT THRU and turn that girl
You ROLLAWAY and then TOUCH & BOYS RUN RIGHT

Corner SWING, PROMENADE

#### ALTERNATE LINES FOR PLUS FIGURE:

\*Meet that corner SINGLE CIRCLE, MAKE A WAVE \*\*\*\*BOYS TRADE, GIRLS FOLD, PEEL THE TOP \*\*\*\*\*\*I've got to hand it to you girl you're something else

#### MIDDLE BREAK, CLOSER:

SIDES FACE, GRAND SQUARE
But on the other hand, there's a golden band
To remind me of someone who would not understand
On one hand I could stay and be your lovin' mun
But the reason I must go is on the other hand



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#### BOARD OF GOVERNORS' ELECTION RESULTS

The CALLERLAB 1987 balloting for the Board of Governors has resulted in the election of the following individuals: JACK BERG from Chicago, IL, \*DARYL CLENDENIN, Portland, OR, BILL DAVIS, Sunnyvale, CA, \*HERB EGENDER, Aurora, CO, LARRY LETSON, Pharr, TX, MELTON LUTTRELL, Fort Worth, TX, JIM MAYO, Hampstead, NH, \*BOB OSGOOD, (current Chairman of the Board), Beverly Hills, CA, and \*MIKE SEASTROM, Northridge, CA. JACK BERG will complete the remainder of the term left vacant by Gena Trimmer's untimely death. The other elected candidates will serve three (3) year terms. Congratulations to each of these well-qualified callers!

We also would like to thank and congratulate those candidates who, although unsuccessful at this time, took the time and had the interest to run for the Board of Governors. These include BUDDY ALLISON, Powder Springs, GA, LARRY COLE, Marion, IN, DECKO DECK, Rehoboth Beach, DE, BOB "FATBACK" GREEN, Selma, AL, MIKE JACOBS, Fairfax, VA, EDDIE MAYALL, Tyngsboro, MA, BOB NEWMAN, Harlingen, TX, TONY OXENDINE, Sumter, SC, KEITH RIPPETO, Parkersburg, WV, KEN RITUCCI, W. Springfield, MA, and JOHN SYBALSKY, Oakland, CA.

Other members of the Board of Governors currently serving are: RED BATES, DON BECK, NORM CROSS, BETSY GOTTA, DON HANHURST, JIM HAYES, ERNIE KINNEY, MARTIN MALLARD, JOHN MARSHALL, \*DARRYL MCMILLAN (current Vice Chairman of the Board), JACK MURTHA, STEW SHACKLETTE, \*ELMER SHEFFIELD. JR., GARY SHOEMAKE, MIKE TROMBLY, RALPH TROUT and FRANCIS ZELLER. \*John Kaltenthaler serves as Executive Secretary and \*Herb Egender serves as Assistant Executive Secretary. The office staff secretaries are Bunny Broderick, Betty Deane and Carol Neff. (\* denotes members of the Executive Committee.)

#### RESULTS OF ADVANCED DANCING KEEP/DROP BALLOT

John Marshall, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Advanced Dancing Committee, announced that his committee has reviewed the current A-I and A-2 programs and voted to make the following changes:

#### A-1 CALLS DROPPED

ALL 8 SWING THRU ARKY ALLEMANDE ARKY GRAND CROSS CLOVERLEAF

#### A-2 CALLS DROPPED

ALL FOUR COUPLES: PASS THRU CROSS TRAIL THRU BEAU/BELLE NAMING CONVENTION

#### CALLS ADDED TO THE ADVANCED PROGRAMS

DIAMOND CHAIN THRU GRAND THREE-QUARTER THRU GRAND QUARTER THRU TRANSFER AND (ANYTHING)

The added calls will be temporarily assigned to the A-2 program, Review and discussion by the Advanced Committee will take place at the CALLERLAB Convention in Reno. Nevada in March 1988. Bulk distribution of the revised Advanced lists is now available through the CALLERLAB Office, Box 579, Pocono Pines, PA 18350. Cost is \$4.50 per 100 (including postage).

#### THE ABOVE CHANGES ARE EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY!

#### May you all have a healthy and happy holiday season - Darryl 6. Ann McMillon

Mike Jacobs, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Advanced Quarterly Selection Committee, announces that NO NEW MOVEMENT received the most votes on the recent Advanced quarterly selection bullot for the period beginning December 1, 1987.

The current Advanced Quarterly Selections are:

Mini-Busy Open Up The Culumn Checkover Criver Un

Mike stated that his committee feels there is currently no available call worths of being placed on this list. Alike also stated that he was pleased with the 71% voting response of his committee.

### LOOK WHO FLEW INTO TOWN AND LOOKING GOOD!

Thanks Al Hammond, who took the time to fly in from California to join Mike & Jan's get-logether.

The wine that was served during the evening, of course, imported from California compliments of All

Many memories were shared. Thank you to all in making this evening a huge success.

Mike & Jan

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#### CALLERLAB QUARTERLIES CURRENT

(As of Press Time)

MAINSTREAM PROGRAM:

CONNECT FOUR

PLUS PROGRAM:

COMPRESS TO A COLUMN SCOOT AND RELOCATE ROCK THE BOAT

#### ADVANCED PROGRAM:

CHECKOVER

COVER UP

MINI BUSY

OPEN UP THE COLUMN

American women are the best vessed women anywhere.

# SINGLES Without PARTNERS

HOW TO CONTACT SOMEONE ON THIS LIST:

Address all envelopes to The New England Caller, P.O. Box 8069, Lowell, Ma. 01853. The letter itself should be directed to the person you wish to contact. We will forward all genuine responses (after screening) to that person. Be sure your response includes your name, address, telephone number, etc. The Editor

NAME/NOTES CLUB/AREA	FREQUENCY	PROGRAM	TRAVEL
	PREFERENCE	PREFERENCE	AREA
MJ (femate) Jim Mayo or Vankee Twirlers' Partner in 60's workshops		Al whith & Intermediate	e Rounds
FLC (female)5'4" Plymouth & Bristol County Partner 60-70 yrs.		Mainstream Rounds	
RP (mm]s) Good Pius Dancer	1st & Fridays	Plus Level	Boylston or
working Loward Al	of month or may	e	Littleton,MA



Dear Editor:

#### Diabetic Dance Silver City Twirlers Taunton, MA

Many, many thanks to all the dancers for their support, the cuers for doing a great job, the callers for doing a superjob, the Dave Perrault for sharing the M.C. spot with me, to Evic and Bob Hartery, Phyllis Scanlon, Eunice Grant and Joan Devine for all their support.

The dance was great with 25 Squares in attendance supporting it. A total of \$1300 will be going to the children at the tostin Clinic.

God bless all of you for your support from all of us who are afflicted with this #3 killer.

Jack Bright

Dear Editors

Thank you so much for the article you printed in your November issue (pages 68 5 69) about the exhibition group, The Do-Si-Dogs, that I have been working with for the past year.

This group was formed to be a part of the entertainment at the 1987 Gaines Regional Championship Meet that was held in St. Louis the last week end in June, 1987. Since it was such a success, we decided not to break it up after this was over. We are keeping very busy visiting the nursing homes and retirement centers in the area and have also performed at many of the Square dancing functions such as graduations and picnics. Who knows, we may even perform at a National Convention one of these days. As a Caller, I do take a lot of kidding about my unusual group, but it is a very enjoyable experience.

Please enter a subscription for your magazine in the name of: Gateway Square Dance Enterprises, 740 Heman Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63130-3217

Squarely yours, Bob White Dog Gone Caller Dear Editor:

We still enjoy the Magazine and when you changed the name I intended to write and tell you how it came to be named "the New England Caller" which it was called for so many years. As you no doubt know - "way back then" Charlie put out a sheet "the Country Dance Seronader" - Hogie "The HoeDowner" Earle Davis "The Do-Si-Doers" - Al Brundage "The Country Barn News" and Joe Perking "The Kuntry Kaller" - their most important function was to give their dates of calling and where Many times they were not received until some of those dates were past! I suggested to Chartie that a magazine containing all these listings would be a good idea and that it must be in the mail by at least the end of the month. At that time, the caller was what attracted the dancers so ! suggested that it be named "the New England Catter" and its principle purpose was to list all the callers' dates and locations. The editor's editorials, letters to the editor and other items were incidental. It was primarily a labor of love for those of us involved - many years went by before any profit showed - and I think that was because we had a good "clever" treasurer.

We wanted to see the Square dance movement develop and grow, and I like to think that our little magazine played an important part in the present status of the activity.

You & Carole are to be congratulated on your continuing ufforts through "The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine" to make "Square Dancing Fun".

Keep up the good work -

Howard Metcaff

Dear Editor:

May I use a little space to say a great big THANK YOU to the many Square dancers who sent me cards and notes while I was in the hospital.

Their thoughts and prayers brightened my days.

Sinceruly,

Helen Kerr

Dear Mayor Flynn:

Congratulators on your re-election as Mayor of the City of Boston, Your victory margin is a tribute to the fine leadership you have provided.

The Square Riggers Square Dance

### READERS' FORUM

Club would like to work with various Square dance associations of Massachusetts to organize a massive Square dance to entertain your citizens and those of the surrounding area.

We would propose that this would take place on a Sunday afternoon in September, 1988, during National Square Dance month as proclaimed by the Governor of the Commonwealth and most other states.

We would anticipate that hundreds of Square Dancers from all over this and possibly other neighboring states would perform.

As you may or may not know, contemporary Square dancing is enjoyed by persons of all ages and att walks of life. There are several thousand dancers in Massachusetts alone.

Please let us know if you would welcome such an event and, if so, who would be your contact for arranging the details.

Sincerely, Ron & Goldie Clifford

Dear Fellow Square Dancers:

Above is a copy of a letter recently sent to Mayor Flynn of the City of Boston.

We are writing you to ask for your support, your participation and your ideas.

Why have an event of this type? Very simply to further promote 5quare dancing. Why Boston? Because there is no other place where an event of this type can get the media coverage that one held in Boston can.

in New England, as well as nationwide, our hobby needs a shot in the arm.

Jim Pulaski, the keynote speaker at the Massachusetts Presidents Sominar held at the Fairs 'N Squares in Framingham last Saturday talked about Square Dancing. The World's Best Kept Secret. He reminded us of the Produntial Center Dances that many of you may remember.

If it comes to fruition by that time, as Ray Aubut hopes, the new "800" number would greatly simplify the promotion.

As you can see from the preceding letter it is hoped that this can be held at City Hall Plaza on a Sunday afternoon in September 1988.

The Square Riggers would simply be the catalyst. SEMCA, NSSARDA, WACA, WMSARDA, EDSARDA, NECCA, NECORTA. THE SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION OF NEW ENGLAND, THE NORTHEAST SQUARE DANCER MAGAZINE and other groups and individuals would hopefully lend their support and time and talents.

If you believe that this is a good idea, please include it in the agenda for your next meeting to authorize your President(s) or Chairperson(s) to appoint one couple to meet to aide in implementing the plan. Likewise, if you believe in the proposal, please let us know your feelings.

We'll keep in touch with you. Please keep in touch with us.

Sincorely

Ron ε Goldie Clifford

Dear "All",

Sure enjoy the magazine. It is "worn to a nub" by the time the next month's issue arrives.

We no longer belong to Wolfeboro Wranglers so can't renew our subscription through them. The Grand Squares 8 Jesters send in their subscriptions too late for us so guess we'll have to subscribe by ourselves. Think we ran through December. Should have sent in sooner 1 imagine. Anyway, will enclose check for \$9.

Thanks for all the unjoyment!

Sincerely,

Edith W. Edwards
— Happy Hotidays!

Dear Editor: - - - -

I thought you might be interested to know about the efforts of Joe Butter and the RI Mavericks - a Square Dance Club from Coventry, RI. The Mavericks held a benefit dance for the Amos House soup kitchen and were able to donate \$960 worth of groceries and meats. Perhaps this example of Loncern can be shared with your readers.

In peace, James Tull, Co-director

# In Memoriam

# RICHARD TROTT Son of Harry & Corinne Trott of Rochester, NH

DANYERS, MA - Richard W. 'Rinny' Trott, 35, died suddenly Wednesday, October 21, 1987, at the Hunt Memorial Hospital.

Born September 26, 1952, in Salem, MA, he was the son of Harry & Cortme (Tinker) Tratt of Rochester, NH.

He was a foremen for the James Plati Construction Company of Belmont, NII.

The "Jesters" of "Happy Harry's Club," all extend their sympathy and love to Harry & Corinne.

#### BERTHA HEON Wife of Robert Heon Founders - Jesters Square Dance Club

SOMERSWORTH, NH - Mrs. Bertha M. Heon, 63, of 14 Morning Street died early Saturday morning, August 22, 1987, at the Wentworth-Douglass Hospital in Dover after a lengthy Illness.

She and her husband Robert formed the "Jesters" Club, was a great worker for our club, a faithful member and a great friend to all.

She will be sadty missed by all.

#### ROD COWLES

Great Plain Squares

Died: November 21, 1987

The Great Plain Squares Dance Club of Needham is saddened by the death of Rod Cowles on November 21, 1987.

Rod and his wife, Betty, joined the club in 1977 and took part in and enjoyed all its activities. They shared in its leadership by serving in all officers' positions and were Presidents in the 1983 season. They eagerly took part in raiding, mystery rides and the N.E. and National Conventions and were looking forward to Anaheim in June. They were banner chairpersons, banquet chairpersons, float builders and dancers and nursing home dancers. Through their influence, the weekly club activities are held in the Carter Memorial United Methodist Church in Needham.

He was full of fun at all times, enjoyed his many friends and the spirit and affairs of the club were first in his mind at all times.

The club extends its heart-felt sympathy to Betty, his two daughters and other family members. We have tost a true friend.

# In Memoriam (continued)

# JAMES E. HAMILTON Seacoast Region Square Dance Association

Died: November 4, 1987

Seacast Square Dancers will sorely miss Jim Hamilton who died November 4, 1987 at Wentworth Douglas Hospital, Dover, New Hampshire, after a long illness.

He and his wife, Cinny, were avid square and round dancers and held the office of Treasurer for many years.

Among other activities, they conducted church services at various Nursing Homes in the area which were greatly appreciated.

Prayers and concerns go out to Ginny, family and friends.

#### WALTER JAMES "JIMMY" BRADFORD

Died: September 23, 1987

"Walt" Bradford as we knew him passed away at home on Wednesday, September 23, 1987.

Walt was Treasurer of NSSARDA for 14 years before he retired several years ago.

We enjoyed dancing with Walt more than I can explain — he was always so much fun. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him.

RUTH deTURK Ox Yoke Shop Simsbury, CT Died: November 6, 1987

Ruth de Turk, 71, of Simsbury, CT, died November 6, 1987 after a short illness.

Ruth and her husband Revel have been Square Dancing since the early 1950s when they lived in Warren, MA. Ruth was responsible for getting 18 couples together as the first class to be taught by Chet & Barbara Smith, hence, the beginning of Bay Path Barn. Their early dancing was done to Lawrence Loy, Bob Brundage and Charlie Baldwin, in the area of East & West Brookfield and No. Wilbraham.

In 1959, they made a cross-country trip to buy merchandise in Albuquerque, NM then started The Ox Yoke Shop in Pariffyille, CT, at their home.

Revel said Ruth really enjoyed their trip to The World Square Dance in Austria which was just prior to her death.

Our deepest sympathy to Reuel and the family.

## MEMORIAL GIPTS FOR SQUARE DANCERS AND THEIR FRIENDS

Donations may be made when so directed by the deceased's family and friends in memory of their loved one to the SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION OF NEW ENGLAND.

Your remembrance is gratefully acknowledged by notice to the family of your thoughtfulness. Memorial funds are used for the promotion, perpetuation and preservation of our Dance heritage and permanently inscribed upon the records of the Foundation.

Send donations to: Memorial Gifts Chairman, Mrs. Angus Kerr, 109 Lynn Shore Drive, Lynn, MA 01902.



Dear Square Dance Leaders and Friends:

During the year from 9/17/87, when we celebrated the 200th Anniversary of the signing of our American Constitution, until 9/17/88 will be known to the square dancers throughout these United States as the year they were CHALLENGED to make "square dancing" known as the American Folk Dance.

Square Dance Leaders from California, known as the National Folk Dance Committee, tried to get the "square dance" recognized in Washington, D.C., but did attain success for 18 months from June 1982 until December 1983. This committee, now known as the American Folk Dance Committee has now been passed on to USDA (United Square Dancers of America), a national organization. This Committee is Chaired by Frank 6 Nan Habersberger of Florida, who are presently serving also as Legacy Parlimentarian.

Presently, our Legislators in Washington, D.C. have not been hearing from the square dancers across the U.S.A., or else the square dancers are being ignored as only 100 Congressmen have cosponsored H.R. 2067. A target of 300 cosponsors has been set, therefore 1/3 of the quota has only been met. Please continue writing and push for your square dance friends to do the same.

In order to reinforce the above Bill II.R. 2067, we also believe that some "ground roots" should be set in for more recognition NOW, to show Legislators that we mean business. When we say "ground roots", we mean that you as the Square Dance Leader from your State will now organize a committee to make the "square dance" as the American Folk Dance of your respective State. IT CAN and must be done NOW, as seven (7) States have already accomplished this. They are in alphabetical order: Alabama, Florida, New Jersey, Oregon, Tennessee, Washington and West Virginia. Therefore, we now have States from the Pacific to the Atlantic, but the map of the U.S.A. needs much filling in for Legislators in Washington, D.C. to sit up and listen to the square dancers.

The International Assembly of "Trustees" of the Square Dance Activity and the Executive Board of Legacy do hereby CHALLENGE YOU AS THE SQUARE DANCE LEADERS IN YOUR AREA to have the "square dance" known as the American Folk Dance of your respective State. Please keep in Louch with us to update your progress with State Square Dance Organization's organizing committee.

We at Legacy wish to THANK each of you for sharing your time, talents and energies with your square dancers. It is because of YOU that we have such a fantastic recreation.

Squaringly yours,

Frank & Helen Cavanaugh, Board Chairman for American Folk Dance Committee of LEGACY

Please refer to letter below from Dr. Walter E. & E. Louise Cote, Gen. Chrm. for LEGACY

To Whom II May Concern: The Bicentennial year, 1987, is a special time in the hearts and minds of all Americans. On September 17, 1987, the Official date for celebrations to commemorate the 200th Amiversary of the Constitution, Historical Societies all across our Nation will be scheduling events to celebrate this Historica event. The start of the development of Square Dancing in America can be traced back to 1651, 125 years prior to 1776 when the United States was born. This truly American Folk Dance has now over 336 years of History and Heritage. It is fitting and proper that we commemorate our Bicentennial year with the following "Declaration of 1987".

We, the elected Representatives of the State and National Organizations, do hereby declare the Square Dance to be the American Folk Dance of the United States of America. The Square Dance is the American Folk Dance which is Called, Cued or is Prompted to the Dancers and includes Squares, Rounds, Clogging, Contra, Line and Heritage Dances. We support the National Campaign to petition our Legislators in Congress to <u>Permanently</u> designate the Square Dance as the American Folk Dance of the United States of America. We support all States that are Campaigning to have the

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Square Dance declared the American Folk Dance of their States. Total participation in all of these related Dance forms, spanning two generations (60 years) is in excess of 8,000,000 Dancers. It is in their hehalf that this Declaration is made in the Historic Bicentennial year of 1987.

#### LEGACY-WHAT? WHY? HOW?

LEGACY is a support group, a part of the whole Square dance program, set up to encourage and facilitate communication within the activity. It is an information and education source that offers knowledge, education, leadership and service.

Members and "Trustees" are primarily concerned with the healthy growth and preservation of the total Square dance activity. Their concerns include proper publicity to and education of the general public, promotion of Square Dance Month, Square Dancing as the National Folk Dance, information on and promotion of education and leadership seminars (MiniLegacies), a Hot Line for fast communication of important issues and a biomaial survey of your feelings and comments.

Membership is open to anyone in the activity, caller, cuer, dancers, publisher, or supplier, who for three or more years has served in some form of leadership, and who has a continuing interest in education, communication, promotion and/or leadership in Square Dancing. Information on membership or any of the other concerns can be supplied by ALE Vera Schreiner, 1100 Revere Drive, Oconomowor, WI 53066.

In other articles, communication, education and leadership seminars, the Not-Line and survey will be discussed.

Almost 1,000 LEGACY promotional kits have been distributed world-wide, it was announced today by Stan & Cathy Burdick, LEGACY Square Dance Month chairmen.

The purpose of the kits, subsidized by LECACY and available for only \$1.00 postage and handling charge, was to make available 22 pages (including a poster) to those responsible for recruitment and promotion of fall classes. It is hoped that their use will help to increase the numbers in Square dance classes, the Burdick's said.

The theme of Square Dance Month (September) this year was "Program for Fun," and was field in with the design of a computer. Some of the promotional copy made available to the key promoters read as follows:

"Are you in the right 'mood,' and is all your equipment, (resources, plans) in the proper 'mode' for the big push to 'program for fun?' Your screen should be green for 'go.' Your 'hard drive' for new recruits should be well established and your 'readout' should show plenty of recruits by now. We really need to 'double the dancers' this fail, and your efforts are essential.

"Don't forget to really 'Program for Fun' in those first few lessons to keep 'em wanting more. Remember the LEGACY survey that told us convincingly: 'The fun is gone - bring it back.' Make every class a friendly, social event as well as a learning experience. Keep those portals open for three consecutive sessons (Coast a bit with the same dozen or 15 basics) to build those numbers a bit. ('Beginners begel beginners,' as they say.) The units are on. All systems are 'go.' Now it's up to you to 'Program for Fun.'"

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Ray & Carole, Editors

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TUE 5	Jim Dandles	Needham, MA	Purcel	A2/C1
WED 6	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Pulaski/	A2
WED	Bells & Buoys	Maynard, MA	Thompson	A1
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	Wolfeboro Wranglers	W. Brattleboro, VT	Willard/Smith	MS
	Green Mountain Sqs.	Wellesley, MA	Hendron/Porter	Plus
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THU 14	Norwood Sqs.	Norwood, MA	Aldridge/Yakimowski	Plus
	Sr. Citizen's Ctr.	Syracuse, NY	Leger	
	Cape Cod Ocean Wave	s S. Yarmouth, MA	Mackin/Gregoire	Plus
FRt 15	Silver City Twirlers	Taunton, MA	Bright/	Class
	Elem. School	Polsdam, NY	Leger	
	Fun Time Sqs.	Pawtucket, RI	Dumas	Plus
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	McLean/Hartmann	Class
	Bay Path Barn	Boyiston, MA	Rinker	C1
	Jumptown Twirlers	Orange, MA	Leslie/Carignan	Plus
	Allemande Eights	Manchester, N11	Maurice/Pettee	MS
	Hickory Hills Sqs.	Budson, MA	McGowan/Farrar	Plus
\$AT 16	Firesiders	Kingston, NH	Upham/Upham	Plus
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	Town Travellers	Lowell, MA	Beck/Cotlipi	Plus
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	Spares N Sqs.	Canton, MA	White/Porter	
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	Smokey Sqs.	R.I.	Phaneuf/Barry	Class
	Down East Western ST		T-Bow/Lennox	Class
	Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, MA	Barone/Landry	Plus
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	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	McLean/Hartmann	A2
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	Red Hot Sqs.	Burlington, MA	McGee/Chadwick	Plus
	Concord Coach Sqs.	Concord, NH	Beck/Porter	Plus Plus
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SUN 17	Pine Tree Sqs. Village Sqs.	Worcester, MA	Hendrickson/Bryant	Class
30H 17	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	Plus
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	Pine Tree Riot Sqs.	Weare, NH	Silva	Class/M\$
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TUE 19	Nau-Sets	Orleans, MA	Dufau I	7743
WED 20	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Pulaski	Az
MED 40	Bells & Buoys	Maynard, MA	Thompson	AI
	Great Plain Sqs.	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	,,,,
	Scrambled 8s	Norwood, MA	Dean/Sargents	Plus
THU 21	Cape Cod Ocean Wave		Perrault/Gregoire	Plus
FRI 22	Alpine Sqs.	Chelmisford, MA	Aubut/	Class
1 111 22	Spares N Sgs.	Canton, MA	Schell/Campbell	
	Fun Time Sqs.	Pawtucket, RI	Mackin	Plus
	Bay Path Barn	Baylston, MA	Beck/Hartmann	Class
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Rinker	A1
	Acton Sq. Wheelers	Acton, MA	H.Parker/B.Parker	Plus
	Wolfeboro Wranglers	Wolfeboro, NH	Peacock/Lennox	Plus
	Green Mountain Sqs.	W.Brattleboro, VT	LeBlanc/Smith	MS
	Square Riggers	Wellesley, MA	Pulaski/Strong	Plus
	Sixteen Footers	Littleton, MA	Hall/Boudreau	Plus
	Single Sqs.	Woburn, MA	J.Silva/Toth	Plus
SAT 23	Village Sqs.	Worcester, MA	Hendrickson/Bryant	
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	Square Shooters	W.Boylston, MA	Aldridge/Maguire	Plus
	Twin State Sqs.	White River Jct., V1	Cameron/Prudhomme	MS/Plus
	Cloudbusters	Peterborough, NH	King	MS
	Sidesplitters	N.Attleboro, MA	Nurse/Mathieu	Plus
	Northeast Reg.	Wakefield, MA	Lee/Silva	Plus
	Queen City Prom.	Manchester, NII	O'Leary/Chadwick	Plus
	Two Hearts As One	Gardner, MA	Mackin/Boudreau	Plus
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Poisson/Hartmann	A2
	Glastonbury Sqs	Glastonbury, CT	McLean/Lillian & Zepke	Plus
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	Monadnock Sqs.	Keene, NII	Le8lanc/Carignan	
	MacColl Twirlers	Lincoln, R1	•	
	Shindiggers	Topsfield, MA	Bates/Strong	Plus
	Tech Sqs.	Cambridge, MA	Castracane/Huse	Plus
	Pine Cone Reelers	Augusta, ME	Casey	Class
SUN 24	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	Plus
TUE 26	Jim Dandies	Needham, MA	Pulaski	A2/C1
WED 27	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Hendron	A 2
	Great Plain Sqs.	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	
THU 28	Olamond Jim's	Needham, MA	Pulaski	C1
	Cape Cod Ocean Wave	s S. Yarmouth, MA	Aldridge/Gregoires	Plus
FRI 29	Norwood Sqs.	Norwood, MA	Afdridge/Barry	Plus
	Riverside Sqs.	Danvers, MA	Pulaski/Yakimowski	Plus
	Fun Time Sqs.	Pawtucket, RI	Arruda	Plus
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Rinker/Hartmann	Class
	Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	Wedge/Strong	MS
	Cranston Swinging Sqs	. Cranston, Ri	Meunier/Bird	Class
	Allemande 8s	Manchester, NH	Beck/Porter	Plus
	Happy Homesteaders		Dumas/Farrar	
SAT 30	M & M Sqs.	Webster, MA	LeBlanc/Reardon	Plus
	Cape Cod Chowder Cl	W. Dennis, MA	Trapp/Lauzon	Plus
	Silver City Twirlers	Taunton, MA	Bright/Mathieu	
	Wolf Rockers	Mason, NH	Choquette	
	interlocking 5qs.	White River Ict., VT		
	Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, MA	Linden/Case	Plus
	Fireside Sqs.	Esmond, RI	Dufault	Class
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Bates/Hartmann	A2
	Faurmost Sqs.	Bellingham, MA		Class
	Concord Coach Sqs.	Concord, NH	J.Courtois/L.Courtois	MS
	Montachusett Twirlers		Duval/Boudreau	Class
	Border City Sqs.	Nashua, NH	Mayo/Toth	Plus
	Turkey Town Trotters		Adams/Moran	Plus
	Pelham Partners	Windham, NH	Peacock/Porter	Plus
	Star Twirlers	Seekonk, MA	Mackin	Plus
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3	Littleton Sqs.	Littleton, NH	Prydhomme	Plus
10,24	The Hayloft	Sturbridge, MA	Johnston/Hartmann	Α
17	Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, MA	Pulaski	A 2
3,10,17,24,31	Heel & Toe SDC	Manchester, NH	J.Courtois/E.Courtois	Plus
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10,17,24,31	•	S. Yarmouth, MA	Mackin	A1
MONDAYS				
4,18,25	Border City Sqs.	Nashua, NII	Mayall	Plus
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4,11,18,25	Fairtown Sqs.	Topsfield/Boxford, MA		A1
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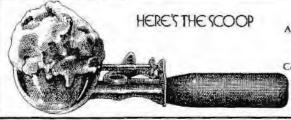
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# Editor's Notebook

# ADHERING TO PROGRAMS



n December we talked about identifying our dances properly, using the correct abbreviations, etc., and I provided some written material from Callerlab on the subject to hopefully clarify the reasons why, as well as, the lists of calls through A-2. Incidentally, you should check our Callerlab updates each month for possible changes in the lists. There were several changes in the advanced lists in January.

All of the education about clearly defined lists of programs and well thought out Caller-Cuer Contracts approved by Edsarda, Necca and Necorta will never do any good unless Callers adhere to the programs for which they are hired to call. I'm not referring to the Caller who makes an unintentional error now and then, but rather the Callers who have absolutely no regard for the advertised program which they were booked to call.

Unfortunately, most dancers and even club officers are intimidated by the Caller on the stage and would never approach him/her in any negative way. Don't misunderstand me, I'm not saying that everyone in the hall should be running up to the Caller all night telling him everything they dislike about his/her calling. That kind of action would definitely spoil the dance and everyone's evening, but why couldn't the club with Club/Caller president Contract in hand, approach the caller to remind him/her of the program that everyone there expected to dance that evening and would he/she please stick to it?

If that still doesn't work, I would

suggest approaching the caller with a list showing that some of the figures being used by him/her are in the program higher than the one he/she is supposed to be calling. If that also doesn't help, I would suggest for the benefit of all involved that you leave him/her alone and then approach him/her again after the dance.

If you're absolutely sure that all your facts are correct and, in fact, the caller refused to call the dance he/she was hired to call, then I suggest that your club write a letter to him/her explaining why you cannot hire him/her again in the future.

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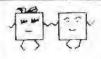
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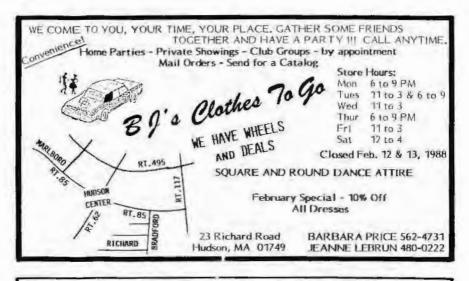
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Thanks go to Mary Foley, Chairman, the Bleakneys, Shirley Lurie, the many volunteers and the club ladies' goodies! Ruth Sheafe's hand crafted Pilgrim Doll door prize was beautiful.

Bill & Ruth Tracy were elected the club's King & Queen for 1988 and will represent the GPS at the SEMCA King & Queen Ball, in February. A large contingent of class and club will attend in their quest for the SEMCA Crown.

Why don't you all attend the Ball for an evening of good dancing with many callers and cuers?

We thank the 3 Squares that danced with Mil Dixon, our class teacher, for his program for the "Young At Heart" at Temple Reylm, Newton on Sunday, Dec. 20.

Our Holiday Party, Dec. 23, was something! Class and club together - the luscious goodies - the Red-Nosed Reindeer (Paul Howard) pulling Santa Claus (Don MacIntyre) for his annual visit - and the spirit of the season. Thanks, Ruth Sheafe, for organizing everything and for your door prizes!

Why not bring your 'lovely' to our "Love in Bloom" dance in February. See our Dancer ad.

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DANCE SCHEDULE

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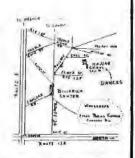
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Our membership in past years has shrunk due to the inability to attract new class members. We have had some great times, but we will be phasing out our Sunday evening Workshops in January, but our LAST CHANCE DANCE is scheduled for February. (See our ad) This dance is open to ALL. We would like to see as many members, former members, and friends as possible. Let's go out in a BLAZE OF GLORY!

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raid to the Spares 'N Squares Dec. 19, Good time had by all.

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We are truly grateful to Pres. Dick Arvidson and to his lovely spouse, Louise, for creating and donating the beautiful decorations which add so much to the enjoyment of the Christmas Party. In addition to running the club, they somehow make the time to do these many things for the club they love so well.

Adding to the joy of this occasion, Bill & Allison Shaw came, both of them showing considerable progress in their recovery. Gulsy kids! Adversity cannot

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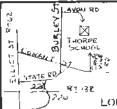
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guessing the right destination. Terri lead the singing of Christmas Carols while bus refreshment chairmen Shirley 5 Lenny Leal passed the ammunition (cheese, crackers, and numerous toasts). In addition, the Triple "C" Squares gave us a large tray of sandwiches and cake for our homeward bound trip. We thank the Triple "C" Squares for their fine hospitality, Jack Northrup & Louise Harper for organizing the many details of the trip, and Marie Magliozzi for her excellent job as chauffeur.

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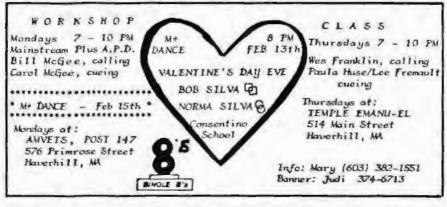
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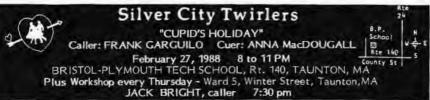
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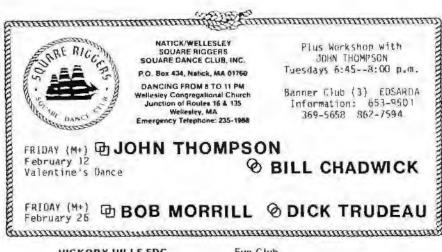


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Our dance with Jack O'Leary calling was also a great success. If you haven't heard Jack's yodelling, you've really missed something.

We have had some very nice articles raffled off to help us get ready for our 25th Anniversary. These have been donated by different members of the club and have really been works of art. We wish to thank all those who are helping to set up for our Anniversary dance. Please reserve June 5 and come help us celebrate this milestone in our club's history.

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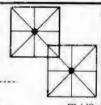
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a most gratifying number of old-timers. who had long been inactive, participated. It was a real joy to see them back, and that is where the continued fall-out comes in. Some of those old-timers have returned to the class for a refresher preparatory to resuming activity in the club. The result is the first class in our history that is growing in number as the year progresses.

As we write this account, we are looking forward to our annual New Year's Eve Party, which will feature dancing to the calling and cueing of Herm & Bev Parker. We'll give you a rundown on that one in our next news release.

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Sun. Feb. 21 - A2 3 to 5:30 PM Workshop / Dance JIM PULASKI (4)

## Western Massachusetts Square And Round Dance Association WMSARDA Calendar

FEB.5 Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/Benoit, K of C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West Springfield Rainbow Strollers, B, Lou Taddia, JFK Jr. High, Raffia Rd., Enfield, CT

6 Chic-Mates, B, Ed Blain/L, Case, Ma 5 & R/D Ctr., Willimansett > T-Cup Auct 7 Vagabonds, B, Lou Taddia & Roger Carignan, Ma 5 & R/D Ctr., Willimansett, MA

12 Wilbraham Wheel-C.M.Lou Taddia/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wilbr,

13 Dancing Shadows, 2, Buddy Dow/Daviaus, St. Pat's Social Ctr., South Hadley Hampden Promenader, 2, Don Beck/C. Landry, Greenleaf Com. Ctr., Parker St., 5pt Vagabonds, S, Lou Taddia/G, King, Ma 5 & R/D Ctr., Willimansett > T-Cup Auct

19 Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/Benoit, K of C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West Springfield

20 Chic-Mates, B, T.B, A/ Benoit, Ma S & R/D Ctr., Willimansett > March Gras 26 Happy Squares, C, Jerry Benoit/C. Landry, Easthampton Cong. Ch., Easthampton

Rainbow Strollers, M., JFK Jr. High, Raffia Rd., Enfield>Pizza Whip City Whirlers, M., John Martin, Sons of Erin, Williams St., Westfield Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Ed Blain/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wilbrah.

27 Dancing Shadows, 2, Charlie McLeod/Daviau, St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., So. Hadley, MA Hampden Promenader, 2, Red Bates/C. Landry, Greenleaf Com Ctr., Parker St., Sp.

28 W/Mass, Co-op, M, The Good Guys/Marge, Quality Inn, Exit 6, Ma. Pike, Spfld D.S.A. Awards. & Bill Headen, Tickets Needed in Advance-See Ad

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FRI 5 Rainbow Strollers, JFK Sch, Enfield, Lou Taddia, B.B. Temple Sweethearts, Green Acres/Upper State St., N. Hayen, Ed Rutty/Dick Scanlon Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Rt 32, Uncasville, Jim Harris/Dolly

**SUN** 7 Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch, Cheshire, T. Rinker/Kendall

THU 11 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Jack O'Leary/Cochran FRI 12 Surfside "8", Tower St. Sch, Westerly, Rf, Al Roberts/Dolly Cochran

SAT 13 Farmington Valley SDC, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Chuck Stinchcomb/Taravella, Plus Lads & Lassies, Lillie B. Haynes Sch, East Lyme, Mike Javarone/Kathy Bryant Rosetown Sqs, Community Ctr., West St., Cromwell, Dave Hass

THU 18 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Mike Javarone/Cochran

FRI 19 Temple Sweethearts, Green Acres/Upper State St., N. Haven, Bob Smith/Dick Scanlon Pequot Rambiers, Uncasville Sch, Rt 32, Uncasville, Ed Rutty/Dolly

SAT 20 Rosetown Sqs, Community Ctr, West St., Cromwell, Del Barone (Blast Off)

SUN 21 Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch, Cheshire, R. McLean/G.Smith

THU 25 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Jim Pulaski/Cochran

FRI 26 Surfside "8", Tower St. Sch, Westerly, RI, Jerry LeBlanc/Dolly Cochran Rainbow Strollers, JFK Sch, Enfield, Jerry Benoit

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Rutty was the caller and Dick Scanlon cued the rounds. For this dance from 7:30 to 8:00 Dick taught round dancing to people. There were so many who thought this was a good idea and there were a good many students. This we are going to do from now on before the dances. The month of February is Tribute to Our Caller Night and Presidents' Night will have Bob Smith calling. See ad. So keep on dancing and enjoy.



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20 Fireside Squares: E.Smithfield Neighborhood Ctr., Esmond-R. Dufault/M. Bird

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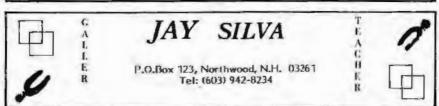
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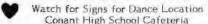




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In March (two quest callers) we will offer free dancing to one couple from each Banner Raid group of 16 lessons. Bring four Squares and two couples go free. The offer applies to as many clubs that raid those nights in March. Special drawing will determine the free admissions. If raiding, please call Joyce or Lenny 603-464-3376 to alert our fine cooks.

We hope to return to our elementary school gym (newly renovated) dancing in '88. Watch for street signs as dates are not firmed.

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Our Club/Class Christmas Dinner Dance was also a big success - 15% Squares. The meal, prepared by Bill & Celina Bonney, was delicious as usual. The entertainment, by the officers, was proclaimed to be hilarious.

At last report things seem to be gearing up for a super New Year's Eve celebration. More on that next time.

Our Class Ball in February is fast approaching (see ad). We are hoping to see many of our friends bring their class members to enjoy dancing with

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Door Prizes

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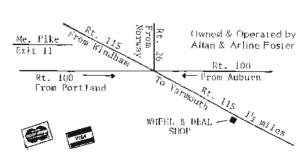
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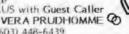
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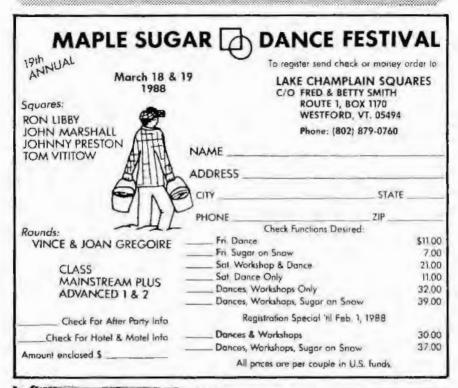
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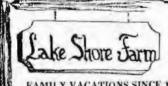
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#### HOW TO MAKE THE SLIM SKIRT

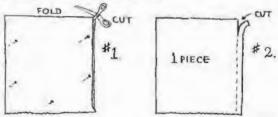
The slim skirt to which I refer was #3 skirt in December's issue of Needle Notes. I have had some requests for more information on this skirt, and also for the pattern. Of course, I am not in the business of selling patterns and this skirt is so simple it doesn't need any pattern, anyways.

For a very slim skirt having only two and one third yards around the hemline, you will need just two length's worth of fabric. Remember to get a coarse weave type if you are planning on a fringed hemline, and do get six or seven inches extra if there is any possibility of shrinkage. You also should allow for the sales person's cutting at a slight angle, which you will have to correct in order to have a straight hemline.

TO BEGIN: Prewash your fabric and dry it in the way that is usual for you (I dry my dresses on hangers, but usually dry my new fabric in the dryer for the first time).



- 1. Press out your fabric gently, trying to keep the weave square and true. If the ends were cut at a slight angle to the weave, lay the fabric on a cutting board or other flat surface and carefully notice where you can follow the first thread that goes all the way across. Cut along that thread. Do this on both ends of the material.
- Fold the material exactly in half, matching cut ends (see diagram #1). Pin together occasionally on each side and press the crease, which will be the culting line. Cut across. Now you have two equal panels.



- 3. Tear or cut one 4" strip off one panel (longwise see diagram #2). This will be used to make a waist band.
- 4. Stitch with small stitches in a straight line across the bottom of each panel, three inches above the edge. Follow a thread, if you can, or pull a thread to make a guide line.
- Sit down and take your time pulling the crosswise threads off below the stitch lines of each panel. Work gently without hurrying so as not to get in a tangle.

## Needle Notes (Continued)

- 6. Having completed your fringe, starting at the row of small stitches, stitch up your side seams. Plan on the widest panel to be in the front and leave an opening for the placket on the left side.
  - 7. Press seams flat.
- 8. Stand in front of a long mirror, holding the skirt up at your waist and judge the proper length for you. Now is the time to cut some off at the waist if it is too long. Now stitch 2 rows of machine basting around the top, making the first row one quarter inch down from the edge, the second, one quarter inch down from the first row.
  - 9. Finish off the placket with a matching zipper.
- 10. Using the underneath threads, pull in threads to gather the top of the skirt to your waist size. Secure threads on pins at each end of gathers
- 11. Using the 4" strip removed from one of the panels, make a 1" or 12" waist band (I like to run in some belt stiffening) and finish it off with a button or hook and eve.

Now that you have finished the skirt, dress it up with a long tie belt that is fringed or beaded. It could be striped, printed and of many colors, and should be wrapped twice around the waist for the best effect. Some sort of slip should be worn underneath so that it will hang well. This is a really simple skirt to make.

Another simple skirt to make that has a slim line also is a moderately flared skirt. In the January issue I wrote about the bubble skirt, but mentioned that a nice flared skirt could be made from that pattern. It is designed to be gathered also at the waist, but if you wanted to eliminate most of the fullness, you could make it a couple of sizes smaller than you usually wear. This pattern is McCall's #3247 which comes in 3 sizes to a package. Glance through the skirt sections of the pattern books and I'm sure you'll find any number of slim line skirts that are suitable for dancing.

These kinds of skirts are not what I want to dance in, but I certainly don't expect everyone to like just what I do. The main thing is that you enjoy Square Dancing, and dress in the kind of skirt or dress that you feel best in.

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#### Then the Sweetheart Punch

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2 cups orange juice

2 cups water

1 pt. cranberry juice cocktail

2 10-oz bottles citrus - flavored 2 carbonated beverage

hice. Combine lemonade, orange water and cranberry cocktail; blend well. Chill for several hours. Pour in carbonated beverage just before serving. Pour over ice cubes or serve in punch bowl. Yield & servings.

#### Next we can serve Light and Lively Salad

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I can cherry pie filling

1 cup coconut

I cup pineapple

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3 to 1 potatoes, quartered

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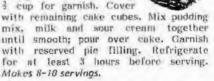
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Origin: Unknown

Music: Epic 34-04247, Exile, "Woke Up in Love"

Position: Solo, all facing Head of Hall Intro: Wait eight fast measures

#### - DANCE -

#### Measures:

1m HEEL TOE STEP — Place Right Heel in front, place Right Toe beside Left Foot, step Right Foot backward, HOLD:

2m POINT LEFT and Point L Toe to Left rear,
STEP HOLD, step LF beside RF,
HOLD; (second half of
Charleston Step)

3m <u>HEEL TOE STEP</u> — Repeat Measure ONE;

4m <u>POINT LEFT and</u> — Repeat Measure TWO; STEP

5m RIGHT FWD LOCK — Step RF fwd, step LF crossing behind RF, step RF fwd, HOLD; (Lock LF against Right Leg)

6m <u>LEFT FWD LOCK</u> — Repeat Measure FIVE with opposite footwork;

7m RIGHT BASKETBALL—Step RF fwd and pivot on it with lunge at same time do not pick up LF, HOLD, now pick up

Left Foot and step on it, HOLD;

8m <u>WALK TWO</u> — Step Right Foot forward, HOLD, step LF fwd, HOLD.

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## Line/Solo DANCE CORNER

By Dr. Grant Longley

News Flashes Two Line/Solo Dance organizations (somewhat grouped together by virtue of membership) are Each year since inception two years ago, the Line Dance Academy and the New England Line Teachers Association increased their membership. At a recent meeting held in Saugus, Massachusetts, the present slate of officers were re-elected. It is most gratifying to this reporter to hear of the successful of line/solo completion E organization - lot alone two of them. CONGRATULATIONS!!!

A quick survey of Florida Line Dance news indicates that class size and numbers are ahead of previous years during the Fall dance season. We expect a banner year during the tourist season when a great many Northern snowbirds arrive to swell the present Line/Solo dance classes.

Highlighting the Winter dance season will be the February 14, exhibition of the Jo Bridges Line Dancers from Newburyport, Massachusetts. plan a two-week stay in Florida and will be featured at the Venice Community Center where they will perform before several hundred Line/Solo dance enthusiasts. After which they plan to visit Disney World and Epcot along with Busch and Cypress Gardens. Our Floridian dancers sincerely hope the "snow birds" have a pleasant stay in sunny Florida.

The third Line/Solo Dance Teachers Association also situated North of Boston has had a good year. They will have Christmas Party at This group January 10th meeting. American National Line Teachers Association but they have changed understand their to: Line Dance Association, Inc. Likewise, they have had an annual meeting with an election of officers for the ensuing year with Marilyn continuing on into a second term as President, while Esther Routhier takes on the duties of Vice-President. Ray Peak continues on as Treasurer and Eleanor Toomey is the new Secretary. Their meetings are held at the Masonic Hall in Saugus on the second Sunday of each month.

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#### INSECURE

Mother of small bey to child psychiatrist: "Well, I don't know whether or not he feels insecure, but everybody else in the neighborhood certainly does.



How many of you have introduced Square dancing to neighbors next door, to members of a local PTA, or just encouraged friends to sign up for class? If you have, you have something in common with Nita Page from Northern California. Nita, however, has brought Square dancing to others in a big way. She's gone past the next-door neighbors by adopting a whole country. And not

just one of your little postage-stamp size countries either, for Nita, who is just a wisp of a lass herself, has taken on a job which matches her enthusiasm for Square dancing. She's taken on China, the largest country in land mass and the greatest in population.

But wait — while we've got your attention, let's go back a bit. Active in Square dancing since the 1940s, Nita and her late caller-husband, Bob (one of the founding members of Callerlab), became involved in the travel business, taking Square dancers to dozens of spots around the world, and when they traveled they managed to dance in almost every country they visited. With Bob's passing in 1982, Nita had some major decisions to make. It didn't take her long to decide that she would continue their travel organization and, with the encouragement of many friends, set out for new fields and new discoveries.

When the People's Republic of China opened its doors to the rest of the world, Nita was among the first to lead a group of Square dancers into that mysterious country and, as she had done in other places, she included Square dancing. "Never," said Nita, "had the dancers received such attention." The story of how America's folk dance touched the people of China would fill many pages. As a result of her initial visit, Nita, the dancers and callers, were encouraged to return — not just to dance but to teach the Chinese people how to Square dance.

Over a period of four years, Nita and three different callers returned to China six times. On two occasions, she was there for more than a month and during that time was transported to ten different cities, instructing more than 1,000 Chinese dance leaders how to dance, to teach and to call, as well as providing sound equipment, records and costumes. She and caller, Johnny Barbour, helped to translate The Basic Movements Handbook into the Chinese language.

Now it appears that Nita has a "Panda by the tail." If she could, she would spend more time in this people-to-people project, making sure the dance leaders in China have sufficient assistance to move shead with their teaching and education program.

The next step, she has decided, is (hopefully) to bring to America a Square or (at least) a couple from the Chinese dancer leadership to see first-hand what the activity is like in this country. It won't be easy and it won't be inexpensive, but in Nita's words, "It would be a wondrous way to share what we have with a people we know so little about." in addition. Nita would like to bring over two Chinese men to study Square dance calling under the tutelage of American callers.

The groundwork has been laid. The Chinese are amenable to the idea. Now assistance is needed from Square dancers in the United States, Individuals, clubs, callers, groups or associations who would like to share in this venture are invited to write to Nita Page, 3938 Washington Blvd., Premont, California 94538. Her goal is to bring the Chinese dance representatives to the 37th National Square Dance Convention in Anaheim next summer and either before or after this event to make visitations to clubs around our country. It's an ambitious endeavor, but, what the heck, in America, nothing is impossible.

Bob Osgood The Northeast Square Dancer, February 1988

Wisdom: The sum of wisdom is that time is never last that is devoted to work.

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#### "HOLDING HANDS"

Valentine's Day comes this month and with it all those little "Valentine Cupids" fillting about shooting arrows into unsuspecting hearts causing a yearning for a little physical contact with persons of the opposite gonder. Aren't we fortunate to be Square Dancers for as such we have a "Valentine's Day" every time we dance. Just think of how much physical contact there is in Square Dancing. We get to hold hands with our corner; we get to bouch hands with our pertiner; we get to hold another dancer in our arms as we swing each other; and somatimes we even get a full nose to tees hug when our coller is in a "Yellow-Rockin" mood. Some of us dancers miss a lot of physical contact in dancing - some by short-cutting and some is missed because we have become just a bit completent.

Let's look at short-cutting. When we are all home with partner, and the heads or sides are asked to square through we get a lot of hard holding while doing the movement. If, however, we short-cut, by merely stepping forward then turning to face our corners, we have missed all that physical contact. — that hand shaking and turning in and brushing sholders as we pull each other by. We have also spoiled the rhythym of the dance. When four ladies are asked to chain there is a courtesy turn involved in which we get to hold each other's left hands in front of the lady and our right hands behind her as the man's arm goes around the lady's waist as we finish with that sweeping, flowing turn to face in. But, if we are short-cutting, we aliminate that courtesy turn and just do a star thru. Ends up the same way but again, we have spoiled the rhythym of the dence.

To be completent can meen to be "self-setisfied". I suppose a "self-setisfied" dancer really doesn't need to join hands after a pass thru because the caller just might call "Leg the line" and this "self-satisfied" dencer would have to immediately let go - so, why waste the time joining hands. Well, one reason for joining bands is the catter might call a "wheel & deal" and if we have a hand hold with our partner we can properly dance a "wheel & deal"; enother reason for joining all hands (and I mean #// hands) is the caller might cell "bend the line". That's where the centers back away to face each other white the ends welk forward to face each other. If all hands are joined and you have no unjoined hands you are a center - if you have one free hand you are an end and if your right hand is free you walk forward turning left to face the other and dancer while if your left hand is free you walk forward turning right to face the other and dancer. Think about it, How many times have you gentlemen, while denoting a "pass thru" followed by a "bend the line", reached out to hold the lady's hand only to find she had stready "bent the line" and your hand was in the middle of her back; conversely, how many of you ladies have denced the same moves, reached out to join heads, and found yourself looking at the side of the centiamen's head because he had already "bent the line"? How many times have you danced a "bend the fine" movement after a "pass thru" and turned the wrong way just because you didn't join hands? Next time your caller calls an "eight chain" movement watch whether the two dancers coming to the outside wait for each other for the "courtesy turn" or whether your "eight chain" movement dissolves into an oval shaped right and left grand!

Guess that's it for this month gang, keep making contact, and remember.

Smooth dancina,

Skip Brown 104 Brighton Ave., Portland, ME - 04102 The Northeast Square Doncer, Februar, 1948

## CALLERLAB

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The International Association of Square Dance Collers

Mona Cannell, Chairman of the CALLERIAB Contra and Traditional Committee, appounces that "INFLATION REEL" has been chosen as the <u>Contra of the Quarter</u> for the 1st quarter of 1988. "INFLATION REEL" was authored by Jony Parkes.

#### INFLATION REEL

Formation: Improper Duple-1, 3, 5, etc. active and crossed over-

Music: Pulse "Bye Bye Blues", Gold Star "Ragtime Annie", or any well-phrased standard\* reel.

Intro $  -$ , With one below	w (corner) do sa do 8 cts	5
1-8, With the same	lady swing 8 cts	5
9-16, Put her on you	r right, go down in fours 8 cts	5
17-24 - Wheel turn, com	ne back to place 8 ets	5
25-32 - Bend the Line, r	ight and left thro 8 cts	5
<b>33-40</b> — — , — — Two ladie	es chain 8 cts	5
41-48, Circle for	ur 8 c1:	s
49-56 , Once a	ind a quarter more** 8 cts	5
57-64 - Pass thru, NEW corne	er do so do (etc.) 8 cts	5

<sup>\*</sup>For new callers, a standard length piece of music is considered to be one in which the melody plays through one time in 64 beats.

Mona Cannell, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Contra and Traditional Dance Committee, has announced that "TRIPLE ALLEMANDE" has been chosen as the <u>Traditional Dance of the Quarter</u> for the 1st quarter of 1988.

#### TRIPLE ALLEMANDE

References: Five Years of Sets in Order, Bob Osgood, 1954
Dance Awhile, Harris, Pittman, Waller, 1964

Square Dance Instruction Book, Cliff Stone's Band, Capitol Records, 1947

Dance Call: Allemande left and the ladies star

Gents walk around but not too far Allemande left and the gentlemen star The ladles walk around but not too far Allemande with the old left hand

Right to your partner, right and left grand.

#### Dance Description:

The dancers do an allemande left and immediately the ladies form a right hand star in the center of the set and turn the star forward (clockwise), while the gents promenade single file (counter-clockwise) around the outside of the set. Turn the same corner halfway by the left and the gents step to the center to form a right hand star and turn the star forward (clockwise) as the ladies promenade single file (counter-clockwise) around the outside of the set. With the same original corner, allemande left and right and left grand.

Note:

The fun in dancing the TRIPLE ALLEMANDE is to get all of the dancers dancing at the same pace so that the figure flows smoothly. Caution the dancers that with the star in motion and dancers moving on the outside in the opposite direction, the corner comes around very quickly and that they must be alert.

#### ADVFRTISING DOESN'I COST -- IT PAYS

<sup>\*\*</sup>At this point in the dance, the caller indicates to head and foot couples to cross over.



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## CURRENT CALLERLAB QUARTERLIES

(As of Press Time)

MAINSTREAM PROGRAM:

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PLUS PROGRAM:

COMPRESS TO A COLUMN SCOOT AND RELOCATE ROCK THE BOAT

ADVANCED PROGRAM:

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COVER UP

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OPEN UP THE COLUMN

#### ATTENTION ALL SOUARE DANCERS

The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine would like to encourage you to send in for publication, items that you feel would be of interest to other dancers in New England. We welcome poems, puzzles, sayings, write-ups on special events - upcoming or past, in your area or just plain items of interest pertaining to any facet of the Square Dance Activity. They need not be typed, just legible. If we use what you submit, we will give you credit for it unless you tell us to withhold your name. Black and white photos will be published whenever possible and returned to you if you so state.

Ray & Carole, Editors



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#### CONTRA AT THE 37th NATIONAL CONVENTION

By Art Harvey, Vice-Chairman Contra Programming

First let me extend an invitation to all of you to attend the 37th National Square Dance Convention to be held in Anaheim, CA. The Contra Hall is undoubtedly the best hall for dancing at not only this Convention, but most of the others as well. The Contra Hall, all 12,000 square feet of it, has the only hard wood floor for dancing at this Convention.

Present plans for the Contra Hall show us opening for dancing at 9:30 each morning, closing between 5 and 7:00 p.m. each day for dinner and then open for dancing between 7 and 11:00 p.m. Thursday and Friday and between 8 - 11 p.m. on Saturday. The two hour closure for dinner each day is to provide the Contra Leaders a short break as well as the dancers. The two hour period between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. each day will be used for Contra Clinics.

Contra Education will include six hours of Contra Clinics, six hours of Panels and six hours of Seminars. Please come to Anaheim in 1988 and help us make the Contra Program the highlight of this National Convention.

At present we have 31 Contra Leaders registered for the Convention. We would like to see and have the experience of dancing to and with more of you at this Convention. Rooms are going fast, so if you haven't sent in your registration yet, I would like to suggest that you do so as soon as possible.

#### ONCE IN A LIFETIME OFFER TO DANCERS

The 37th National Square Dance Convention® being held in Anaheim, California on June 23, 24 & 25, 1988 commissioned award winning artist Charles J. Flynn to create an art work that would live as a memento of the joys of Square Dancing and as a lasting tribute to the part Square dancing has played in California history during the last 100 years. The painting Mr. Flynn created traces dancers from the days of Conestoga wagons, past the early California missions, and on to the site of the 37th National Convention near Disneyland's Magic Kingdom.

Charles Flynn's Ilthograph, called 'CALIFORNIA TRAILS', is being offered by the 37th National as a limited edition, each signed and numbered. The edition is limited to 1000 prints. No more will be struck.

Square dancers, this is our opportunity to own a fine lithograph which tells the story of one of our favorite pastimes. It would make a unique gift for a fellow Square dancer and clubs may want to use it as a fund-raising item. Prints (16 x 20 inches) are available at \$25 each, unframed, from 37th National Square Dance Convention®, P.O. Box 8549, Anaheim, California 92802.

## DID YOU KNOW?

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couple of recent incidents have called my attention again to a subject wondered about in the past. The subject evaluation/appreciation of caller's performance skills. It seems sometimes as though the skill of the catter makes tittle difference in the overall enjoyment of an evening by the dancers. Certainly there are many styles of calling and types of presentation that allow dancers to have a good time. On the other hand, I do occasionally hear complaints from dancers about the calling (not mine - the other callers they have danced (o.) Usually, it is the most experienced dancers who complain and the criticism is often that the dance was boring. Recently, I have heard MANY dancers complain about two particular events.

At one, the problem was that the caller made the dance too complicated and people couldn't do what he was calling. One dancer said it looked like a hockey game more than a dance and added that he often failed to get people back to the right partner. The other event was called by a person who could not establish contact with the music and seemed totally unable to get people anywhere near either the partner or corner. I must admit I am pleased to learn that there is some minimum level of skill required to provide a satisfying experience. Perhaps it's an overdeveloped equ but I like to think that the experience and hard work that I (and many other fine New England callers) bring to the job makes the evening more fun for the customers.

I realize that the hard work of the banner chairman accounts for a large part of the attendance at many dances but I still believe that it is easier to recruit people to come on the raid if the caller is one that people enjoy dancing to. Square dancers are wonderful people who are likely to have a good time enjoying each other's company even when the dancing is less than great. I wouldn't want to change that but I'm afraid that forgiveness hides a problem.

Both the callers involved in the dances I mentioned may have gone home thinking they did a great job of calling. After all, the dances were well attended and they got well paid for their performance. If this was the theater, the critics would point out the flaws in the next day's paper. Maybe we need some critics in Square dancing so that callers will have some incentive to keep working to improve their skills.

> Jim Mayo The Northeust Square Duncer, February 1988

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# In Memoriam

LOUISE COULL Died: September 2, 1987

Louise Coult of Glowcester, beloved wife of Bob Coull, club caller of former Clandiggers Sougre Dance Club of Beverty Forms.

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# The GALLERS' GORNER

THE PLUS PROGRAM: Featuring the call EXPLODE THE WAVE/EXPLODE AND. . .

HEADS PASS THE OCEAN, EXPLODE THE WAVE, CLOVERLEAF. . . SIDES PASS THE OCEAN. .EXPLODE THE WAVE. .DOSADO TO A WAVE. . ALL & CIRCULATE . . EXPLODE AND. . . RIGHT & LEFT THRU. . SLIDE THRU, . LEFT ALLE ...

ZERO LINE, PASS THE OCEAN, LEXPLODE THE WAVE. . CHASE RIGHT. . . SINGLE HINGE. .GIRLS TRADE. .SWING THRU. . . TURN THRU, LEFT ALLE....

ZERO LINE, .PASS THRU, .WHEEL & DEAL, . . CENTERS PASS THE OCEAN. . EXPLODE THE WAVE. . . PASS THE OCEAN. . EXPLODE AND. . . SWING THRU, GRAND RIGHT & LEFT. . .

#### Working with Explode. . . . from & sashayed waves. . .

ZERO LINE. . PASS THE OCEAN. . SWING THRU. . EXPLODE THE WAVE. . . ENDS TRADE...CENTERS PARTNER TRADE...BOX THE GNAT.... FAN THE TOP....RECYCLE...SWING THRU. TURN THRU. LEFT ALLE...

ZERO LINE. . PASS THRU. . WHEEL & DEAL. . CTRS. , . SWING THRU. . EXPLODE THE WAVE... CLOVERLEAF. CENTERS PASS THE OCEAN & SWING THRU. .EXPLODE THE WAVE. .TOUCH 14. . . . BOYS FOLD. . . . GIRLS SQUARE THRU 3/4. . . BOYS REACH OUT & COURTESY TURN THE GIRLS. . . (zero line). . . SWING THRU. . BOYS TRADE. . . . EXPLODE &. . GRAND RT. & LEFT. .

ZERO LINE. . TOUCH %. . . ALL 8 CIRCULATE. . . CENTERS FOUR. . HINGE. . CENTER BOYS TRADE. CENTERS. EXPLODE THE WAVE. . . OUTSIDE BOYS RUN. . . SWING THRU. . SCOOT BACK, . BOYS RUN. PASS THE OCEAN....EXPLODE & ROLL.....GRAND RIGHT & LEFT...

#### Working with four boys/girls in the ocean wave:

HEADS PASS THRU. .SEPARATE AROUND ONE TO A LINE. . PASS THRU, WHEEL & DEAL. . . GIRLS SWING THRU, .EXPLODE THE WAVE. . GIRLS CLOVERLEAF. . BOYS SWING THRU. . EXPLODE THE WAVE & CLOVERLEAF. . GIRLS SQUARE THRU 3/4. . . STAR THRU. . COUPLES CIRCULATE. . BOYS TRADE, BOYS RUN, EXPLODE &, SLIDE THRU, LEFT ALLE, ... zero box.

HEADS SQUARE THRU FOUR...SIDES ROLLAWAY....DOSADO TO A WAVE... EXPLODE THE WAVE. . WHEEL & DEAL. . . DOUBLE PASS THRU. . GIRLS PARTNER TRADE....SPIN THE TOP...GRAND SWING THRU.. EACH WAVE. . . EXPLODE THE WAVE. . . TRADE BY. . PASS THRU. . . BOYS CLOVERLEAF. .GIRLS DOSADO TO A WAVE. . . EXPLODE THE WAVE. . TOUCH &.... GRAND RIGHT & LEFT.....

Setting up an Explode and....Grand rt. & left...or Explode & turn thru...left alle...

ZERO LINE. . . SWING THRU. . BOYS TRADE. . . EXPLODE AND . . . . .

ZERO LINE. . RIGHT & LEFT THRU. . ROLLAWAY. . . DOSADO TO A WAVE. . . EXPLODE AND.....

ZERO LINE. .RIGHT & LEFT THRU. .PASS THE OCEAN, .GIRLS TRADE. .SPIN THE TOP. . EXPLODE AND.... Jock Losry

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#### WMSARDA

#### Western Mass. Square & Round Dance Assoc.

Welcome aboard to new officers for 1988. Ed Cabana, Chairman; Russ Moorhouse, Treasurer; Eloise Hoekstra, Secretary. Thanks to 1987 officers for a job well done.

We have put a bid in for the 1991-1992 New England Square & Round Dance Convention to come to Springfield, MA. The Committee headed by Len & Comie Houle have been diligently hard at work preparing this bid.

We wish to the 1988 Connecticut Festival much success.

May your partner and your corner smile upon you.

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#### CSDCA

#### CT Square Dance Calendar Assoc.

First of all, many thanks to Bob Prentice for securing our meeting hall, to, these many years.

Newly elected officers: President Chris Sauer, Vice-President Ruth Madison, Secretary Lorrine Mirtl, Programmer, Treasurer and Publicity Chairman, Russell Moorhouse. Thanks to outgoing officers for a job well done.

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#### CASDC

#### CT Association of Square Dance Clubs

CASDC has undertaken the task of surveying its member clubs to get a handle on how Square dancing is doing in CT, and certain areas of NY and surveying each club. Association will know what level of dance is the most attended, which nite is the most attended by Square dancers, and whether special dances, do in fact, increase attendance. The number of new dancers entering Square dancing will also be surveyed by recording Blast-Off and Calico Ball attendance. Now that they are in their second year of issuing visitation certificates to attending students (8 or more per club) it is a good way to see how new dancers travel and become part of the Square dance movement. Results of the survey (November - June) will be published in the summer issue of The Northeast Square Dancers Magazine. It should be interesting, Look for it!!

> Joyce R. Fagan CASDC Publicity

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## ROUND DANCE

#### WALTZ OF THE ROSES

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SEQUENCE: INTRO - AB - AB - A - ENDING

#### MEASURES:

#### INTRO

#### BFLY WALL WAIT 2 MEAS: ; SD. DRAW, TCH; SD. DRAW, TCH; 1-4

1-9 Wait: Wait:

Sd LOD L, Draw R, Tch R; Sd RLOD R, Draw L, Tch L; 3-4

#### PART A

#### 1-4 BFLY WALL WALTZ AWAY; & TOG; BFLY 2 SOLO TRNS; ; OP DW

1-2 Waltz awy L, R. Cl L: & tog R, L, Cl R;

3-4 In BFLY Rel handhold & Prog LOD LF trn L, Sd R, Cl L to fc COH; Cont LF ten R, Sd L, Cl R to BFLY Blend to OP;
APT,PT, FWD PU, SD, CL; CP LOD 2 LF WALTZ TRNS;;

#### 5-8

Sd & apt DL L, Pt R diag twds Ptr .-; Sm stp Fwd R (W PU) LOD to CP, 5-6 Sd COH L. CI R:

Fwd twds COH L, cont LF trn Sd R, Cl L; Bk R Dw cont LF trn, Sd L. 7-8 CIR to fe WALL;

#### 9-12 CP WALL BOX; ; DIP BK; MANUY, SD, CL;

Fwd L, Sd RLOD R, Cl L, Bk R COH, Sd LOD L, CL R;

11-12 Dip bk COH L, Rise, Hold; Manuv RF if of W, Sd Wall L, Cl R to CP RLOD;

#### CP RLOD 2 RF WALTZ TRNS; ; CP WALL TWISTY VINE 3; THRU, FC, CL; 13-16

13-14 Bk L trng RF, Sd R cont trn, Cl L: Fwd R trng RF, Sd L, Cl R comp trn to fc Ptr & Wall:

15-16 Sd LOV L, XRIB. Sd LOD L; thru LOD R, Sd LOD L trng RF, Cl R to BFLY; PARTR

#### 1-4 BFLY WALL BAL L; & R; OP WALTZ AWAY; TWINK;

Sd LOD L, XRIB (W XIB), in Pl L; Sd RLOD R, XLIB (W XIB), in pl R; 1-2

Repeat action of Meas 1 of PART A to end diag OP Thru R LOD trug RF 3-4 to fe Wall, Sd L LOD, Cl R trng RF to LOP RLOD;

#### 5-A LOP RLOD BAL FWD; & BK; TWINK; OP LOD THRU, FC, CL;

5-6 Bal fwd twds RLOD L, R, L; Bal bk R, L, R;

Twinkle thru RLOD L, Sd R trng LF to fc Ptr & Wall, Cl L trng LF 7 - 8to OP LOD; Repeat action of Mens 16 PART A

#### 9-12 CP WALL L TRNG BOX;;; SCAR DRW

Fwd L trng LF 1, Sd R, Cl L CP LOD 8k R trng LF 1, Sd L, Cl R CF COII:

11-12 Repeat action of Meas 9 PART 8 but end in CP RLOD 8k R trng LF 1/8 to SCAR DRW, Sd L, Cl R;

#### TWINK; BJO D W MANUY, SD, CL; CP RLOD 2 RF WALTZ TRNS; ; CP WALL BLEND TO BFLY 13-16

13-14 Fwd L DRW, SD R trng LF to BJO, CL L; Repeat action of Mens 12 PART A

15-16 Repeat action of Meas 13-14 PART A

#### ENDING

#### 1-4 BFLY WALL BAL L; & R; TWIRL VINE; THRU, SD, CL;

1-2 Repeat action of Meas I PART B Repeat Meas 2 PART B

3-4 Sd LOD L, XRIB, Sd LOD L (W RF twirl under lead hands); Repeat Meas 16 PART A but remain in BFLY

#### APT,PT,-;

Repeat action of Meas 5 PART A

Tom Riding

# KEYNOTE SPEECH By Jim Pulaski

THEME: Keeping Our National Folk Dance Alive

Continued from last month's issue:

#### IMAGE, HUMAN NATURE, MARKETING

All of the three factors or elements likely relate and interact with one another, but let's consider each on its own in terms of effects or influences.

#### IMAGE

How do people. . .non-square dancers. , .perceive us and our activity? Certainly everyone present at our seminars today have a generally favorable outlook on square dancing. It's fun for us. It's our hobby or recreation. We love it and we can't conceive of anyone saying any had thing about it. And while we may encounter troublesome situations or difficulties within the administration, or thru dancer relationships, we none-the-less look at ourselves as pretty nice gals and guys. . . people with whom others. . .non-dancers. . .of similarly high intelligence, good looks, and sparkling personality would want to associate. But others outside of our activity may see us in an entirely different light. We look different, perhaps even stupid, to them in our funny clothes. Perhaps their view toward us and our activity has been influenced by earlier forced efforts at square dancing in grammar or high school. . ,dancing introduced to the strains of some squeaky 'Turkey-in-the-Straw' type hoedown reeking with the odors of the cow barn and administered by some social studies or gymnasium instructor not knowing the first thing about what he or she is doing; or, more importantly, the perceptions that he or she is creating. Oh, what we are made to suffer sometimes as children!! "Can you imagine, Dad. . .the old crone actually made me dance with a GIRL!!" And Dad wisely replies; "Son, in a few more years you'll WELCOME the chance!" Consider how we manage our demonstrations which can be so important as a recruiting tool. What kind of an image do we create for the non-dancer? Let me create a scene for you. A club has the opportunity to put on a demonstration for recruiting purposes at the local mall or shopping center. "Ah, a chance to show off our inimitable skills. We'll do it up big. . .wear our best finery and be on our best behavior!" The big night arrives and the dancers show up at the appointed time with the caller. Many 'civilians' are on hand to watch as they shop or browse. And here's what happens! The dancers are decked to the hilt in square dance costume that might be worn to a big festival or at a New Year's Eve dance. Some of the dancers look like the reincarnation of Tom Mix; or like very young adolescents with 'high-rise' tu-tus. The caller, too, is decked out in resplendent finery purchased the night before from the Nieman-Marcus western wear shoppe. Of course, he is not without his ten-gallon hat. He lacks only his horse, sidearms, and shaggy wool chaps! He presents no balance to his selection of music. There is none of the modern, upbeat. . .even rock. . .music to stimulate and interest his audience and their varied castes. His music is dated. . even ancient. And look how his dancers perform. Instead of exuding enthusiasm and excitement, they dance almost mechanically. No smiles!! Instead a smug show-off expression that says in an almost childish way; "Ha, Ha. . .! know something that you don't!" "He's exaggerating again!", you say. But the sad truth is that I'm not. I have personally witnessed such a scene as an observer. . .as one of the shoppers in that mall a few years back. It was distressing to hear some of the unflattering comments as I circulated thru the crowd. "But they're not smiling; they don't look like their having fun.", . or, "The costumes look silly. I could never wear anything like that". . .or, "It looks like too much work.". . or, "I couldn't afford the money to pay for those outfits and I'm not sure I'd want to!". . .or, "It doesn't look too smooth to me. The dancers are bumping Into one another.". . .or, "Gee, that music grates on my nerves." You good people will never learn from this good old boy who the caller or club was; but you can be sure that, with little exaggeration on my part, it did happen. What do you think that this did for our recruiting effort? Not much good, I'm afraid. If you're going to promote an activity, it seems that common sense should tell you to do everything that you can to avoid any barriers that might turn your potential client off. Conversely, you do all you can to show these people that you're just like them; the only difference being that you've discovered something that is a lot of fun for you

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and that you really wish to share with them. In short, you work at their level and you keep it simple, fun, and upbeat. You try to create the impression in them that encourages them to want to participate or at the least find out more about it. Most of oil, you want them to say to themselves; "Gee, I could do that...and, damn it, "d\_like to do that! Give me more!!" This isn't to say that we shouldn't be proud of all of our music and costume and the other fashionable things associated with our activity. We have every reason to be proud of them. There are circumstances where we should be prepared to show them off with all the glitter and penasch we can muster. But we should be sensitive to the situation or circumstance and sensitive to the perceptions of the non-dancing public, particularly those whom we are looking to recruit. In short, we should always exercise class and good taste.

#### **HUMAN NATURE**

In an article published in the November, '87 issue of American Square Dance, Lee McCormack, a caller from Mena, Arkansas, discusses a new approach to recruiting dancers. The methods he describes are a bit sneaky but I think that they'd be effective in a lot of difficult recruiting situations. I'd suggest that everyone here read this article to learn about this novel approach. Early in the article he comments on reasons why people might be reluctant to get involved in square dancing. These reasons may not always be obvious to us, but if we look back on the first dance or lesson we attended some of us might admit to their validity. People are protective of their image, Many may be very reluctant to enter into situations where their image and self-esteem may be threatened. Folks may be fearful that they'd look like foots if they had problems learning the dance steps. Others may have a fear of getting involved with a large group of strangers. I'm sure each of us can relate to this. Again, look back to the days of grammar school, high school, or college when you were required to get up before a group of people to give a presentation or a performance. Many experienced actors and actresses still feel the 'knot in the stomach' just before they go on to perform. Then too, others have developed a pattern to their life. . one that reinforces their self-esteem. . . one with which they have become comfortable and are reluctant. . . yes, even fearful. . . of changing. This is the way we are, some more than others. So we must become sensitive to these things and must do our very best to make the new dancer feel genuinely welcome. Create a 'party' atmosphere. Engage in pleasant conversation. Get everyone involved leaving no one sitting on the sidelines alone and ignored. If you have a genuine love of your fellow man as all square dancers do, then there should be no problems getting our new friends to feel right at home and auxious to return. Every club member, from the president on down, should be concerned about, and involved with, the new dancer. This means making a commitment to assist with the class in whatover ways are required to develop and maintain interest. Also, it would be wrong to push the new dancer too fast, or into a level with which he or she may feel unduly pressured or uncomfortable. Similarly, it would be wrong to pressure the new recruit into adopting the 'uniform' of the square dancer. Let things progress naturally and thru your good example. The new dancer will 'find' his or her way into the traditional costume on their own and thru the good example set by the more experienced square or round dancer. And if they should choose not to select the traditional 'uniform'?, . . well SO WHAT!? They should be made to feel just as welcome. The only criteria for membership in the square dance world should be the basic rules of good taste, decency, and an appreciation of a good time with good friends. We already have excellent guidelines for behavior in our 'TEN COMMANDMENTS'. Let's also recognize that, to the newer dancer-recruit and even to some of us 'old hands', there are other things in this good life besides square and round dancing. There may be times when we may threaten to 'break the camet's back' by putting too much pressure on our dancers to attend frequent workshops, banner raids, and other related activities. I, as a caller, feel this pressure sometimes. So I like to take two or three steps back to smell the roses and to gain a better, more positive, perspective toward the dance experience. I'm sure that, many times, the dancers feel the same way and we should respect this. We'll have a better chance at growth and be better able to maintain our enthusiasm if we can avoid the threat of 'burn-out'!

More to come next month, . .

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Subject: What's The Hurry?

When cueing at a Square Dance, Betty and I would fill in a Square when ever a couple was needed. At this particular Square dance, the majority of dancers left about 10:15. At the end of the dance the caller asked me if he did anything wrong, I said don't ask me that unless you want an honest answer. He agreed. I told him everything was fine including good music, good sound, good material, nice appearance, nice singing voice and youth. You have erased all of these fine qualities by running the dancers to death. You should slow down.

I worked with this same caller about 6 months later. He was still speaking to me. After 2 tips, the dancers started buzzing about how his calling has improved. I conveyed this to him. He told me this story. "The night you suggested that my calling was too fast, I got mad, that is, mad all the way home. I didn't sleep well. I thought speed was a measure of ability. A few nights later, I wondered if you might be right, so I slowed down and at once I could feel, for the first time and could sense a wave of excitement on the dance floor. You did me a great favor that night. The dancers don't leave early anymore."

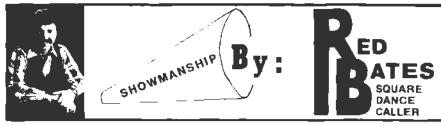
The difference between dancing and running is only a few beats per minute. It is so important. It can even eliminate stop & go dancing. Challenge is not created by speed.

If you are not dancing comfortably, it is apropos to make a subtle hint to the caller but blame yourself such as I must be getting old because I can't keep up with you or I guess I am tired tonight, I can't seem to make my feet go fast enough. He should get the message.

I might refer to an oil commercial on T.V. and say Square dancing is not always Square dancing.

Happy dancing,

Bob Marsh



Is the caller of today a "showman"? The answer is yes; from the time you pick up the microphone and stand up in front of a group of dancers — whether that group is large or small — you should consider yourself a showman. There is much that goes into showmanship, including calling techniques, style of dress, enthusiasm, sense of humor, poise, and hard work. Think of the callers you have danced to that stand out as callers you'd like to dance to again and again; each one — in his own way — is a showman. Each had something that made you leave the dance wanting to go back again. If we all have the same ingredients to use, i.e., voice, mike, records, dress, etc., then what is the difference between a good showman and a poor one??? What qualities do outstanding performers possess??

ENTHUSIASM - I have never seen a good performer who did not have a lot of enthusiasm for what he or she did! "Enthusiasm - the maker of friends - the maker of smiles - the producer of confidence - it cries out to the world, "I've got what it takes." A caller has a tough job, trying to be enthusiastic at all times. As you all know, there are nights when you would have rather stayed at home, nights when the crowd is small, nights when you don't feel well; these are the times when you must work hard at being a showman. If you are successful, your enthusiasm will be transmitted to your dancers and you will both have a better time. Every caller can be enthusiastic.

WORK - Achievement — "the art of using moderate abilities to advantage (which) often brings greater results than actual brilliancy." To be sure, we are not all endowed with beautiful voices, excellent memories, perfect timing, quick wit, natural stage presence, etc., but we all can develop what we do have to its fullest. You all can think of performers (callers included) who have made the most of their abilities and have had a good deal of success as the result of hard work. "You can't build a reputation on what you're going to do." (Henry Ford)

POISE - Stage Presence: "It is the man who is cool and collected, who is master of his countenance, his voice, his actions, his gestures, of every part, who can work with others at his best. "This quotation (author unknown) best describes the qualities that go into making a good showman and a good caller. The best callers in the business are like the best actors, comics, and public speakers — in control of the situation. When a caller is in control, the dancers feel it and respond by paying closer attention, listening more intently, and dancing better. The result is a union between caller and dancers — they are in "sync" — working together to create a unique dancing experience. To be sure, you cannot achieve this every time you call, but you should be trying to do so, every time you call!

DRESS - Walch carefully some of the better known performers (callers included, of course) and you will see that dress plays an important role in the art of showmanship. How a person dresses makes a statement about how they regard themselves and others. If a caller goes to a dance tooking sloppy, the dancers cannot help but react negatively. The caller, like any showman, should "look the part" whenever he is on stage. Some well known and successful callers have made a real "thing" out of their dress - even changing costume during a dance for effect. There are many different styles of dress that are appropriate, but callers will be remembered for the way they look as well as for how they call — it's part of a caller's "image".

White every caller is not a natural showman, with a little determination and practice most callers can improve these skills, and as a result, do a better job.

- Have Fun

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The added calls will be temporarily assigned to the A-2 program. Review and discussion by the Advanced Committee will take place at the Callerlab Convention in Reno, Nevada, in March 1988.

Red Bates 19 Hadley St., Unit #17 So. Hadley, MA - 61075 The Northeast Square Dancer, February 1988



Dear Editor:

PLEASE HELP! Looking for the new address of <u>The Country Square</u> formerly of 133 Main St., Buzzards Bay, MA. Please send any info in care of the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine.

#### Dear Editor:

I enjoy the Dancer magazine and would like to make the suggestion of listing the Canadian National Square Dance Convention in the "Locations & Dates of Upcoming Conventions" box on page 2.

Several years ago, I attended the Canadian National in Halitax, Nova Scotla and enjoyed it very much. It was a wonderful trip, beautiful country. I would like to go this year if I knew when and where it is to be held.

i feel that listing the dates and place would be good for the friendship between the two countries of USA and Canada.

Last August 1 attended the "Hands Across the Border" dance in Derby Line with A! Monly calling. It was a very touching experience as we really danced in both Canada and USA, on the line that was marked by a tape in the street where we danced. What a wonderful feeling to socialize in this way without politics, retigion or language barriers. I hope other horder states will do the same.

Thank you for listening.

See you in a Square.

Sincerely, Edith P. Ayers Springfield, Vermont 05156 Member Circle & Club, Claremont, NH

Editor's Note: Good suggestion, we have put it in the January issue. We do not always have this dute until October or November - we will do our best to have it in.

Dear Editor:

When you make a Square, your partner is as close to you as is your corner. The heads are as close to each other as are the sides. You join hands and you have the closest circle of friends you will ever have made.

We want to thank the countless number of Square dancers, Round dancers and clubs for their prayers and encouragement, the cards and telephone calls, all of which helped to speed my recovery.

> Sincerely, Helen 6 Morris Mould Chestnut Hill, MA 02167 Great Plain Squares

Dear Editor:

So many times we overlook something because we do not realize its true significance or value. Such an event took place in the A-1 half at the Western Mass. Fall Festival.

After dancing most the weekend at East Hill Farm, my partner & I went to Springfield hoping to spend the afternoon and evening doing Rounds. Since we had started in June, learning A-1 from Bob Silva, we decided to try a tip at the festival. The A-1 hall was scheduled to close at 5:30. Ken Ritucci announced that he would stay and call as long as he had enough dancers to form a Square. We ended up dancing till the Festival was over.

Although there were only two Squares, Ken showed a lot of stamina and dedication to our activity with his continuous calling for almost three hours above and beyond the regular time schedule. Not only did he walk through a call some of us were breaking down on, but he helped bolster our confidence as new A-1 dancers.

Ken Ritucci has a lot of class. Square Dancing needs more people like him.

> Sincerely, Jack Northrup Banner Chairman, Riverside Squares

Dear Editor:

The Bicentennial U.S. constitution 200th Students! Day at the State House, Boston, MA by Mr. Thomas A. Jolly and Vice-President Joannette M. Jolly, Worcester, MA

The Junior Jolly Trippers came by bus from the District of Hoard Street Area and Hadwen Park, the Square Dancing Carnival is held every year with guest callers. Mr. Jolly's idea was to cefebrate with the students of grades 4,5,6 at the State House Senate Chambers on November 18, 1987, the rap of the gavot at the rostrum, was the beginning of the Bicentennial Constitution 200th Junior Jolly Trippers Square Dancers.

Mr & Mrs. Thomas A. Jolly

### Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

#### A MORE-THAN-YEAR-END REPORT

This is the time of year when looking back seems appropriate; however, I am looking back a little more than two years. That seems to be a good starting point because of the chain of important events beginning with my changing jobs. Then I burned my hand, got hit by a car, got married, bought a house, and moved into it! These things as well as the (happily) increased round dance load and this monthly column have cut into my "free time" quite noticeably. However, I have been wanting to write a summary, mostly about Vagabonds for some time now, and I think the time is now. So let me see. . .

Although Vagabonds don't do demos all the time, demos are a good way to see the cycles we go through, particularly in terms of what we are emphasizing. I'll use them to organize my writing.

The Waltz Project turned into a more general social dance history and was last done as a major demo (1 hour, 20 minutes) at Ithaca College in Ithaca, New York, in September, 1985. The demo itself seems like yesterday, but the date seems long ago. Since then our moveable emphasis has been on round dancing and shorter demos. This moveable emphasis is one of our characteristics as we let our curiosities go farther afield than would be possible in a typical round dance group, although we are primarily round dancers.

We have a two-fold objective for our dancing. The more obvious is round dances from the current crop and other sources. The other objective is exploring forward poise. In their visits with us, Bill and Carol Goss, national leaders who met at UMass/Amherst and now live in Illinois, have encouraged us and have given us feedback about this. We are happy to explore forward poise with them because usually leaders seem to avoid the topic.

Some ways we search for forward poise are in really trying to close the feet instead of crossing them on the third count of waltz and the second count of two-step turns ("wrong" crossing steps are often the result of the feet trying to catch up with a body which is falling backwards), and being careful not to take the words "beel turn" too literally and swing way back on our heels.

Along with forward poise comes more attention to and appreciation for the subtleties of closed position and offset, and to the topline and width through the back, shoulders, and arms. You might say we are working our way up the body because when the Gosses were last here, they were working on heads, necks and chins, particularly to help open the top without bending at the waist. Contra-checks in general and the oversway in "The Music Played" are examples in which this is very noticeable and applicable— although of course it is always applicable.

During the spring of 1986, we showed our Tango Project demo at three different occasions. There are three very different tangos in this program, one from the Ragtime period (early 20th century), one from American ballroom studio sources from mid-20th-century, and a current modern English tango. The Tango Project was an outgrowth of some vintage dancing, including a version of the Castle Walk and a bit of the Varsity Drag.

This past spring (1987), our theme was "Fooling Around with Rounds" for two demos at the New England Convention. We used four intermediate rounds that came through the usual channels of round dancing and were or still are popular today. With each, we changed a single facet of the dance, other than the basic choreography, thus highlighting the essence of each while pointing out the various factors in all dances. The first dance was Spaghetti Rag and the factor was tempo. The second was Charade which we danced in a packed line instead of in a round dance circle. Then we made chorus lines of the same foot choreography of Nolo. Lastly, we did the original Pink Panther and each dancer interpreted the music as he or she felt it, while keeping the basic steps of the dance. As a finale, the Pink Panther itself came out and made good use of the "pivot four all fall down" ending. Yours truly was the Pink Panther which was quite exciting because an emergency made practice with the costume impossible beforeland.

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Eight Circulate, Swing Corner & Promenade.
A very good version on Rhythm. Dancers seem to
like this tune and will sing along on chorus.
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BIUE STAR GIVE MY REGARDS TO BROADWAY - W/C by Johnnie 2352 Wykoff. Key of F. Heads Promenade 1/2. Lead Right, Do-Sa-Du to a wave. Girls Trade, Recycle. Veer Left, Bend the Line, Load the Boat, Pass Thru, Swing Corner & Fromenade. Music is good on this classic. Dancers enjoyed it.

Rating \*\*\*\*

ROYAL 204 AROUND THE WORLD WITH BILL BAILEY - W/C by
Tony Oxendine. Key of G. Entire call for this
dence may be found in our DANCE OF THE MONTH column.
Rating \*\*\*\*

HI HAT 653 TOOTSIE / LUCY - HOEDOWN Key of C. Good beat;
Nice instrumental mix. I found some difficulty with the
instrumental pattern, for my style. But these
are two good instrumentals worth listening to.

BLUE 51AR PASS ME BY - W/C by Lem Smith. Key of B flat. Heads Promenade 1/2. Star Thru, Double Pass Thru, Peel Dff, Star Thru, Clover Leaf, Centers Pass Thru, Swing Corner & Promenade.
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### S RECORD REVIEW (continued)

easy to execute. Good music and nice job by the Red Boot Boys on flip. Rating \*\*\*\*

SUNDOWN RANCH 110 COMING ROUND THE MOUNTAIN - W/C by Louis Sequi-

Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Si-Do, Swing Thru, Girls Fold, Feel Off, Ferris Wheel, Centers Pass Thru, Right Hand Star, Girls Turn Back, Swing & Promenade. A more traditional sound on this old folk song.

Rating \*\*\*

ENGLISH HOUNTAIN 101 BATTLE HYMN - W/C by Don Williamson. Key of G. (change to A flat on middle break, change to A on closer). Heads Promenade 1/2, Square Thru 4, R & L Thru, Veer Left, Bend the Line, F & L Thru, Slide Thru Corner Swing & Promenade.

A good patriotic type number on a new Red Boot sub-label. Music is good. Instrumental contains background vocals. Available without bacground vocals by request.

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Left Allemande Your Corner
Come Back and Do Sa Do
Four Boys Star Left One Time You Go
Turn Your Partner By The Right
And You Go Left Allemande
Swing Your Girl And Promenade The Land
Around The World In Eighty Days
I've Found My World In You.



#### FIGURE:

Heads Square Thru — GO
Do Sa Do
Swing Thru And Then The Boys Run Right
Bend The Line And Do A Right And Left Thru
Flutter Wheel Around And Then Slide Thru
Swing Your Corner And Promenade You Do
I Know I'm To Blame Honey
It's A Doggone Shame
Bill Bailey Won't You Please Come Home
Tac.

Because I've Found My World In You

" Listen to Called Side for alternate lyrks ""



Jack O'Leary The Northeast Square Dancer, February 1988

#### SQUARE DANCING IN THE "FROZEN" WASTES OF ALASKA Cruise of Alaska and Tour of Vancouver, Canada August 19 - 29, 1987 Aboard Holland America Line, Rotterdam

In the photo taken on August 22, are Square Dancers from Ketchikan and adjoining towns in Alaska and dancers from California and Massachusetts at a dance arranged by Jim Sears of North Tongass City, Alaska, and Kenn Reid, internationally known Caller & Cuer from San Diego, CA.

Although Ketchikan is the wettest town on the North American Continent, with an average yearly rainfall of over 13 feet!), we enjoyed dancing in the open, by the town



dock, in warm, sunny weather even though snow showed atop Deer Mountain in the photo background. On all our shore tours, we experienced warm and sunny days! Some of the natives called it a heat wave.

This was the first dance of the cruise, three others followed on board ship, a fifth in Sitka, Alaska, and the sixth in North Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada on our way home.

In one dance on the Rotterdam, the audience was invited to participate and with the assistance of the Angels, Kenn had them dancing and having fun. Our fifth dance was held in Sitka, Alaska on Aug. 25, arranged by Caller Frances Conger and Kenn. This took place in a large, roofed over, open sided building near the Centennial center with a view of the famous extinct volcano, Mt. Edgecombe, in the distance. Our sixth and final dance was held on Aug. 28 in the North Vancouver, British Columbia YMCA, arranged by Kenn and Doreen Sillery, one of the most capable and popular callers in the region. Doreen has been a caller for over 30 years and was Callerlab accredited in 1985. It was fun dancing with our Canadian friends as well as with native Alaskans.

We found Ketchikan to be a small, bustling, picturesque town, the totem pole capital of the world. Creek St., now being restored as a commercial area, is a relic of Ketchikan's rough and tumble past. Built along both sides of a stream, on wooden pilings over 25' high to clear high tides, it was once a thriving red light district, where it was said, "both fish and men went upstream to spawn." Accessible on wooden sidewalks, the district now encompasses various shops and stores, and the admission to "Dolly's House," now a museum, is still two dollars.

Upstream is the Deer Mountain Fish Hatchery where King and Silver salmon are raised and released into Ketchikan Creek; they swim out to sea but only about 3% return as adults to spawn in the creek gravel. However, most swim upstream into the hatchery's holding pens attracted by the scent of their original home. Salmon spawn once and die. From a bridge we saw a 40-inch long salmon struggle to swim upstream and not make any headway in half an hour due to the shallow, rocky stream caused by a lack of rainfall.

In Juneau, named for Joe Juneau, who along with Richard Harris, discovered gold in 1880, starting a Gold Rush, we made a morning tour of Mendenhall Glacier, an impressive river of ice, 12 miles long and about 1½ miles wide, situated between Mt.McGinnis on the west and Bullard Mountain on the east. The Glacier flows from the 1500 square mile Juneau ice cap, an area larger than the state of Rhode Island.

Juneau prospered mining gold successfully until 1944 when the low price of gold and high cost of labor and materials made it impractical to continue operations, after more than 158 million dollars worth of gold had been mined.

In the late afternoon, six of us took the "Wilderness Lodge Adventure," boarding a single engine DeHavilland seaplane for the flight to Taku Glacier, flying low for photos and a close-up view of sea and air traffic, wildlife, and the expanse of glaciers and mountains that make up the frozen wastes of the North.

These glacier formations and designs are caused by gravity and the pressure of the smooth snowy Juneau ice field, some 1500 square miles in area and 3000 feet in depth.

#### SQUARE DANCING IN THE "FROZEN" WASTES OF ALASKA (continued)

The slow movement of the glaciers as they force their way downhill adapt to the shape and contours of the bedrock beneath and beside it. This stress causes the ice to break, forming crevasses and small lakes wherein only blue light is reflected and all the other colors of light are absorbed, truly a breathtaking sight, especially when viewed from the air.

After we reached Taku Lodge, fifty of us were treated to a Salmon Bake. The entree, King Salmon, was grilled outdoors and served hot indoors under lamplight along with a full course meal. Seconds and thirds of this tasty meal were offered. Flight regulations did not permit flying after 9 p.m. and we lifted off after thanking our hosts for a meal never to be forgotten and flew straight back to our landing spot in the harbor.

Leaving Juneau, we sailed westerly to the open waters of the Pacific, then southerly to Sitka, once the largesticity on the Pacific Coast-

Sitka was captured from the Tlingit Indians by the Russian governor Baranof in 1804 after a fierce battle and on Oct. 18, 1867, Alaska became a part of the U.S. Bits of Russian history are scattered downtown and the Byzantine dome of St. Michael's Cathedral is visible from most everywhere. After a fire in 1966, it was rebuilt, a precise replica of the original building. Crescent Harbor abounds in salling and other boats; in the distance stands Mt. Edgecombe, named "Alaska's Mt. Fuji," but when seen on this day it was practically devoid of snow.

We said our goodbyes to those leaving us in Vancouver and then the remaining 19 boarded a bus for a tour of the thriving city, viewing Stanley Park, the Lions Gate Bridge, hustling Chinatown and historic Gastown.

On the 18th we ferried to North Vancouver and then bused to the Capillano Suspension Bridge near Grouse Mountain. Originally the Squamish and Kwakiutt Indians built a bridge across the canyon of wood and bemp and called it the "Laughing Bridge."

However, since 1899, the foot bridge has been made of strong supporting steel cables holding butted wood plank decking and metal mesh railings. The bridge is 450 feet long, 4% feet wide, is equipped with lights at the deck level for night use and is 250 feet above the Capilano River, named for an Indian chief.

Approaching the solid platform at one end of the bridge, one is immediately struck at the Immense catenary caused by the weight of the bridge and the steep curved deck leading up to the platform at the other end. It is indeed scary but nevertheless with foot traffic in both directions and youngsters running back and forth, the bridge not only sways to and fro, but rolls roller coaster style giving the hardy people a thrill as they walk across but a scare to the weak of heart. Walking across the bridge is like walking on moving foam rubber. This excitement multiplies at night when the lights go on illuminating the decking but all else is in darkness.

After an almost calming ride by tram up to Grouse Mountain, we were ready to eat and to join Doreen Sillery in an evening of dancing.

Happy Dancing.

Nick Corsano Mattapan, MA 02126

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The Editor

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While remodelling in the basement area of our old house I moved our storage refrigerator and found three audio cassettes on the floor in the dust.

I took them upstairs and did a careful cleanup and found them to be copies of tapes done 30 years ago of several different callers I personally knew. They had gotten "lost" in the constant refurbishing that's been going on around here.

One tape is of my friend and mentor. Ed Gilmore, calling at a dance on May 14, 1958 in Oceanside, Long Island, New York (my home town from 1942 until 1962).

The quality of the recordings is poor but the dances and calling style are fascinating and memories flooded my mind as I listened.

I've written about Ed in this column In the past. He was a wonderful teacher and I learned so much about calling and life from him.

The second tape has two callers on it; Paul Hunt and Carl Haderer, at a dance on June 15, 1958 at the Uniondale, Long Island VFW hall where many dances were held.

The third tape was done at a dance in Lakeview, Long Island for the Stardusters square dance club. On this tape my past comes back to haunt me. 60 minutes of Chip Hendrickson calling to records (as are all the other callers).

My tape was the last to be played as I think I was afraid of what I might hear. It wasn't as bad as I'd feared but I wonder now why I did some of the things | did at that particular dance.

The Stardusters was a club I'd helped form and I was their caller until we left the Island in 1962.

The music, tempos, calling styles, basic figures and dances are all recognizable and the dances in most cases could be done with a walk-through today.

The basic figures and dances are very simple by present standards and yet that period has turned out to be one of the finest in the bistory of dance if enthusiasm and sheer numbers of dancers mean anything.

Almost all of the material presented could be called at any traditional dance in 1988 and the timing wouldn't have to be changed very much, if at all.

From many dances on the Unes I've cleaned Ed Gilmore's Version of Just

Because He does it as a singing call but it can be done as a quadrille to a jig or reel and I've noted it in that form.

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#### JUST BECAUSE QUADRILLE

Formation: Square Music: Any 32-bar jig or reel. or A 32-bar ainging call.

A1 4 Ladies Chain over and back.

A2 DoSiDo corner; Men Star Left (from there) full around to partner.

BI DoSiDo partner: Swing Corner.

B2 Promenade with this new partner to the gentleman's home position.

Repeat 3 more times

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If you do the chance as a singing call be sure that your command words come ahead of the phrase and that the "fill-in" words fit the meter of the tune.

Ed also called Jerry Helt's Queen's Quadrille to Sweet Georgia Brown. There is a square with various couples splitting other couples to lines of three or four and lots of fowards and backs and "right end high, left end low" until the final "Allemande Left" resolved the whole business.

There was also a lime-of-eight dance which I remember using years ago to get everyone to face the stage for announcements i'm going to puil that one off the tape and use it soon. And I'll put it in the column one of these months.

On the 18th century scene we'll be at Morristown National Park (New Jersey) for an Early American dance workshop and evening ball on the 13th of the month. Two day's later we'll be at Washington's Headquarters in Newburgh, New York, for a short afternoon dance. Both events feature live music.

Chip Wendrickson Northeast Square Concert February 1988



### Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

Positive things and ideas are happening and springing up all around us. Leadership organizations throughout New England are working hard for a better tomorrow. They deserve your support. They are all listening and co-operating to promote, perpetuate and preserve the Square dance. Did you know that...

The CO-OP Committee, who coordinates the New England Square and Round Dance Convention is searching for a professional promoter within the Square dance community to help us to establish an approach and guidelines for a campaign to develop a greater public awareness of the activity.

The New England Leadership Conference will be sponsored jointly by the New England Council of Callers Association and the Square Dance Foundation of New England on Saturday, October 22, 1988 at the home of the SDFNE in South Weymouth, MA. Attendance is by pre-registration. Contact Barbara Potts 617 948-3841. The Conference leaders will be Judy and John Thompson.

The Square Dance Foundation of New England designed, printed and financed the mailing of a self-help promotion kit for beginner classes in August to some 500 Clubs throughout New England as an assist to your recruiting efforts. The information will be as good and useful next year as it was this year, so if for some reason your club did not get one, contact the Foundation for your copy.

The Aubut's, Editors of this publication, in their efforts to put in place a New England 800 Square dance number, have received considerable support from you the dancer. A committee to formulate the operating guidelines is being put into place. The reality of an 800 number is near. This 800 number will provide your club with a central clearing house and a support to your club's promotional activities. Inquiries regarding the activity will be referred back to the local area of interest. If you have not already done so, we urge your financial support to this undertaking.

Callers and Cuers take note. At a recent dance with the Queen City Promenaders of Manchester, NH, caller Jack Bright circled the hall, introduced himself to everyone in attendance and shook their hand, it helped to set the tone for the entire evening and was a most appreciated gesture by the dancers. Remember, when we project Callers and Cuers as real people we all benefit.

An idea of the month, whose time has come is that all of your printed material that your club puts out should include down at the bottom the words. . . "Visitors Welcome - No Charge". Think about the potential this could have for you.

Another Idea that can be expanded upon and worth exploring is a baby sitting service for young couples with children who are interested in taking lessons. This idea certainly is not new. Judy and I are baby sitting our two grandchildren so that our daughter and her husband can take lessons. We're sure that there must be other family circumstances where this would be workable or a variation thereof.

From the EDSARDA Management Forum held in Hartford, CT, we found that some Clubs in the Western Massachusetts and Connecticut area are using an interesting approach to solve their financial problems. All members pay, depending on the club, an annual dues that ranges between \$40-\$80 per year per couple. This dues amount entitles the member to dance without further charge at all club dances. The annual dues can be paid quarterly. This approach has two positive notes. It provides Input for the club's operating budget for the year through funding up front and allowing you to know exactly how much money you have to work with. Guest dancers pay at the door the usual dance fee, it also encourages more of your club dancers to attend their dances. We also uncovered a consideration for those clubs who are having difficulty in finding officers. Establish a Co-ordinating Committee consisting of a group of old timers and new dancers. During this transition year, do not have officer position per se. Everyone on the committee will alternate duties each month. This creates a camaraderle of spirit and a training ground. No one person does all the

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### UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA

#### UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA ELECTINEW OFFICERS

During its Annual Meeting held in Houston, Texas on June 26, 1987, concurrently with the 36th National Square Dance Convention, the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA elected and installed a new slate of Officers for the 1987-88 term. These new Officers are as follows: President - Jim 6 Peggy Segraves, Alabama; Vice-Presidents - Western Region - Bob 6 Betty Coates, California; Plains Region - Clyde 8 Pauline Hanebrink, Missouri; Central Region - John 6 Dimple Willingford Alabama; Eastern Region - Orlo 6 Rita Hoadley, New York; Secretary - Earle 6 Joy Hoyt, Illinois; Treasurer - Frank 6 Nan Habersberger, Florida; Director of Information - Jim 6 Kathy Maczko, California; Historian - Mary McClure, California, Parliamentarian - Charles Naddeo, California; Past President - Howard 6 Lorraine Backus, Arkansas, Handicapable Dancers' Committee Co-Chairmen - Mac 6 Chieko MacKenzie, Florida; Frank 6 Nancy Cherry, Florida; National Folk Dance Committee Chairman - Frank 6 Nan Habersberger, Florida; Insurance Chairman - Howard 6 Lorraine Backus, Arkansas; Square Dancers Archives - Ioe 6 Joy Vaccari, Florida.

These diligent and hard working dancers are dedicated to the advancement of the square dance movement through the activities of the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA. Among the more significant programs to be offered and supported by the USDA are its economical dancer accident/club fiability insurance program. As a result of the success of this vital program over the past five years under the direction of Charles Naddeo, the USDA has achieved financial stability and has retired all of its outstanding debts. It is anticipated that this success will continue under the direction of new insurance Chairman floward & Lorraine Backus, P.O. Box 1365, Pine Bluff, Arkansas (501) 534-2264.

The UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA emphasizes the importance of Education and opportunities for the Handicapable Dancer, Accordingly, USDA pledged donations of \$1,000 to the activities of each of these Committees during the coming year.

New square dancer organizations joining the USDA at this year's Annual Meeting were: Valley of the Sun Square & Round Dance Organization - Arizona, Metro Atlanta Square Dance Association - Georgia, Lexington Metro Square and Round Dance Council - Kentucky, Yellowstone Square Dance Council - Montana; Central New Jersey Square Dance Association - New Jersey, Northeast Oklahoma Square Dance Association - Oklahoma, Oregon Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs - Oregon.

With the addition of these outstanding dancer organizations IJSDA now represents more than 215,000 dancers throughout the United States.

Membership in the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA is available to all non-profit square dance organizations representing the square dancers within a State or region. Additional information may be obtained from any of the Regional Vice Presidents or through the office of the Director of Information: Jim & Kathy Maczko, 3061 East Fox Run Way, San Diego, CA 97111 (619) 569-8216.

### Square Beat www.re-

work or carries all the load. It creates variety for every worker. The resulting fall out is that the next year, these same people can identify areas that they enjoy in serving the club and a new loadership interest develops.

We sincerely hope that during the course of a year, that through this column or in our travels, you will find at least one idea that your Club can and will use.

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SUN 14	Village Sqs.		re & Hendrickson/Bryant		
	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	Plus	
	Pelham Partners	Windham, NEI	Leger	Class	
	Littleton Sqs.	Littleton, NH	Gamache/Connellys	MS	
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	Village Club	Needham, MA	Purcell	Al	
<b>TUE 16</b>	Jim Dandies	Needham, MA	Purcell	Λ2	
WED 17	Seaside Steppers	Wakofield, MA	Pulaski	Λ2	
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#### LEGACY

May 18,19,20,21,1989 - Reno, NV

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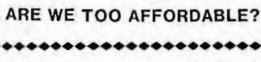
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October 7.8.9.1988 - Buffalo, NY

### 26th INTERNATIONAL

May 12,13,14, 1988 - Ontario, Canada

### Editor's Notebook



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to celebrate Carole's birthday. I knew it was not "the average" restaurant, when as we pulled into the driveway, two valets rushed out to open doors for us and then parked the car, it was disappointing, however, as we walked in to find no cloak room, but in fact only books in the walls on

very nice (and expensive) restaurant

month's editorial

prompted by a visit Carole and I made recently to a

both sides of the fayer which meant that our coats would be completely

unsecured.

The building itself was new and nice but not anything extra special. The entrees were high in price and all a-la-carte. Salads were \$4.00 extra with no choice of dressing. The waitress brought you one roll at a time and only if you asked for one. The potatoe with a fancy name turned out to be pan fries (about five slices). I would have preferred baked but they were not available. The fancy named sauce for my filet mignon turned out to be brown gravy and dessert was another \$4.00 each. When the \$80.00 bill came (tip included) I have to admit that the words "Rip Off" did come to mind.

As we sat there sipping our tea and coffee, I posed a question to Carole, "What makes this restaurant worth this kind of money"? We both agreed that the owner established what his place was worth when he had the menus printed. He told the public he is running an expensive restaurant and they are flocking to his place and paying the price, to the point where we overheard the hostess tell people over the phone that they were completely booked for the following night.

We do the same thing in Square We establish what recreational activity is worth by our admission at a Unfortunately, by today's standards,

we are telling the whole world that Square Dancing is not worth very much we offer an evening's entertainment for \$2.50 or \$3.00 per person. What else can you do for that amount of money? Stop at McDonalds? Maybe? Go to a movie? No! Go to a comedy club? No! Have one drink at a lounge? Hardly!

What other kind of dance lessons can you take for the price we charge to learn Square Dancing? None!

For-twenty two years now, I have watched clubs reluctantly and slowly increase their admissions price from \$1.25 to \$2.50 per person while inflation was running rampant all around us. Meanwhile our dancers have accepted the fact that cars now cost \$15,000, trailers \$10,000, motor homes \$30,000, going out to dinner costs \$20 to \$25 per person, etc., etc.

Why do we insist on telling people how little Square Dancing is worth while clubs are not taking in enough money to meet expenses?

Maybe it's time to take a different look at the way we market our product? Should we be trying so hard to make Square Dancing "affordable" that nobody is interested? Do people really want something that is "affordable" or do they want to reach a little? They certainly don't buy "affordable" homes, cars, vacations, etc., etc.

If we want this activity of ours to live forever, we must also keep it solvent and also attractive. I see very little in this world that is cheap and also attractive. Let us know your thoughts on this.

> Roy Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer March 1988

### SPECIAL EVENTS of the Month

#### MARCH 1988

Sunday 13th Accord Round Dance Festival, Salem, NH (see ad)

Sunday 13th Co-op Meeting

Saturday 19th New Jersey State 5 & R/D Convention, Trenton, NJ

Sunday 20th Narraganse tt Callers 35th Anniversary, Rocky Point Palladium,

Warwick, R1 (see ad)

Sunday 20th Ct. S & R/D Festival, Hamden, CT 2-9 pm

Sunday 20th NECCA Meeting

Sunday 20th Tri-State Callers 7pm

Sunday 27th Salem Lancers 25th Anniversary, Danversport Yacht Club (see ad,cover)

28-29-30 Callerlab, Reno, Nevada

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#### SQUARE WHEELERS

ACTON, MA . . . By El & Doris Pillsbury. . . The Square Wheelers have enjoyed three noteworthy events since our last report. The first was our annual Pot-Luck supper/dance, Christmas at which the club entertains the class. As has become our tradition, all attending couples provided their own holiday place settings for the supper, resulting in a most festive atmosphere. The culinary contributions were outstanding, and the calling of Eddie Mayall rounded off an evening that was a fitting introduction of the class to club activity.

Next came the party with which we welcomed 1988. Thanks to the able chairmanship of Nat and Mike Fitzmorris and the efforts of their enthusiastic committee, the dancers enjoyed New

Year's Eve in an attractively decorated setting, and interspersed the dancing with indulgence in the goodies from a most inviting refreshment table, Calling and cueing were provided by Herm and Bey Parker, and Herm's matchless humor served as a catalyst for the mirth that all were in a spirit to enjoy. Altogether, a great evening!

Finally, mld January saw assembled again for our annual Class Ball. The class proved its worthiness to become Square Wheelers by their energy and initiative in handling the preparations and decorations. Attending club members and visitors were duly impressed by the dancing prowess shown by our class members. Once again, the calling of club caller Eddie Mayall insured the enjoyment of all.

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Hampshire. She has been consistently on the Dean's list and we're proud of her accomplishments.

Our class members are progressing smoothly and will be graduating from the Mainstream program in April. They are looking forward to hosting a Class Ball on the last Saturday in March. Their enthusiasm is contagious and we hope you will bring your class along to join in the fun.

Keep the FUN in Square Dancing

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#### BARNSTOMPERS

NORTON, MA . . . By Ruth Hatchfield . . The new year is here and with it comes the many beginner balls. This is a great way for the new dancers to be introduced to various callers and new people. As I sit here writing this, I think of the hundreds of people we have danced with and

the many friendships we have made.

The Semca ball is a fine example of a beginners ball and there are many more run by various clubs. The club went to the Great Plain Squares Snow Flake ball and received a courtesy banner.

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#### HICKORY HILLS SDC

HUDSON, MA. . . By VIGOR. . . We got the year off to a fine start with our New Years Eve party. The buffet dinner was superb, the dancing fun, and a good time was had by all.

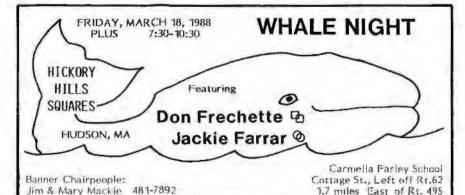
Our January dance went back a few years to the 50's. There were several poodle skirts present, some penny loafers, and leather jackets. There was even iitter some bugging between tips. Although the weather outside was brisk, a good warm time was had by all.

January was a busy month with

plans to visit the Sutton Country Squares and Village Squares.

This month's theme NIGHT; everything will be oversized, refreshments. including Come us celebrate wearing something oversized, like a large hat, belt, etc., let your imagination run wild.

Did you know that when Hickory Hills started in 1963 they danced in the Legion Hall in Shrewsbury! There were 23 couples in the club then and now we have close to 50.





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Twice now in our '87-'88 season of dancing we have been denied access to our "home" - The Rowman School. Consequently, we have decided to get religious. (Where else do you go when you need help?) We have moved our Tuesday workshops and our dances (except our special May dance) to the Payson

Park Congregational Church, 365 Belmont Street in Belmont for the rest of this dancing season. The hardwood floors are great for dancing.

Our January two-level (club and class) dance was a huge success. All the new class members joined in the function.

We're tooking forward to the spring, not only because of the weather, but the special dances coming up.

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GREAT PLAIN SQUARES

NEEDHAM, MA. . . By Ruth & Bill Tracy. . . Twenty-five squares greeted Bill Bean as he called for his 14th appearance at our class level "Snowflake Ball", January 16th. Bill outdid himself to show the many new dancers how much fun they can have. Callers Mil Dixon, Great Plain Squares, and Archie Howell. Barnstompers, accompanied their classes.

Paul Howard, Dance Chairperson, and his volunteers decorated the hall beautifully. The many blue and white streamers and snowflakes formed a Fred and Nancy Gadon, pretly canopy. Chairpersons, Refreshment and their Pause that helpers served up the Refreshes' with gourmet delights contributed by the club ladies. We thank you all.

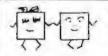
Thirteen clubs visited the dance with the Barnstompers, Center Squares, Cosmopolitans, Happy Squares, Lofty Squares, Norwood Squares and Scrambled Eights, each receiving a complimentary banner with one square or more. We were happy to see so many of our own class, too. We thank you for coming.

P.S. - Marion Howell, wife of Archie, purchased a NSSARDA Annual Fund raising raffle ticket from Charlie Schwab during the dance. At the drawing the next day she won a Get-Away Weekend to a Sheraton of her choice! It pays to attend the Ball!

Christmas Presents - Cindy Chapman received her ring from Gary Kauffunger on Christmas Eve. We hope you have many square dancing years together!

Tom Flynn, 2nd Vice-President and Class Coordinator, with Jeanne, received his long awaited kidney the day after Christmas. We're all happy for you. He'll be back soon.

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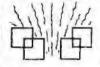
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11 Happy Squares, M, Jerry Benoit/C. Landry, Easthamton Cong. Ch., Easthampton Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wilb.

12 Dancing Shadows,2,Buddy Dow/Daviaus, St. Pat's Social Ctr.,South Hadley Hampden Prom., Plus, Cliff Brodeur/Landry, Brunton Sch., 1801 Parker St., Spfld. Vagahonds, Plus, Dennis/Kathy Reardon, Ma Sq. & R/D Ctr., Willimansett

18 Rainbow Strollers, M, Lou Taddia/Landry, JFK Jr. High, Raffia Rd., Enfield, CT Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/Benoit, K of C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West Springfield

79 Chic-Mates, Plus, Ed Blain/Benoit, Ma Sq. & R/D Ctr., Willimansett ST PAT"S Flappy Squares, C, Jerry Benoit, First Cong. Ch., Rte. 141 & 10, Easthampton Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wil

26 Dancing Shadows, 2, Ken Ritucci/Daviaus, 5t. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley Hampden Prom., Plus, Ron Reardon/Meyer, Brunton Sh., 1801 Parker St., Spfld.

#### CHIC MATES SDC

Our Annual Christmas (CL) Party was

a Ho-Ho-Ro success with Pot Luck supper and exchange of gifts. We had many guests. Thanks. Also thanks to Dan Guin for filling in for Ed Blain who was ill. Dan did a nice job. Walt Benoit cued. Thanks to Dan Guin for filling in for Ed Blain at classes also.

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At Heart, Farmington Valley, Heavenly Rounds, Cue-a-Couple, Lone Stars and Hilltown Rustlers. The catered Roast Beef/Chicken dinner was superb. With balloons, hats, noise makers, we welcomed in 1988. After danish and coffee we all managed to "trickle" home, a tired but happy group.

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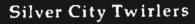
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At the Pie Nite our own charming ladies, Lord luvvem, provided a profuse variety of luscious pies of description, fashioned by their own skilled However. imagine me. Dumbjohn, latching on to a bunk of Nevertheless, store-bought. - t made up for the oversight with a more discerning selection for seconds. We enjoyed dancing with the Norwood raiders who came to taste our pie and to swipe a banner. However, we will avenge this nefarious nonsense. Right, Fitzie?

A tip of the bonnet to our refreshment committees who have served us so woll. (This duty is rotated among the members monthly.) Moving the serving table out from the wall gave access to both sides, thus etiminating a long-standing bottleneck. Good idea, huh?

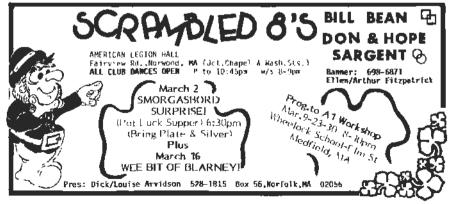
It happens every year in March, the Vernal Equinox and our Pot Luck Supper. It is requested that each member will bring their favorite dish or casserole and their own individual tableware. It is requested also that a suitable dessert be provided for later on in the evening. Dancing will begin at 8:00 but all are invited to the supper at 6:30.

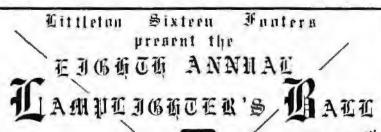
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I would like to take this time to thank

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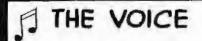
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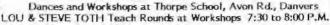
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The club sends condolences to Doris Richards and family due to the sudden passing away of Charlie Richards, past president and ever active member of the club. He will be long remembered and sadly missed by all. As we pray for Charlie, we hope Doris will remain active in club functions.

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Hope we'll see you all at our Country Spring Dance in May (see our ad).

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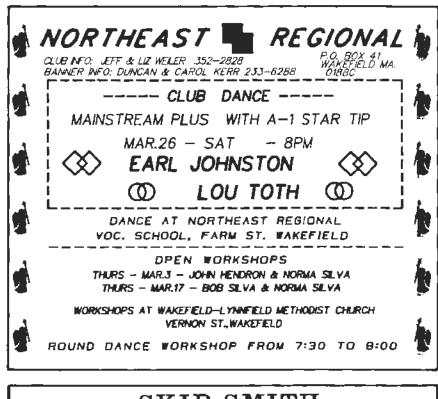
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- 3 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Jim Harris/Dolly Cochran
- 4 Temple Swithrts, Green Acres Sch, Upr. State St., N.Haven, Ed Rutty/Dick Scanfon Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Uncasville, Jim Harris/Dolty
- 5 Pequot Ramblers, Waterford Sr.Ctr., Waterford, Jim Harris/Kathy Brvant
- 6 Cheshire Cats, (Calico Ball), Highland Sch, Rt 10, R. McClean/Kendalls
- 10 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, All Hendrickson/Dolly Cochran
- 11 Surfside "8", Tower St. Sch, Westerly, RI, Mike lavarone/Dolly Cochran Mad Ratters, Hayestown Ave. Sch, Danbury, Muller/Chamberlain & Dickinson, CalBall Valley Sqs, Mohegan Sch, Shelton, Joe Fazekas
- 12 Farmington Valley, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Michael Johnstone/Taravella, Plus Lads & Lassies, Lillie B. Haynes Sch, E. Lyme, Mike lavarone/Gen Hennessey
- 17 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Fer., Earl Johnstone/Dolly Cochran, Beg, Dan.
- 18 Windham Whirlers, Sweeney Sch, Willimantic, O'Leary/Howard Temple Sweethearts, Green Acres Sch, Upr. State St., N. Haven, B. Smith/D. Scanlon Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Uncassvile, Norm Meunier/Dolly
- 20 Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch. Rt 10, R.McLean/Scanlon
- 24 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Earl Johnston/Dolly Cochran
- 25 Surfside "8", Tower St. Sch. Westerly, RI. Jerry LeBland/Dolly Cochran Mad Hatters, Hayestown Ave Sch. nr. Exits 566, 1-84, Danbury, Paris/Scanlon Valley Sqs. Mohegan Sch. Shelton, Allen Brozek
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are being finalized for the Mad Hatters' Friendly 2
Atth Anniversary Dance which will be held in May. This dance is traditionally the biggest of the year for the Mad Hatters, with all club members pitching this month.

in to assure its success!

Club and class members have been busy traveling during the winter months. Among clubs visited recently are the Friendly Squares, Nutmeg Squares, Mt. Pleasant Squares, and Tarry Squares! Class members are also anticipating their graduation from beginner's lessons this month.

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We all give our Best Wishes for a Healthy & Happy Square Dance Year.

#### Manchester Square Dance Club

P.O.Box 1032 Manchester, CT 06040

Saturday, March 5th MICHAEL JOHNSTONE D JOAN & ARMAND DAVIAU Saturday, March 19th EARL JOHNSTON D JOAN & ARMAND DAVIAU S

PLUS Dancing at Bentley School, 57 Hollister St., Manchester, CT 7:30 - 8:00 Rounds Workshop Dancing from 8:00 - 11:00

#### CHESHIRE CATS

NORTHFORD, CT. . By Patricia De Capua. . .TOP OF THE MORNING TO EVERYONE!! Hope that all those brisk March winds are at your back hurrying you along to another square dance with friends, both old and new.

January: We welcomed in the new year with a dinner/dance that was great fun and we all look forward to doing it again at the end of this year. Many thanks to "the Committee".

At our January 17th dance everyone sang "Happy Birthday" to Merrill Moore, to celebrate his 85th birthday, and then helped eat his birthday cake. Merrill and Dot Moore have been dancing

with the Cheshire Cats since June 1967; "angels" every year, and are a vital part of our club.

February: Step up to that corner - it's yellow-rock month! Hope you and your favorite valentine enjoyed every "sweet" moment of the month and plan to carry it through the rest of the year.

March: Graduation for our students is scheduled for this month at the Highland School in Cheshire. Do come and welcome them to the fun of square dancing, say "Hi!" and make a few new friends . . . we'll be looking for volume.



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- Fri. 11 German Hall, Pawtucket, RI PLUS
- Sat. 12 Farmington Valley Sqs., Farmington, CT PLUS
- Sun. 13 Pelham Promenaders, Pelham, NY MS
- Sat. 19 Heel & Toes SDC, Manchester, NH PLUS
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1989 Sat. Feb. 25 Dancing Shadows SDC, So. Hadley, MA
Fri-Sun.Mar.3-5 Week-End,Ramada Inn, Mystic, CT
Sat. Mar.18 MacColl Twirlers, Lincoln, RI
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**MARCH 1988** 

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Wed. 9 Merrymakers Rounds 7:00, Club 8:00, K of C Hall, Crescentview Ave., Riverside, RI

Sat. 12 Swift Activity Ctr., Sandwich Rd., N. Sagamore, Ma Wed. 16 Merrymakers Rounds 7:00, Club 8:00, K of C Hall.

Crescentview Ave., Riverside RI

Fri. 18 Rosendale School, Rosendale Rd., Schenectady, NY Sun. 20 35th Anniversary, Narragansett Callers Assoc., Rocky Point Palladium, Warwick R.I., Dinner & Dance

Wed.23 Merrymakers, Rounds 7:00, Club 8:30, K of C Hall, Crescentifiew Ave., Riverside,RI

Fri. 25 Southport SDC, Westport, CT (check location)

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Rates and Dates

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March - Sat. 5 - Cape Cod Chowder Club, W. Dennis, MA

Fri.11 - Fall River Liners, Somerset, MA

Sat. 12 - Fireside Squares, Esmond St., Esmond, RI

Sun.20 - Narragansett Callers Assoc. Spring Fling

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- Whirlaways(467-3465) WKSHP+E, Greenwich Baptist Church-Bob Morrill/M, Headen
- 12 Fireside Squares: E. Smithfield Neighborhood Ctr., Esmond, RI-R, Dufault/M, Bird
- 12 Friendly Mixers: Plus, Phillips Memorial Church, Cranston-Al Roberts/ J. Medeiros
- 12 Funtimer's:-WKSHP Allen Ave. School, N. Attleboro, MA-S. Mogel/T. Ridings
- 12 Narragansett Pacers: MS Dance, VFW Hall, Wakefield-Joe Frisella/J. Frisella
- 12 Pearl Promenaders: 1st Baptist Church, Cottage St., Pawt., F. Gargulio/Simmons
- 12 Swinging Squares: Plus, Woodridge Cong. Church, Cranston -- N. Meunier/M. Bird
- 12 Whirlaways: (467-3465) Plus, E. Greenwich Baptist Church--Bob Morrill/M. Headen
- 19 MacColl Twirlers"Int'l Nite" MacColl Field, Rte. 123, Lincoln-B. McCue/H. Barry
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\*\* SUN., MARCH 20th \*\* R.I. Spring Swing -- MANY Callers & Cuers Rocky Point Palladium, Warwick, RI 1 to 10 PM

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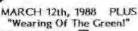
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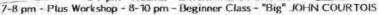


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MANCHESTER, NH. . . By Joe & Mary Guimond. . . Our New Year's Eve dinner dance went off quite well and we certainly enjoyed seeing the New Year in with our fellow square dancers in a safe and sane (???) way.

With spring just around the corner we are looking forward to some pleasant weather and even more pleasant dancing. In March we'll be dancing to the calling and cuing of Johnny Wedge and Vera Smith. Also in March we will be dancing to "the white knight" Michael Johnstone

and cueing will be Frank Campbell, (See ad.)

We are also anticipating good times in April with Amateur Nite, Graduation and last but not least CONVENTION.

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& Jean Yelle. . . Although our Feb 20th what to do with them. Well, the Jesters dance hasn't been held as this note are asking all clubs who attend to is being written, we expect to have bring their excess banners to our dance had a great time with Dan Guin & Doris so that each club can retrieve their T-Bow. Our March 26th dance has banners for reissue at future dances, the theme "Retrieve Your Courtesy See our ad in this issue for particulars. Banner". If your club is like ours, you Hope to see you in a Square soon.

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#### MONADNOCK SQUARES

KEENE, NH . . . By John and Kathi Conwell. . .The Monadnock Square celebrated New Year's Eve with their annual Buffet Supper, deliciously prepared by a very capable Executive Board. It was nice to see some faces of old friends from neighboring clubs whom we hadn't seen for a little while. We all had great fun tangling up in helium filled balloon strings, and seeing how many balloons we could catch!

On January 9th, Lou Bergeron and Ethel Nowak were crowned our Snowball King and Queen. They danced very regally, attired in silver lame' cloaks! On January 17th, some ten couples from Keene raided the Pine Tree Riot Squares in Weare, NH. Jay Silva called a fast paced and fun

dance, even though it was mainly some class and mainstream level. After the dance, we all raided Ruth and Tom Colby's lovely new home in Hillsboro for a surprise housewarming. Quite a few legs became tangled up trying what looked to be an impossible feat using a mop handle! Fortunately, we all got safely off the Colby's hill prior to the start of Monday's ice storm which crippled all of us here in New England.

By the time this is published, we will all be looking forward to longer days, and to the New England Convention, this being a good time of year to spruce up tired wardrobes, and maybe find that new dress and shirt to wear in Portland, Happy Dancing!



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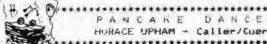


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Our Bob and Cloudbuster's Skip LeBlanc were super January 2 - harmonized well - drew two Banner Raids - Peterboro (so glad you finally got it all together, gang) and our friendly neighbors, Keene. A great start for '88. Our kitchen crew upheld their longstanding rep of the right stuff on the refreshment tables and plenty of it.

January 16 with Bob and Jeanette brought two more Banner Raids, the Mason Wolf Rockers and the Pepperell Starlight Twirlers at the end of their Mystery Ride.

Don't forget our Guest Caller Bonus deal for March - a free couple admission for each two square club attending. We love visits and sharing our fun. Do come by.

Correction. . On page 44, line 23 in the February issue, the word "lessons" was inadvertently put in. The sentence should read "...from each Banner Raid group of 16 dancers."



Saturday, March 5th, 1988

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Today, the new development known as Shadow Farms (at Silver Lake) is part of that original plantation owned by Robinson. Joe and Jennie Frisella (caller and cuer) have their home on Silver Lake. Location of origin and history of the famous Pacer are the reasons Joe and Jennie chose the name Narragansett Pacers for their Square Dance Club.

As a mainstream Square Dance Club, it is not expected to be world famous or be remembered 300 years from now, but Joe and Jennie dream of developing and maintaining some of the fine physical qualities of its namesake!

#### Come, join us for an evening of smooth mainstream Square Dancing!

Joe has been calling for about 5 years and has studied under Dick Leger to learn timing and techniques for his calling routines. He is an apprentice member of Callerlab and has been teaching potential teachers and callers at U.R.I. (PE 251) for the past 3 years, as well as, beginners classes at the VFW Hall in Wakefield. Joe also assists his wife, Jennie, teaching Round Dances; he is the Ilbrarian for the Narragansett Callers Association, Besides teaching Karate, Joe is also a consultant Civil Engineer and partial owner of the local restaurant known at Sweet Meadows Inn.

Jennie has been Round Dancing for about 7 years and leaching and cueing for 4. She assists Joe with the P.Ed. class at U.R.I. and with the Square Dance classes at the VFW Hall in Wakefield. Jennie is a member of the RIRDTA and the representative to the Narragansett Callers Association. She is also involved with the Federation of Womens Clubs and is the 1st Vice President of the South County Chapter, volunteers at the Hospital Coffee Shop, and works as an advocate for the Women's Resource Center in Wakefield. Both Joe and Jennie have been seen as Santa and Mrs. Claus for the towns of Narragansett and South Kingstown, as well as, the Senior Youth Association, the local Rotary and Lions Clubs, and the Shelter for Battered and Abused Women & Children. They are involved in their communities and "the Square Dance Movement". Join them and the Narragansett Pacers for some fun, socialability, and excitement on the second Saturday of each month at the VFW Hall, High Street, Wakefield, RI - 8:00 to \$1:00 PM and also for special occasions like the recent Sleigh Ride & Square Dance. Plans for the future include a Canoe-Dance and a Parade-Dance, Catl (401) 783-5949 for further details.

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GOING TO THE N.E. CONVENTION FOR THE FIRST TIME?

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There will be lots of dancing in all levels from easy basics up to challenge. You will have the opportunity to hear callers who will be new to you. You will receive a program which will list the halls and the dancing levels of those halls, as well as the callers who will be calling. Take time to sit down and go through your program before rushing headlong in twenty directions, and possibly missing what you would have liked most. Probably for the early dancing on Friday you will find just one hall open for dancing which will be mainstream (for everybody), and then as more people arrive, more halls will open. Your schedule will tell you everything, so read through your program book and get your sense of direction.

The Square Dance shops , the Fashion Show and the Pattern Exchange, are all important parts of the Convention and worth your consideration. If you enjoy special events, keep in mind the Celebrity Hour on Saturday evening. It will be a time of recognition, exhibitions and dance. Your program will tell you where to find it.

#### WHAT TO WEAR

Square Dance clothes, of course. They don't need to be fancy or elaborate, but they do need to be clean and sweet-smelling, therefore some changes of blouses and shirts are a must. There are those who will bring four complete changes, and plan on wearing an elaborate outfit on Saturday night. That's fine if you are in a position to do that, but you will have a great time whether you do that or not. My suggestion for the novice, as well as others, is one good petticoat (and pettipants) and one solid color circle or tiered skirt with assorted blouses. Her partner can probably manage with one good pair of dark trousers and several S/D shirts.

I want to stress the need for more than one pair of shoes. Feet do get tired! A change to cool, fresh shoes will sometimes do wonders — also washing the feet and applying vasoline, Because we will be dancing mostly on polished wood floors, it is important that you remember to bring soft soled shoes. If you just don't have any, plan to visit the shops early in the week-end and buy your self some.

If you plan to party with your friends after dancing, bring something casual and comfortable to wear (fun T-shirts can sometimes add to the laughs – or wild trousers – there's nothing wrong with a little ingenuity. A word of warning: if you plan to enjoy Saturday's activities, don't do your partying on Friday night, save it for Saturday night and start slowly on Sunday morning when you're moving out.

#### PACKING

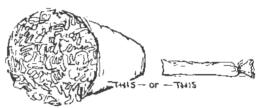
Packing is easy if you are driving to the Convention and have lots of room. Clothes that wrinkle easily can travel on their hangers in a garment bag, and petticoats can travel loosely in a petticoat bag or large plastic bag. But, if two couples are riding together, saving space does become important. The dresses can still go in the garment bags and lie gently on top of the other luggage, but the shirts, blouses and trousers will have to be folded carefully into a convenient sized suitcase. Shoes and other odd-sized objects can go into small duffels and then be tucked into little spaces. The same is true for party goodies, unless you have already figured a way to fit a cooler in. The big problem is often the petticoats. If each lady wants to take two or more you have a real space problem! There is a solution, and it works.

### Needle Notes (Communa)

A New Hampshirite, Ginny Jardine, showed me what to do, and it really works. I can get three 75 yd organdy perticoats in a soft  $23'' \times 17''$  airline type bag or one in the top 4'' of a suitcase measuring  $21'' \times 16''$ . Yes, I can. The minute I get to my destination. I shake them out and they look fine. Occasionally, if I folded one poorly. I may have to steam it slightly by hanging it over some very hot water in the tub, then giving it time to dry a little. (Try this for a wrinkled dress, too).

THE RE'S HOW TO PACK THE PETTICOATS - You need several plastic bags 2'x2'6". If they seem quite thin, I use double thickness in case one gets a little hole. Do your packing, planning to pack the petticoats last. Have a large table or some floor space ready with plastic bags and wire ties ready and at hand. Don't wear sharp-edged jewelry on lingers or wrists. Hold the petticoat by the waist Fold it over once. Tuck the waistband under your chin and hold it there. First with one hand and then the other, begin to fold the fullness of the petticoat in toward the middle, keeping all folds vertical (smooth out the tiers a little as you go). Don't get too serious about this. When you have done the best you can, double it over once across the middle (horizontally) and pop it into the bag, fold first. Immediately, gather up the opening of the bag with your left hand (if right handed). Keep the petticoat as snugly in the bag as possible without entangling it in the open-

ing. Have the wire tie very handy. Leave a small air passage at the mouth of the bag. With your chest, arms and elbows, beyon to force ALL THE ATR out of the bag. You will know when you have arrived for you will have created a vacuum. O nokly twist the opening light and secure with the wire. Place immediately in its packing place and close the cover.



If there is only one going in that bag, and it is in, don't, for any reason, open it until you get to your destination, because it might have a tiny leak and you would have to start over again?

Hint. When twisting the tw-wice, linish by bending the sharp ends away from the hag so they won't make tiny leaks.

#### THE FASHION SHOW

If you are interested in making your own dresses, this is well worth seeing. Most fand some times, all) the dresses shown, with coordinating shirts, are home sewn and you can pick up great ideas as well as rest your feet and be entertained. I have never seen a Convention fashion show that I have not enjoyed. Tickets may be hard to get by the time this goes to press.

#### THE PATTERN EXCHANGE ROOM

Here you will find patterns to trace, directions for things to make, helpful hints and ideas, There will also be displays of clothing made by Square dancers. A committee person will be on hand if you have questions. To find the Pattern Room look for signs or ask at one of the hospitality tables.

#### THE SHOPS (THE EXHIBITORS)

If you don't have a Square Dance Shop near your home and you need S/D clothes, what a wonderful time you can have! Shoes, dresses, skirts, shirts, trousers, petticoats and accessories. If you sew, you will find S/D patterns, the NEEDLE NOTES books and possibly, trim. There will also be badge companies ready to make up special name badges for you.

The Convention has something for everyone, Go and Enjoy!

\*\*If you are requesting answers, please send a self-addressed & stamped envelope.

See page 101 for Needle Notes books.

Judy Foley

The Northeust Square Dancer, March 1986

# CAROLE'S CORNER O E RNFP







or party time or a St. Patrick's Day Board meeting, be sure to serve foods with a green look. Some easy ones you may want to try this March 17th are St. Patrick's Punch & Blarney Stones.

#### St. Patrick's Punch

1 pkg. lime gelatin 1 cup boiling water 2 cups cold water I 6-oz can frozen lemonade

concentrate I cup pineapple juice

1 1-pt 12-oz bottle of ginger ale. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water, add cold water, lemonade concentrate and pincapple juice. Blend well; add ginger ale

and ice just before serving. Yields: 15-20 servings - A Thank-You goes to Mary Douglas for this one. I have found another recipe good for March 17th parties, meetings or Dances.

**Blarney Stones** 

- 4 eggs
- 2 cups sugar

It is called:

- tsp. salt
- 2 tsp vanilla
- 2 Tosp butter, melted in 1 cup hot milk
- ? cups sifted cake flour
- 2 tsp baking powder

Powdered sugar

Milk

Ground roasted peanuts or pecans

Beat eggs with rotary beater until light; best in sugar, salt, vanilla and butter mixture. Sift flour and baking powder together; beat in quickly. Pour into greased 13 x # inch pan. Pound pan several times to remove air bubbles. Bake for 25 to 35 minutes at 350°. Cool cake; cut Into 4 x 1 inch pieces. Cover all sides with icing made of powdered sugar and milk; roll in peanuts. This is said to be an Irish recipe from the settlers at Old San Patricio, Texas.

Looking into my files I have found a poem that could go into all club committees' handbooks, or on Bulletin Boards.



#### Ode to Committees

Oh give me your pity! I'm on a committee. Which means that from morning to night

We attend and amend And Contend and defend Without a conclusion in sight.

We confer and concur, We defer and demur, And reiterate all of our thoughts.

We revise the agenda With frequent addenda And consider a load of reports.

We compose and propose, We suppose and oppose, And the points of procedure are fun;

But though various notions Are brought up as motions, There's terribly little nets done.

We resolve and absolve: But we never dissolve, Since it's out of the question for us

To bring our committee To end like this ditty, Which stops with a period — thus.

> Leslie Lipson, University of California at Berkeley

I would like to end this column with an Irish Recipe for Longevity

Leave the Table Hungry Leave the Bed Sleepy Leave the Tovern Thirsty

Till next month,

Curol Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer Murch 1988



Or, is it all that simple?

So the local PTA has asked your Square Dance Club to put on a performance for their monthly meeting. "No problem," you tell your program chairman and you think to yourself, "this will be a cinch — we'll just get out there and dance as we do at one of our club dances. They'll love us!"

Putting on a display of Square dancing for others to watch can be a rewarding experience. While providing entertainment for viewers, it is also a natural form of outreach — you might just get some of your audience interested enough to sign up for the next beginner's class.

Here are a few things to consider before jumping with both feet into a venture of this type. Putting on a display of Square dancing for others to watch varies in many ways from dancing for others to watch varies in many ways from dancing for one's own enjoyment. Much of what we dance today has a certain sameness — moving from grids into waves into columns. We may be using several dozen basics, and to us, as dancers, this is variety — but not necessarily so for the viewer. While much of what we are dancing provides us with challenge, it is not always visually entertaining for the spectator. Strange as it may sound, the simplest star figures, the circle and line patterns that we did in the early stages of dancing, can be more exciting to the viewer than a hash of the most demanding moves fresh out of the callers' note services. So, when you plan to perform for the joy of others, remember this: Aim for variety. Keep the tips short; be sure your musical accompaniment is especially pleasing to the ear. Let the pattern flow smoothly and easily in a way that makes the viewer conscious of the form and beauty of the American folk dance.

It's one thing for the caller or the announcer to tell the audience "Square Dancing is FUN" but it's difficult to convince others of this if the performers, in their efforts to concentrate on what they are doing, look glum or at best are expressionless.

A number of years ago, the floor manager for our weekly Square dance television series took us aside before a show and told us all how important it was to look as if we were enjoying what we were doing. "Laugh a bit" he said. "React vocally if it appears natural." To the girls in the group, he suggested, "Keep your chin up—shake your curls." And then, to all of us, "Look like you're having a good time. Your natural laughter and exuberance will be contagious. You will be bringing your audience into the Square with you and, at the end of a dance, react naturally—applaud and even hoot and holler a bit. If you've had a good time, show it."

When you're dancing, all eyes should be on the dancers. But, when the caller or narrator is talking to the audience it's time for the dancers to go unnoticed, to focus their attention on what is being said.

A real pro at the art of putting on Square dance demonstrations taught us a lesson that, if followed, has a good, visual effect on an audience. When he would explain what the dancers were going to do next, all his participating dancers would face him, virtually freezing motionless in place and give him their full attention. In this way, they were saying to the audience, "Listen! What he's saying is important."

More valuable than complexity in what you're displaying for others, is the element of smoothness. This doesn't preclude enthusiasm — far from it. But the smooth blending of one figure into the next — avoiding the stop-and-go stotic movements and emphasizing the effortless flow of figures will do much to "sell" your favorite pastime to others.

There are basically two types of demonstrations. On the one hand are the exhibitions performed by groups of individuals who work long hours at perfecting certain routines. On the other hand are the demonstrations or displays of Square dancing presented in ways that appear natural and unrehearsed. In this latter form, the fact that you will be dancing to the ad lib calls of your caller is impressive and should be pointed out to the spectators. Don't worry if you, or someone else in the group



Conference is a group of people discussing what they should be doing.

### AS I SEE IT

(continued)

makes a goof. Goofs are natural in Square dancing and getting out of difficulty smoothly and working back into the Square is frequently more entertaining for the audience than a display that is so perfect that one almost wonders if it is real. Remember, when dancing in a demonstration, if you make a mistake, just smile; everyone else will think it's their fault.

And one other point. Displays of the most complicated figures as opposed to simple eye-catching patterns often have a reverse effect on the spectator. After all, would you want your viewer to turn to his partner and say, "That looks fantastic — but I could never do it!" Or, would you hope that he would say something like, "You know, Mildred, that looks like fun! I'll bet we could do that. Let's give it a try."?

Whole books could be written about showing off our hobby to others. We could talk about the value of selecting costumes that are not only complimentary to the dancers but serve as "selling" points for the viewers. We could talk about the importance of keeping the demonstration short and varied — not only with the types of music used, the choice of good, familiar singing calls and the familiar strains of a well recorded hoedown — but by adding a bit of spice with a circle dance, a contra or blending the present with something out of the past. We've only touched on the subject this month. If you'd like to know more, just get the word to your editors and they'll let us know.

Bob Osgood The Northeast Square Duncer, March 1988



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A complete list of the tours available, with tour numbers and classification, (regular or deluxe), follows. For more information write to **Tour Committee**, 37th **National Convention**, **P.O. Box 8549, Anaheim, CA 92802.** CONTINUED ON PACE THE

### サササササ SQUARE DANCE TROUPE DEBUTS IN PENNSYLVANIA

On December 12, a new chapter was written on Square Dancing in the Eric area. Tom and Mary Kay Dash, along with Joan and the Hoedown Band, presented a live music Square Dance at the Asbury United Methodist Church.

Playing to a sell-out crowd, the group danced to "The Highway 40 Blues," "Beer Barrel Polka," "Cajun Fiddle" and many more favorite tunes.

Tom Dash of Fairview, PA, was the Square Dance caller and originator of this new Mainstream Level Club called Generic Squares. When Tom's not calling Squares, his wife, Mary Kay, is dueing Round Dances or Line Dances to keep the crowd happy.

Midway through the Square Dance portion of the evening, Tom lined everyone up for the Virginia Reel, a favorite traditional dance everyone likes to do. Calls like reel the set, turn your opposite and lead, peel, promenade, filled the hall to everyone's delight.

Around midnight, the group finished up the dance with a slow waltz and wished everyone a safe trip home and said good night. Because they are a caller club, any work that needed to be done at the dance was voluntary.

May Kay and Tom were very proud to see the spirit of Square Dancing alive and well (even after four hours of dancing), as more than enough volunteers stayed to pitch in to help clean up without being asked to. The beautiful Square Dancers stayed until everything was finished, even helping to carry out the band's equipment.

A live band dance was a gamble, to be sure, in many ways, but with the help and support of our local Square Dancers. The Generic Squares Club was able to offer this unique type of dancing to the Erie area with a happy and fun conclusion.

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Intro: Wait four measures

#### - DANCE -

#### Measures:

1m KICK BALL CHANGE - Stamp Left Foot forward, kick Right Foot diagonally in front of Left Foot, ball-change: rapidly shift from RF touch behind LF/ then back to

weight on LF, step RF XIF LF;

2m STEP TOUCH BOTH WAYS

 Step LF to L Side, touch RF beside LF, step RF to R Side, touch LF to RF;

3m FULL ROLL LEFT

- Walk Left full circle step LF, RF, LF, touch RF to

4m FULL ROLL RIGHT

- Walk Right full circle step RF, LF, RF touch LF to RF:

5m PASSE LEFT

 Step LF to L Side, step RF XIB LF (Right Foot crossing in back Left Foot), step LF to L Side and at the same time lift Right Knee up to Right angles also making a ½ L face turn, HOLD;

6m PASSE RIGHT

 Step RF to R Side, step LF XIB RF, step RF to R Side at same time lift L Knee up to passe making a k R face turn, HOLD;

7m RAMBLE FORWARD

 Quickly point L Toe diagonally to L rear, step LF XIF RF, point RF diagonally to R rear, step RF XIF LF;

8m RAMBLE FORWARD

- Repeat Measure SEVEN ending with a i turn Right.

#### Author's Comment:

Depending on your philosophy of "turns" you may not wish to execute the turn at the end of the dance as above, also size of all and crowd my influence your choice. I like to put a three-quarter turn right at the beginning of the forward ramble. Another method of getting the dancers to face the Right Wall is to have them "curve" their ramble to the Right so as to end up facing the Right Wall.

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### $Line/Solo\ DANCE\ CORNER$

By Dr. Grant Longley

then we started this Line Dance Corner three and a half years ago, some of our objectives were:

- To relate interesting news in the Line/Solo dance field.
- To discuss some of the problems confronting this dance art form.
  - 3. To act as a sounding board.
- 4. To stimulate the formation of a strong Line/Solo dance organization(s). Forty issues later — how are we doing?

#1 — NEWS — very little has crossed my desk, plus the fact that this writer is nearly two thousand miles away from the Northeastern area. So that objective is most difficult to allain.

#2 — Many problems have been presented briefly. The feedback has been nihit. Why?? Apparently, few line dance leaders/teachers/instructors want to get involved — at least, to the point of taking time to enter into a discussion.

\*3 — Some ideas have been presented by this writer over the duration of this column, but no rebuttats have been forthcoming.

#4 — No organization has been formed yet with an eye to strengthening the objectives in the field of line dancing, also

to expanding the scope and mechanics of the entire structure of line/solo dancing.

It appears to this writer we must look for better leadership. As yet we have only one L/D leader in the Midwest, Dob Howell of Akron, Ohio; a potential leader in the Southeast, Sheila Popwell, yet she tells me that we must consider her as a "has been", as she expects to drop her L/D activities in the very future; Sydelle Singer in St. Petersburg, Florida is valiantly struggling to spread her influence in a "one-man" effort; while Ed Barkus of Los Angeles, California has had his difficulties in organizing the Far West. We have no real crusader, and that spells defeat. Line dancing has not attracted any "champions", i.e., leaders who will devote their time and engeries to the promotion of time dancing on a regional or national scale. Everyone is just happy to be a "big chief in a small puddle." No offense is meant. Well, anyway, do as Charlie Baldwin use to say, "ILAVE FUN"!

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#### The International Association of Round Dance Teachers

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Representatives from the Executive Committees of both ROUNDALAB and the UNIVERSAL ROUND DANCE COUNCIL met in Houston, TX after the ROUNDALAB Annual Convention to continue exploring areas of mutual interest and to reaffirm the cooperation that has been established thru past joint meetings.

The first stage of a work plan - to compare figures that both ROUNDALAB & the URDC have already defined and suggest clarification to bring both manuals into closer uniformity has been delayed since the URDC is currently preparing a new manual. However, when a section is completed, the Liaison Committees will proceed with this stage of the work plan.

The URDC Technical Advisory Committee and the Standardization Planning Committee of ROUNDALAB are communicating with each other to examine the possibility of accepting identical names, cue words and abbreviations to describe various figures and positions in their manuals. URDC used the ROUNDALAB Phase Ratings to identify dances at its last convention.

Other areas that were identified of mutual interest were proposed booklets on the use of body mechanics as it applies to each rhythm, styling, cueling guidelines and teaching progression. An informational/promotional round dance bruchure is in the planning stages.

Thru these annual meetings both organizations have a better understanding of each athers' goals and procedures. The decision was made to have these joint Executive Committee meetings annually alternating the host organization. The next meeting will be in July, 1988 in Winston-Salem, NC during the week of the URDC Annual Convention.

ROUNDALAB has recently developed a "MANUAL for New Round Dance Leaders" to aid them in starting their teaching programs. This Manual is separate from, but similar to, the "CALLER'S MANUAL for Using Rounds in Square Dance Programs" which was updated in 1987.

Both Manuals include sections on the Five Elements of Round Dancing, The Cue Sheet, Cueing, Teaching Techniques, Suggested Teaching Sequences, Cues for the Dances in Teaching Sequence, Selecting Round Dance Routines and Round Dance References. In addition to the above, the Round Dance Leaders Manual includes a section on ROUNDALAB membership and the ROUNDALAB Cueing Guidelines. The Caller's Manual includes a section on "Including Rounds in the Square Dance Basics Class".

Both Manuals come with the Appendixes of the ROUNDALAB Glossary and Phase I & II Booklets. They may be purchased from the ROUNDALAB Home Office at 3 Churchill Road, Cresskill, NJ 07626-1698.

ROUNDALAB will continue to hold a six-hour Teacher's Seminor/Clinic on the Wednesday following the ROUNDALAB Annual Convention and the beginning of the National Square Dance Convention. It will be held on Wednesday, June 22, 1988 at the MARRIOTT Hotel in Anaheim, CA. While the Seminar/Clinic is primarily for Round Dance Teachers, any person interested in round doncing is welcome to attend.

The Sessions will cover teaching techniques for figures in ROUNDALAB's Phase II thru Phase VI. Rhythms to be covered include Two-Step, Waltz, Foxtrot, Rumba & Cha-Cha. The morning and afternoon clinics will each include one two-hour session and a one hour session. The format will be a seminar/clinic presentation with audience participation. A luncheon, which is included in the admission, will be served at noon.

The Clinicians ore Bitl & Helen Stoirwalt of Donna, TX & Libertyville, IL, Dwain & Judy Sechrist of San Jose, CA, and Eddie & Audrey Palmquist of El Toro, CA. Chairmen

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There are a lot of people involved in square dancing who work very hard with very little recognition. Wilhout them the activity would be a lot less interesting, much less wide-spread and probably less fun. Some of the work is obvious running the New England Convention for instance. Many dancers don't realize that the committees work for a couple of years before the event, meeting on Sundays and spending evenings getting things ready. It's not always obvious that club officers put in a lot of time and effort. There are usually monthly meetings and required attendance at workshop, classes and dances. Going to dances is fun when you have a choice but when you have to be there some of the enjoyment can go away. Treasurers are another under-appreciated group. They often sit out the first 3 or 4 tips collecting money at the door. Sometimes they don't have to pay but that's little compensation for the missed dancing. There are others whose contribution is even less obvious. The people who recruit our new class members are quickly forgotten even though they often keep coming to class to help their friends learn. In less dramatic ways the folks who wanted to sit out this tip but get up because that last square needs one more couple also help to make square dancing the sociable activity it is. At the regional level there are EDSARDA and the local dancer associations that help clubs to cooperate rather than compete and the COOP Committee that tries to keep the leaders and the dancers all working together to make square dancing better. There are even callers and round dance leaders who help more than they have to. Caller associations need officers and program chairmen too. Somewhere around 140 callers and 50 round dance leaders donate their services at the New England Convention - no one is paid for participating. Many of us will be going to the CALLERLAB Convention at the end of this month. Sure, it's fun, but there is serious work to be done that will make a difference in the future of square dancing. We don't go to see what we can get out of it. We go because we believe, like most of you, that square dancing is a great recreation and if we can help to make it better that's reason enough.

Jim Mayo

The Northeast Square Doncer, March 1988

ROUNDALAB (Continued)

of this Committee are John & Mary Macuci of District Heights, MD.

Since attendance will be limited by the size of the room at the MARRIOTT, advance registration is required. Contact the ROUNDALAR Office at 3 Churchill Road, Cresskill, NJ 07676-1698 for registration and/or further information.

ROUNDALAB members attenting the recent Annual Convention had an apportunity to examine the newly compiled ROUNDALAB Reference Manual assembled by Richard N JoAnne Lawson of Birmingham, AL.

This two inch thick natebook has 101 articles (or 275 pages) on Cueing Techniques, Liqure Execution, Leadership, Learning Techniques, Cue Sheet Reading and Writing, Partner Relationships, and other topics. It also lists existing teacher training apportunities, professional argunizations, publications, suppliers as well as books and other ovailable educational materials.

So many attendous expressed a desire for their own personal copy that ROUNDALAB numbers Pat N Lurry Rordin of Yorka Linda, CA offered to chair a committee to undertake this project. This Reference Manual is now available for purchase. For further information contact the ROUNDALAB Home Office at 3 Churchill Road, Crosskill, NJ 07626-1698.

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Ruben Alexander is in charge of programming for future meetings and is asking for suggestions from callers.

Paul Latourneau has charge of the membership committee.

Harriet Varin is publicity chairman.

Art Anthony takes care of the library. Joe and Jennie Frizella are Ri Round dance associate delegates.

More plans were formed for the 35th Anniversary of the Narragansett Catlers! Association which is being held in conjunction with the Spring Swing on March 20th at the Rocky Point Palladium. Does everyone have their dancing shoes on? Big things are planned for this event. Get your tickets early they are going fast.

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Frank and Harriet Varin Exeter, RI 02822

#### 21ST CT SQ & R/D FESTIVAL Hamden, Connecticut

This is the month that all Square and Round dancers are heading to Hamden, CT for the 21st CT Square & Round Dance Festival. Check our ads for details.

Last minute news flash! There will be a New Dancers/Mainstream hall for new graduates and also dancers who are about to graduate.

Advance ribbons may still he purchased from CT Clubs, callers  $\epsilon$  cuers or you can get them at the door for \$2.00 each more.

Hope to see you in a square on the 20th of March.

Russ Moorhouse Springfield, MA 01119

#### CSDCA

#### CT Square Dance Calendar Assoc.

This is the month of the CT Festival to be held in Hamden, CT, on the 20th. Ribbons are still available from Calendar clubs. All dancers in the Calendar area are primed and ready to attend, if you wish to obtain a monthly area Square dance calendar listing of dances, dates, levels, callers, cuers and halls, write: Russ Moorhouse, 44 Brandon Ave., Springfield, MA 01119.

Russ & Roberta Moorhouse Springfield, MA 03119

#### CASDC

#### CT Association of Square Dance Clubs

CASDC has adopted the Emergency Call for Medical Aid that was in the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine. All member club presidents have received a letter encouraging them to post the flyer at their dances and to familiarize their with the procedure. Many dancers students and new graduates are joining square dancing and we felt this was the right time to bring this important part of square dancing to all dancers' attention. We hope we'll never have to use the procedure, hut-knowing what to do will save the valuable time that is so important in an emergency. procedure will be used at the CT 21st Square and Round Dance Festival on March 20th in Hamden, CT. CASDC and the Callers Association will be working together for the betterment of all square dancers. Joyce R. Fagan

CASDC Publicity

#### WMSARDA West MA Sq & Rd Dance Assoc.

Our Beginners Ball visitation policy for class members is well underway. We have given cards to be signed by club officers upon entering a dance half by the class members. Those making the most visitations through April lincluding graduations) will be awarded free visitation rights to all WMSARDA clubs at least once starting in September 1988. We shought this might be motivation for class members to attend as many beginner balls as they can. In case of a tie there will be a drawing for the winner. We wish them all luck.

If you wish to have a monthly local Square dance calendar, listing dates of club dances, levels, callers, cuers and locations just contact: Russ Moorhouse, 44 Brandon Avenue, Springfield, MA 01119.

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#### THE TIME HAS COME

Starting with the May 1988 issue, our advertising rates will increase. A long drawn-out explanation of the reasons for the increase will not impress you, and furthermore, do nothing to change the economic bind in which every small business finds itself today, including The Northeast Square Dancer. We have held the line for three years, but finally have had to give in to rising costs for every conceivable service we require. Please refer to page 4 of this issue for the new rates.

Also, and for all the same reasons, effective March 1, 1988 our subscription rates will increase slightly as follows:

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THE EDITOR

### **VIEWPOINT**

#### - WEEKEND PHENOMENA -

On a recent weekend, we attended two local dances, both with good callers, and only eight Squares per dance. Where were many of the club dancers, on weekends? Where were the top callers, on weekends.

Can we now book these top callers for regular club dates? The general answer is no. Their rate is high and some have told me they now prefer to book weekends, festivals, and specials. The travel and time involved for club dances just doesn't financially balance a weekend.

We book callers and generally work two years in advance for the top callers. Even when booked at their requested rate, we've had them cancel to do a weekend. They have given us at least a year's notice so we can book someone else. We understand some clubs haven't been so fortunate with this much advance notice.

When did this phenomena really expand? As best we remember, about 5 years ago. We've danced for 22 years but our first weekend, except for camping weekends, was 4 years ago. Now we're attending 3 to 4 weekends per year and we have reservations for a year ahead.

Why are we doing it? Because we can dance to the top callers plus enjoy the sociability – but mainly because we love to dance – and the dancing is great! We must admit we enjoy the meals, pool, the other amenities – but we're there to dance, dance, dance.

Have we, both dancers and callers, considered all of the impacts? Regular club dance attendance is down. Many of the newer dancers don't get a chance to dance to some of the top callers. Top callers aren't booked because their rate is high - which the clubs can't afford because the attendance is down. A vicious cycle.

What could the future bring? The cost to produce a dance would probably escalate and the number of clubs could continue to diminish. Club dues would probably go up if small, personal clubs want to exist. Financing for existence could become a major task.

Are we trapped in a chicken and egg situation? Hopefully not. Top callers should book club dates at reasonable rates and not cancel if a better deal is offered. Dancers should try to schedule their weekends away without conflicting with their own club dances. Dance attendance should then go up which would pay the caller his deserved rate and everyone would get the opportunity to have a super evening with a top caller. Let's consider the entire cycle.

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### Singletons Hitching Post

New England Square Dance Convention: April 27 and 23 marks the 30th Anniversary of NESRDC. Portland, Maine, is the site for the Square, Round, and Clog dancers to have a good time at a gathering of 5,000 plus dancers.

Carolyn Richards, the singletons' chairperson, reports that this year the singletons' after party will be held on "FRIDAY" night following the closing of all of the halls (11 p.m.) The dance will be held at the University of Maine (gym). The singletons' committee feels that having an after party on Friday will give solos an opportunity to meet each other and dance together as a collected group.

Skip Brown, the local singles' club (SASOME) caller will emcee the whole event. If you wish to call or cue, please contact Skip before Convention time. Please write him at 104 Brighton Avenue, Portland, Maine 04102 or call him at (207) 773-1826.

Continuing this year will be a "solo information table" at registration headquarters (Convention center). Stop by and get the latest information in store for the singletons while dancing at the Portland Convention. Also, "solo stop" signs will be posted in most of the halfs. These signs aid other solos in tinding each other. If solos congregate in these areas, there is a better chance to meet other singletons to pair off for the next tip.

If you are interested in getting more information, please send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to : Carolyn Richards, 157 Marriner St., Portland, ME 04106 or call her at (207) 799-8478.

Last year the solo registration was in the 600 range. How about it solos? Let's see if we can top that number. Send in your check now <u>payable</u> to the 30th NESRDC for \$11 (before March 31) or \$13 (after April 1). Mail to June/John Bowman, 10 Cleeves St., Portland, ME 04101.

Let's keep the singles movement active by supporting this Convention! After all, the singletons Convention committee have put in a lot of time and energy in giving us the best time possible. All we have to do is come and enjoy.

Donna Jenkins 617-935-7957

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The Editor

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### NEW ENGLAND COUNCIL OF ROUND-DANCE TEACHERS ASSOCIATIONS

Dear Round Dance Leader:

Here are the NECORTA SCREENING SELECTIONS for Winter plus the Workshop figures. As far as we can tell all the records are readily available except the one noted.\* We hope you will use as many of these dances as possible.

Roundly yours,

Tom Riding, NECORTA SCREENING CHAIR.

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		EASY (PHASE II)	NECORTA SCREENING SELECTIONS - V	WINTER - January 3, 1988				
		1. EASY STROLLING (Auria) (Two Step)	MGR 043 (HR 943)	To be published inR/D Mag				
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		<ol> <li>LINDY Lin (Drury)</li> <li>(Jive)</li> </ol>	GRENN 17101 (14252)	Sept 87 R/D Mag & Round UP Oct. 87 Cue Sheet				
		<ol> <li>HELLO DOLLY (MooreO (Quickstep)</li> </ol>	Roper JA 419 B (Dance Along 6076)	Apr. 87 Cue Sheet				
		NO SELECTIONS FOR HIGH INTERNEDIATE (PHASE V) OR ADVANCED (PHASE VI)						
		CLASSIC (OLDIE)						
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		WORKSHOP FIGURES						
		PHASE II BREAKAMAY	(as used in Dancing Shadows and	d other dances)				
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# AMV VERSARY

### SALEM LANCERS CLUB HISTORY

1963 - 1988



The SALEM LANCERS started twenty-five years ago in the fall of 1963.

The name "Lancers" was chosen in part because "Joe Portelance", our club maller as well as founder, with his wife Lorraine started the first class. The name "Lancers" has always been associated with dancers and figures in Folk and Country dance.

The Gub was organized by graduates of the first two classes. The first group attended classes in Beverly starting in September 1963; and St. Anne's Hall in Salem was the location of the second group.

We have grown in numbers over the years, but as always are a friendly group of dancers, sociable and always ready to extend a warm welcome to all.

Our annual activities include the following:

Family picnics, demonstrations, clam bakes, Halloween Party, Christmas Party, New Year's Celebration, conventions and more, extend our friendliness beyond our dance halls.

As we celebrate our 25th Anniversary, we would like to thank "ALL" who have made these years so rewarding. Now we are looking ahead to many more years of enthusiastic dancing with old friends and making new ones.

> Doris A. Beguregard Charter Member

#### NECORTA WORKSHOP FIGURES (Continued)



#### WORKSHOP FIGURES

PHASE II

BREAKAWAY

PHASE !!!

FALLAWAY ROCK RIGHT FACE TURNING FALLAWAY

PRASE II MULTIRKYTHM

BREAKAWAY

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cue: Breakaway

LEFT FACE TURNING FALLAWAY

A three step figure starting with partners facing. The first slep is to the side, turn to open or left open rocking backward on second step, recover to facing position on third step.

PHASE III

JIVE

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FALLAWAY ROCK

fallaway rock cue, fallaway Rock

MAN: Rock back to semi-closed position, recover to face. side/close, side; side/close, side.

WOMEN; Rock back to semi-closed position, retover to face, side/close, side; side/close, side.

Begin this 1 1/2 measure figure in closed position and end in closed position. Rock back may precede or follow the chasse action.

FALLAWAY, RIGHT FACE TURNING rf trng fallaway que: Right turning fallaway Similar to fallaway Rock but with approximately 1/4 right face turn during Figure ends in semi-closed position.

FALLAWAY, LEFT FACE TURNING It trmg fallaway cue; Left turning failaway Similar to right face turning fallaway but turns are left face.

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### Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

... Continued from last month. ...

#### A MORE-THAN-YEAR-END REPORT

I had to take off my glasses in order to put on the head, which bobbed whenever I moved causing the eyeholes to bounce around. Since we had plunned that the Panther should accost the dancers in a certain sequence, it made a big difference whether or not I could see. However, I managed to find my way, the mayhem worked, and the demo was very well received.

The "Fooling Around with Rounds" demo was a first for Michael Wolf who started in our Basics Class two years ago and has shown consistent improvement, intellectual curiosity, and steady participation — all qualities admired by Vagabonds. He officially began his apprenticeship during the summer and is formally and officially a Vagabond as of January, 1988. Michael will fit in just fine, especially with his computer background and beard. He has done some folk dancing, especially Scottish country dancing, as well as modern squares, including Don Beck's advanced classes.

This summer we did another first — an invitational workshop. We asked non-Vagabonds who seemed compatible with us to six weeks of workshops. Those who participated were Jennifer Greenspan and Clure Rabinow from our Sunday workshops (Rounds with Veronica), and David Anick (who also "Fooled Around with Rounds"), Patrice Bennet-Alder and Ken Mattson from Tech Squares. Ken danced with us most of the summer until he left for Taiwan to teach English for a year. We hope he will settle down in the Boston area.

We did a round dance crush course for Toch Squares over the summer and we are happy to report that the number of round dancers at Tech is rising and, in addition, some of these dancers have made the transition from Cambridge to our workshops in Arlington.

Another special aspect of Vagabonds is allowing those who want to teach or due to do so in our workshops. Over the summer, Stephen Zisk worked on "Lolita," an advanced waltz by Tom and Dottic Dean of South Attleboro, MA, and Bill Freeman took charge of "Brazil," an advanced samba by Peter and Beryl Barton of Toronto. Both are excellent dances, and Stephen and Bill do good work with them. During these winter months of January and February, Joan Bannerman will treat us to Muchacha, a sparkling cha-cha by the Shibatas of Japan.

This fall just completed was a humdinger for demos, especially compared to the relatively quiet time, at least for demos, we had previously. We did three different lecture-demos in three consecutive months. Now that we have completed them — and they all went exceedingly well — I look back in amazement and great pride at Vagabonds. We worked hard, effectively, with much cooperation, and had a good time to boot.

The three demos were: (1) October, for the Wellesley (MA) Historical Society with a program on the history of the minuet from its days as a Baroque dance for the elite of the French court to efforts to democratize it for the recent American Bicentennia; (2) November, for the Brundage/Easterday Round Dance Weekend in Enfield, CT, showing dances of the Ragtime era (1890-1918) and explaining their role in the history of ballroom and round dancing; and (3) December, for the Brockton Art Museum's Gala Evening honoring the opening of their exhibit, "American Classicism: Motif and Meaning, 1790-1860" for which we presented ballroom dances of the Federal period, 1790-1830.

Marie Deuerlein assisted us in these demos as narrator and did an excellent job. Marie as Librarian/Curator and I as Dance Historian for the Square Dance Foundation feel very strongly about the educational value of these programs. We had additional assistance from Eric Schwabe and Geoff Ward from the summer crash course and now in our workshops regularly. Jonathan Johnson who since became a new daddy so we won't see much of him, and Mitch Jerome, a whiz with a camera.



Dear Editor:

We're enclosing our donation in support of the #800 Fund. Square dancing has been a good part of our life for a long time. We truly enjoy every bit of it.

So glad to help.

Sincerely,

Guy & Ann Carbone

link in our lives, callers, cuers and dancers have been so great about keeping in touch. That has meant so much to both of us.

Please accept the enclosed check for the 800 Number, a fabulous idea.

Our best wishes for continued success for a great magazine.

Sincerely, Francie & Mo Heintz

Dear Editor:

Here's a small contribution from Vagabonds towards the 800 line. We think this is a good idea and are pleased that you are working towards making it a reality.

Sincerely,

Veronica Ann McClure 22Wagner Road, Medford, MA 02155 For The Vagabonds

#### Dear Editor:

A note to let you know how much the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine's arrival at our home in Florida means to us. Our bonds with the activity was very long and remains such a strong

#### Musings On Dance

After the Wellesley demo, we adjourned to the home of Vagabonds Joy and Gary Cohen in Bedford for a picnic supper and video tapes of the New England Convention the laughter was hearty and plentiful.

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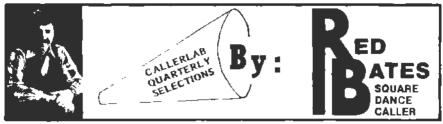
Vagabonds went as a group to the Brundage/Easterday Round Dance Weekend for the whole weekend, not just the demo. Given the excellent workshopping and the level of detail the Easterdays presented, the very gracious welcome they and the Brundages gave us, and the high level of sharing with each other that we experienced, it certainly has to be on our list of very special events in a time of many special events. . "our cupronnell over."

This fall we increased our Sunday evening round dance workshops (Rounds with Veronica) to three sections: Easy/Intermediate pushing Intermediate; Easy Rounds for persons who have completed Basics; and the new Basics Class. Each group has been working very well, and all have taken to Stephen's expanding role in teaching and cuering—an important reason for being able to add on another section. Stephen and I enjoy the teaching and are pleasantly tired at the end of the evening, but not at all dragged out. We especially salute the folks in the Easy/Intermediate class who have been with us for several years. Either they have incredible endurance or we have something good going on here!

Dancers representing all the workshops and Vagabonds and some visitors gathered together for our Christmas round dance party on December 17th and had a perfect finale for a very productive, challenging and fun fall. The folks in the workshops share Vagabonds' spirit of participation and helping each other and it makes all of them very special people who round dance together.

I'm quite happy to be writing this report, and I give my thanks and appreciation to all the many people who have made it possible. Happy dancing to all — I look forward to more good times with you!

Veronica Ann McClure 22 Wagner Raad Medford, AIA 02155 The Northeust Square Dancer, March 1988



Often enough to cause me to write this article, dancers and callers ask questions regarding the Calleriab Quarterly Program. They ask, what are the Quarterlies? why do we have them? how did they get started? who selects them? etc. Maybe the following will help to answer some of these questions.

The Quarterlies are figures—usually new experimental figures—that are not on the existing program at that level. They are selected to be tried out in workshops at dances, weekends, special workshop groups, etc., to determine whether or not the dancers and callers like them well enough to consider them for addition to the regular program list of calls. They are selected to be tried for a period of three months; thus, the name "Quarterlies."

To help your understanding of the why and wherefore of this program let's go back to the beginning. The Mainstream Quarterly Program was conceived at the first convention of the International Association of Square Dance Callers (CALLERLAB) in St. Louis in 1974, along with the Mainstream Dance Program. The purpose was to stem the flow of new calls that were flooding the Square dance scene, and to control the number and quality of new calls thrust upon the dancers. At that time, a lot of new calls were being written and used indiscriminately by any caller who wished to use them, resulting in a lot of confusion for the dancers. It was hoped that the Quarterly Program would help screon out the poorer calls before they got to the dancers and control the number of calls dancers were exposed to at any one time. The Quarterlies were to meet the following criteria:

- 1. Calls were to be limited to two per guarter.
- Calls selected were to have the potential to be longlasting and not "gimmick" calls.
- Calls that simply combine two or more existing calls were not to be chosen.
- Calls selected should be at the degree of difficulty that Mainstream Dancers could easily learn and perform.

As Callerlab developed, Plus and Advanced Quarterly Programs were developed for them as well. This caused a problem for the advanced dancers, as they could be exposed to as many as six new calls each quarter. To ease this situation, a staggered release system has been established so that the Quarterlies are not announced at the same time and the number of selections at each level has been limited to one.

There are presently Quarterly Programs at Mainstream, Plus and Advanced Levels. Each has its own committee and committee chairman, which oversees the selection of new quarterly calls. These committees review all suggested new experimental calls, screening out those that do not meet the established criteria. At the Mainstream and Plus Levels, the entire Callerlab membership has the opportunity to vote for each quarterly selection. At the Advanced level, only the members of the advanced committee can vote. A Quarterly selection has a life of six months; at the end of that period the call will be voted on, and either be dropped or remain active for another six months. A Quarterly has a maximum life of three years; at that point it must either be dropped from the Quarterly list entirely or be added to the appropriate dance program.

Remember! Quarterlies are not a mandatory part of any program and dancers are not to be held responsible for quarterly selections, past or present. Quarterly selection calls should be mentioned and/or workshopped prior to being called at any open dance.

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#### "MR. SANDMAN"

Record: DESERT 30
Called by: Bill Reynolds

OPENER - MIDDLE BREAK - CLOSER

CIRCLE LEFT, MR. SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM MAKE HER THE SWEETEST THAT I'VE EVER SEEN. ALLEMANDE LEFT YOUR CORNER, DO-SA-DO YOUR OWN ALLEMANDE LEFT THEN YOU WEAVE AROUND THE RING \*\*MR. SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM DO-SA-DO AND PROMENADE WITH YOUR DREAM PLEASE TURN ON YOUR MAGIC BEAM, MR. SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM



#### FIGURE (TWICE FOR HEADS, TWICE FOR SIDES)

HEADS (SIDES) SQUARE THRU FOUR HANDS YOU GO WITH THE CORNER THEN YOU DO A DO-SA-DO TOUCH A QUARTER — THEN WALK AND DODGE MY FRIEND PARTNER TRADE — RIGHT AND LEFT THRU AND TURN THE GIRL

FLUTTER WHEEL ACROSS AND NOW SLIDE THRU SWING YOUR GIRL AROUND AND PROMENADE PLEASE TURN ON YOUR MAGIC BEAM MR SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM.

#### PLUS FIGURE

HEADS (SIDES) SQUARE THRU FOUR DO-SA-DO WITH CORNER MAKE A WAVE GIRLS RUN TO THE RIGHT — TAG THE UNE FACE IN — LOAD THE BOAT TOUCH A QUARTER — SCOOT BACK SWING THE CORNER PROMENADE PLEASE TURN ON YOUR MAGIC BEAM MR. SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM.



TAG

MR. SANDMAN BRING ME A DREAM

\*MR. SANDMAN I'M ALL ALONE

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The present Quarterly Selections are:

Mainstream: (as of January 1, 1988)

#### RETAIN YOUR LANE

Plus: (as of February 1, 1988)

SCOOT AND RELOCATE - ROCK THE BOAT - CROSS THE OCEAN

Advanced: (us of December 1, 1987)

MIN! BUSY - CHECKOVER - OPEN UP THE COLUMN - COVER UP

Well, I hope this helps you to understand the Quarterly Selection Program a little better. Your thoughts and comments are always welcome.

Have Fun!

Red Bates 19 Hadley St., Unit #17 So, Hadley, MA 01075 The Northeast Square Dancer, March 1988

# RECORD REVIEW

Rating Code: \*\*\*\*\* Excellent; \*\*\*\* Good; \*\*\* Average; \*\*- D.K. Imay not be suitable for all callers!

RHYTHM 202 WE GOT LOVE - W/C by Mike Seastrom
Key of B.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru,
Boys Run Right, Couples Circulate, Ferris Wheel,
All Double Pass Thru, Leaders Partner Trade %
Swing.
Excellent music, good figure. Dancers like it.
Rating \*\*\*\*

FRAIRIE 1093 AIN'T GONNA BE YOUR DAY - W/C by Johnnie Scott. Key of E.
Heads Fromenade 1/2. Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do
Touch 1/4, Scoot Back Once and A Half, Couples
Circulate, Ferris Wheel, Pass Thru, Corner Swing,
Promenade.
A great novelty number to get the crowd laughing.
Several singing lines about continuous bad luck.
Rating \*\*\*

DESERT 30 MR. SANDMAN - W/C by Bill Reynolds.

key of G. Entire call for this

dance may be found in our DANCE OF THE MONTH column.

Rating \*\*\*\*

ROYAL 203 TWO OUT OF THREE AIN'T BAD - W/C by Tony Oxendine.

Heads Promenade 1/2, Sides Square Thru 4, R & L Thru, Eight Chain Six, Swing & Promenade. Average singing call. Good Music with a nice job by Tony on the flip side. Rating \*\*\*

NICKEL 45 CAROLINA IN THE MORNING - W/C by Virginia Callaghan.

Ney of A. Heads Promenade 1/2, Lead Right Circle
to a line. Fwd & back, Touch 1/4, Coordinate, Bend
the Line, Star Thru, Pass thru, Trade By, Corner
Swing & Promenade.
Good music. Dancers like it and will sing along.

Rating \*\*\*\*

E.S.F. 706 CALENDAR GIRL - W/C by Craig Rowe. Key of 8.
Heads Promenade 1/2, Square Thru 4, R & L Thru,
Veer Left & Ferris Wheel, Star thru, Crosstrail
Thru, Corner Swing & Promenade.
Nice music. Dancers enjoyed this one. Instrumental
has accompanyment for the Grand Square break.
Rating \*\*\*

CHINOUR 086 I DON'T WANT TO SET THE WORLD ON FIRE - W/C by
Daryl Clendenin. Key of C.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do. Touch 1/4,
Split Circulate, Boys Run Right, R & L Thru.
Flutter Wheel, Slide Thru, Swing Corner & Promenade.
Good version of an old classic. A nice song to
really sing with. Rating \*\*\*

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#### RECORD REVIEW (continued)

RED BOOT STAR 1305

~ W/C by Bill Anderson. Key of D. COUNT ON ME Heads Lead Right, Circle to a line. All 8 Touch 1/4. Eirculate, Boys Run Right, Swing Thru, Boys hun, Ferris Wheel, Square Thru 5, Swing Corner Corner Swing & Promenage. (Key change to G on closer) and Promenade.

A nice country sound on the instrumental makes this number a good bet. Smooth arrangement with

good dancer reaction. Rating \*\*\*\*

RED BOOT 3010

PODGIE GRASS SATURDAY NIGHT - W/C by Johnny Jones.

Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Square Thru again Third hand Touch 1/4, Scoot Back, Boys Run Right Slide Thru, Swing Thru, Days Trade, Swing Corner and Promenade.

Excellent music. Busy figure but very danceable,

Rating \*\*\*\*

E.S.P. 435

SHALIN' (patter call) by Eraig Rowe, key of A.

Excellent up-best hordown with good blend of hanto, light fiddle and a solid bass. I like it and find that I use it two or three times a night. Rating \*\*\*\*

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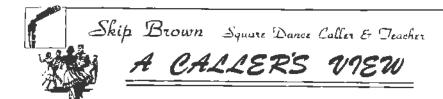
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#### "CONVENTIONS"

This month let's take a look at the Convention coming up in Portland the 22nd and 23rd of April. For newer dancers a convention can be a very rewarding experience or a very traumatic one. It all depends on how you go about it.

The first convention Betty Ann and I attended was in 1981 in Worcester, and while driving back to Maine after the convention we learned we did it all wrong!!! We drove to the hall where our favorite caller was scheduled; arriving late all we heard was, "Thank the Partner & the Corner too, that's it gang, we're through." Back in the car, across town to hear our second favorite, got to hear the singing call. On our way to the car for our third trip we passed a hall nearly full - good music - nice voice—we recognized the calls and could have danced but the caller wasn't on our list so we kept going. By selecting callers and cuers for the two days of the convention, and by using our own car, we danced only four complete tips, portions of three others and did three rounds. Had we selected halls in which to dance instead of callers to whom to dance and taken advantage of the free bus service during those same two days we could have danced approximately 20 complete tips (including Rounds) to nearly that many different callers and cuers, and had we just picked one hall each afternoon and evening we could have danced some 30 tips!

In 1982 we decided we would dance in one half on Friday and two different halfs on Saturday. We picked the Dance Program (they're not "Levels" any more gang, they're "Programs") in which we could dance well, chose one of the halfs featuring that Program and stayed there till the last tip Friday night. On Saturday morning we parked the car at the half where we could dance Saturday night then took advantage of the free busses for the rest of the day. We danced all day and night to some of the callers and cuers we had chased around (and missed) in 1981 - to some callers and cuers of whom we had never heard - heard some different music - danced some familiar calls through some new and exciting choreography and all in all just had a half. And after the last tip on Saturday night we walked right out of the half into our waiting car!!

If this is your first convention I hope you, or you and your partner, or you and your group, will take a little time to plan ahead - Celebrity Hour - Fashion Show - Your Favorite Dance Program - Your Favorite Caller or Cuer - Clogging Demonstration - Exhibitor Area - where should you begin and where will you end and how do you go from beginning to end and have fun on the way.

Remember - it's still not too late to register!

Smooth danking,

Skip Brown 104 Brighton Ave., Portland, ME - 04102 The Northeust Square Dancer, March 1988

Best Wishes for a speedy recover to

Jack Bright

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### LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT

Subject: Rhythm

Both callers and cuers have many times heard the remark, "I have two left feet." This usually comes from the man and sometimes it is a copout because his wife dragged him to this first dance with which he is not interested. Everyone has a sense of rhythm; we are born with it. In some of us it needs to be developed. Even horses can be trained to dance to music and stay in time.

I once worked with a man who never had a headache, never experienced joy or sadness; no emotions. What a sad situation; think about it, I cannot imagine not being stirred with a hand comes marching down the street. I feel sorry for Square dancers who just saunter around the Square in a promenade and nothing else is performed in relation to the music. Maybe that is why we have an unlimited number of basics to keep those people interested.

An accomplished caller once told me that I should use a Square dance set to 6/8 music (march rhythm) at least once an evening, it awakens the dancers like nothing

If we have never done anything in rhythm when we were young such as dancing school, musical instrument or even sports that require rhythm, or rhythm is important, it is no doubt true that rhythm lies dormant in our bodies and must be brought to life. It can come alive if we start to concentrate on the music and listen for that tom-tom beat. Native tribes start at an early age to dance to the tom-tom.

If you have not been aware of rhythm you have lost the major part of Square dance enjoyment. It will be a whole new experience for you. It's never too late; let's get with the beat. The hardest part of rhythm is the spelling.

Happy dancing,

Bob Marsh

The Northeast Square Dancer, March 1988

## In Memoriam

LLOYD G. PLATT Warwick, Rhode Island Died: January 7, 1988

Lloyd Platt of Warwick, Rhode Island, died on January 7, 1988. He is survived by his wife Marge who was, for many years, cuer of Guys and Dalls and the Friendly Mixers. He is also survived by two daughters and two grandchildren.

Livyd founded the Friendly Mixers thirty-one years ago this March and was very active in Square dance affairs for more than ten years. At one time, the Friendly Mixers had over 200 members making it one of the largest clubs in the area. At this time, several of the original members are still dancing with the club and its members have been active in Square dance affairs at all tevels in New England.

Lloyd had been a Quality Control Supervisor for Lessona Corporation before retiring in 1980 with 43 years of service.

After a few years "vacation", Lloyd and Marge returned to Square dancing as members of the Whirlaways of East Greenwich, Rhode Island.

Heartfell sympathy is extended to Lloyd's wife, Majorie and his family.

#### CHARLES RICHARDS

Riverside Squares

Died: January 2, 1988

It is with deep regret that we inform you of the sudden death, January 2nd, of Charlie Richards,

Itis willingness to give of his time and talent to Riverside Squares and Square duncing will be missed by all.

Charlie and his wife Doris served as President 1985-1988, Vice President 1984-1985, Chairman Riverside Country Fair 1986 and 1987.

Elected couple of the year by Riversiders 1986.

They served as delegates to the North Shore 4 1987 and 1988.

Charlie and Doris always found time to give to club activities and to chair club functions.

Our deepest sympathy to Doris and family members on their loss and ours.

LORETTA LAWSON Town Traveters - Lowett, MA Rorder City Squares - Nashua, NH Died: January 4, 1988

It is with a heart full of sadness that we inform everyone of the passing of Loretta Lawson on January 4, 1988. Loretta Lawson was much more than just a Square Dancer member. She was a very special person, warm, and witty. She has given a priceless gift, to those whose lives she touched. She & Ralph began Square Dancing in the early days of the Town Travelers. Loretta herself was the most instrumental person in encouraging Eddie Mayall to become a Caller. Her love and dedication to her family was limitless. We wish you a peaceful forewell, Loretta, we'll miss you greatly, and we thank your family for sharing you with us. Our deepest and most sincere sympathy to Ralph and his family.

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#### THE DIRECTORY

WHAT IS IT? WHAT'S IN IT? DO I WANT ONE? HOW DOES MY CLUB GET LISTED?

THE DIRECTORY is an annual publication that lists Square Dance Clubs, Callers, Cuers, Teen Clubs, Singleton Clubs, Round Dance Clubs and Clogging Clubs.

It gives me great pleasure to announce that in the pursuit of trying to get more exposure for square dancing during the month of September, the Eastern States Exposition, known as the "BIG E", is willing to enter into an agreement with us to showcase Western-style square dancing.

The joint venture of the Eastern District Square and Round Dance Association and American Heritage Dancers from the Western MA area in cooperation with the BIG E, calls for six evenings of square dancing on the last Tuesday through Sunday of the Exposition.

The Western-style portion of the program will feature the dancers marching in the daily 5:00 PM parade throughout the fairgrounds, and then dancing a couple of tips, and involving the public, at 6:00 PM.

The American Heritage Dancers will perform their history of the square dance with Quadrilles and Eastern-Style on Saturday afternoon, and Contra's and Western-style on Sunday afternoon.

Plans call for the dancing to be done on a specially built stage that will include all necessary lighting and sound, and scenery for the historical dances. The combination stage-float, will also be used in the parade at 5:00 PM each evening.

Dancers from clubs throughout New England are urged to contact us with their available days between September 20th and 25th, as they are welcome to the fair and dance, give out fun night information from their areas, and be part of the great rejuvenation of square dancing this fall.

Please forward your name, address, phone #, and club as soon as possible to:

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We'll cover more information next month, and also about plans to help the North Shore area with the Topsfield Fair.



## Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

Each of us must take responsibility for the quality of life that exists in our Square dance community. When we fall to take a stand for what is right and just and in the best interest of our activity, we allow an influence to prevail for which we all must be accountable. We must not fear to risk. When negative forces gain a foothold, there is no turning them back unless we all get involved. It follows that the fewer the disciplines in the management and operations of a Club, the lower our standards drop. The longest journey starts with a single step and it can only take a few to make that difference in showing the way. Deterioration starts when the general level of thought begins to decline. It usually happens so gradually it is scarcely noticed. It seems to me that we have a tendency to be much more concerned with effect rather than cause. If we have a toothache or headache, we take a pain pill. The pain leaves temporarily, but the cause remains. Whatever the reason or cause, it remains the same and until we look inwardly at the activity little or nothing is done to bring about changes for the better we overlook the cause and deal with the effect. Until all of us reflect a positive attitude and are willing to pull at the harness together, to do our part and to share the load, we will not be able to create change that is for the better. And so, as it is in life, it is within the power of each and every one of us to raise the level of our Square dance life style. It won't happen if we wait for someone else to do it. The activity will be what we make and think of it. We should all dare to let there be change for the better and let it begin with each and every one of us.

> Dick & Judy Severance The Northeast Square Dancer, March 1988

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## Page Legacy Weekend Features Dance, Music

DURHAM - The Raiph Page Leggev Weekend was held at the University of New Hampshire.

The three-day conference - which Jeutered a full schedule of New England dance and music - celebrated the rich legacy of Ralph Page, a New Hampshire musician who carried on the tradition of regional folk music and dance.

Conference sponsors included the university's Center for the Humanities and Dimond Library, the Ralph Page Memorial Fund of the New England Folk Festival Association and New Hampshire Council for the Humanities.

The weekend began with a welcome dance Friday in the Strafford room of the Memorial Union Building on the Durham campus.

Workshops for duncers, collers and musicions were offered Saturday and Sunday, with some sessions free and open to the public.

Other activities Included A keynote address Saturday by Alan Jahbour, director of the American Folklife Center of the Library of Congress; A banquet and "Grand Dance" Saturday; and Tours of the Ralph Page Callection at the Dimend Library rounded out the weekend.

Sent to us by: Dick & Judy Severance, N.H. Taken from The Union Leader, Jan. 14,1988

## KEYNOTE SPEECH By Jim Pulaski

THEME: Keeping Our National Folk Dance Alive

Continued from last month's issue:

#### IMAGE, HUMAN NATURE, MARKETING

#### HUMAN NATURE (continued)

This view applies equally to club administrators. All too often they are expected to carry the burden of managing their club all by themselves. Sometimes. . .and all too often, fately. . . this may go on for some time; even several years. Can you imagine the burn-out potential here?! And, can you imagine what happens to their attitude about square dancing? Let's assist our club officers by being always ready to step in and help with a committee assignment. Let's keep our organization structure and our bylaws simple and uncomplicated. . .easy to administer. Sometimes we have a great propensity to over-organize and to tile ourselves down with a lot of meaningless and useless regulation. Our own State and Federal governments serve as a good example of much legal and administrative overkill, KISS should apply; that is, "Keep it short and simple"; or, in MY case, "Keep it simple, STUPID!". Our human nature and our square dance nature can, without a doubt, be adversely affected by unreasonable and unrelenting pressures within our activity. Let's become more conscious of them, Let's recognize that hidden feelings affect motivation. Bad feelings brought on by too much pressure can lead to poor attitudes and zero motivation. . and the next step is to DROP OUT. We can't afford to let this happen.

#### MARKETING

There's sure a heck of a lot of say on this subject, but time runs short so I'll limit my remarks. Certainly IMAGE and HUMAN NATURE relate directly to marketing activities. . .specifically as to marketing or selling our product, square dancing. We've got a great product to sell and, if we go about it in a thoughtful way, we can be very successful. Marketing can be defined as the business activity involved in the movement of goods or services from the producer to the consumer. It involves selling, advertising, and packaging of the product. . . the product here being square dancing. Since selling is involved, then people are involved; and people perceive and interpret images and, of course, people are human. . .last time I checked, anyway! Thus, it doesn't take any excessive brain power to figure out how the elements of IMAGE and HUMAN NATURE tie in. So we develop a plan...a marketing plan... which takes into account the effects of these two elements; and then we put it in front of the public, crying out in a loud voice thru our media resources, "Here we are! We're really wonderful, and you should BUY us!" . . . and we do this CONSTANTLY; not just occasionally during "National Square Dance Week" or at similar isolated times, CONSTANTLY ... THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE YEAR. . . we continue relentlessly to keep our product on the shelf and available to the public; packaged attractively by our careful consideration of the effects and impact of IMAGE and HUMAN NATURE. Some may disagree, but I think we do a lousy job of this. We are, in fact, somewhat of a SECRET SOCIETY. The public. . our potential consumers see us very infrequently. We may find this difficult to understand because we see ourselves all the time thru our activities and thru our publications and our other media resources. I had a recent conversation with some 'Fun Nite' dancers who had no idea of how widespread our activity was . . . of how many clubs and callers there were in the Northeast area. . that a dancer could find a place to square dance virtually every night of the year with few exceptions. They were amazed to learn that my own square dance booking calendar was nearly filled thru to 1990. Why do we keep such a good thing buried? You should be aware that there are some very positive steps now being taken to correct this. Thanks to the efforts of the New England CO-OP and their able Chairman, Ray Aubut, action is being taken to hire a professional promoter. . .a Marketing Expert, so-to-speak. In early August, a presentation was given by Len Murphy of Providence, which dealt with recruiting and publicity, and, in particular, telemarketing. Then too, we have the '800-NUMBER' program initiated by Ray & Carole thru the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine. Should we also be thinking about holding frequent summer club dances nutside, in shopping centers or malls, so that

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## Ask Dr. Allemander

- By Glenn lekter

Dear Dr. Allamander: As I travel around and listen to Square dancers talk, I keep hearing them mention such names as Ed Sarda and Niss Sorda. Also, in printed material, I have seen the name SDENE, which I find impossible to pronounce. My question is: Who are Ed and Niss Sarda? Are they a famous Square dance couple, a caller and cuer team or what? And what is that unpronounceable SDENE.

STANISLAW PRZYBLSKI, Otraquaga, NY

Dear Stan: Your confusion is understandable. What you must understand is that Square dancers love to form organizations almost as much as they love to dance. The names you hear are not those of people, they are regional associations of dancers. Thus, Ed Sarda is really EDSARDA, which stands for Eastern District Square and Round Dance Association.

SDFNE stands for Square Dance Foundation of New England, an organization that works at promoting and preserving Square dancing for us all. It is pronounced just like it's spelled.

Here is a partial list of associations a dancer can join:

HEAD SARDA (Happy Eaters and Dancers Square and Round Dance Association);

DOSADO 5ARDA (Deserted Old Sons and Daughters of Square and Round Dancers Association);

SIDE SARDA (Swinging in Delightful Evenings Square and Round Dance Association); EAT SARDA (Elegantly Attired Trenchermen's Square and Round Dance Association); and, finally, one that dances on the Florica beaches in the mid-day sun all winter — Tips at Noon Square and Round Dance Association, otherwise know as TAN SARDA.

By the way, do you pronounce Przyblski just like it's spelled?

(Dr. A.L. "Lefty" Allemander, Ph.D., gives advice to the dancelorn every month in this space, even when he's thinking about dancing on a Florida beach on the ides of March.)

Glenn ickler 150 Laurelwood Drive Hopedale, MA - 01747 The Northeast Square Dancer, March 1988

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we can get more exposure? I'm sure that business managers and store owners in these places would, in most cases, put the welcome mat out for us. . .perhaps even provide some of the refreshments. And we might even save some money on hall expenses. What about an extravaganza during the summer season; or late spring or early fall at a place like Faneuil Hall Market. Think of the exposure. Why not reinstitute the 'Pru Center' dances which were so successful in the past. But be attentive to IMAGE and HUMAN NATURE. Do it with class and good taste.

- The End -

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#### INTRO

1 - 4 (OFP WALL) WAIT; WAIT; TWIRL 2; WALK 2 (BLY WALL): (OFP Wall) Wast; Wait; 1-2 Walk Fwd L,-, R (W Twirl 2 RF),-; Walk Fwd L,-, R (Bfly Wall),-;

#### PART A

1 - 4 (BFLY) FC TO FC; BK TO BK; BASKETBALL TURN 4; 1-2 (Bfly) Sd L, CL R, Sd L trng to fc COH,-; Sd R, CL L, Sd R trng to fc LOD) .-;

3-4 Fwd L & ck trng RF. -. Rec R cont RF trn to end RLOD (W trn LF) .-:

Fwd L & ck trng RF,-, Rec R cont RF trn to end SC LOD,-; CIRCLE AWAY TWO 2-STEPS;; CROSS WALK TOG 4:; 5-6 Circle Away Fwd L, CL R, Fwd L,-: Fwd R,L,R (trn to-fc ptnr),-:

7-8 Fwd L,-, Fwd XR,-; Fwd L,-, Fwd XR,-; LACE ACROSS 2-STEP; FWD 2-STEP; LACE ACROSS 2-STEP; FWD 2-STEP; 9-10 Fwd L, CL R, Fwd L (W XIF of Man undr joined lead hands) . . ;

Fwd R. CL L, Fwd R,-; 11-12 Fwd L, CL R, Fwd L (W XIF M under M's R, W's L joined hands),-; Fwd R, CL L, Fwd R (SC LOD) .-;

13-16 DOUBLE HITCH;; (ESCORT) CROSS WALK 4;;
13-14 Fwd L, CL R, Bk L,-; Bk R, CL L, Fwd R,-;
15-16 (Escort) Fwd L,-, Fwd XR,-; Fwd L,-, Fwd XR (blend to CP Wall),-;

#### PART B

1 - 4 (CP WALL) SD,TCH,SD,TCH; SD 2-STEP; HITCH APT 3; SC 1-2 Sd 1, Tch R, Sd R, Tch L; Sd L, CL R, Sd L,-; 3-4 Bk R, CL L, Fwd R,-; Sd L, CL R, X thru L (Wall),-; SCIS THRU;

3-4 Bk R, CL L, Fwd R,-; Sd L, CL R, X thru L (Wall),-;

5-8 (CP WALL) SD, TCH, SD, TCH; SD 2-STEP; HITCH APT 3; SCIS THRU;

5-6 Sd R, Tch L, Sd L, Tch R; Sd R, CL L, Sd R,-;

7-8 Bk L, CL R, Fwd L,-; Sd R, CL L, X thru R (Wall),-;

9-12 (TRAVELING BOX) 1/2 BOX;; WALK 2 REV (RSC); 1/2 BOX; WALK 2 (SC LOD);

9-10 (CP Wall) Sd L, CL R, Fwd L,-; Fwd R (RLOD),-, Fwd L,-;

11-12 (CP Wall) Sd R, CL L, Bk R,-; (SCP) Fwd L (LOD),-, Fwd R,-;

13-16 TWO TURNING 2-STEPS;; TMIRL 2; WALK 2;

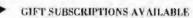
13-14 2 Trng 2-stps L,R,L,-; R,L,R (Wall),-;

15-16 Walk Fwd L,-, R (W Twirl 2 RF),-; Walk Fwd L,-, R (Bfly Wall),-;

#### TAG

1 - 4 (SC LOD) TWO FWD 2 STEPS; TWIRL 2; STEP APART, TAP; 1-2 (SC Lod) FWD L. CL R. FWD L.-; FWD R. CL L. FWD R.-; 3-4 Walk FWD L.-, R (W TWIRL 2 RF).-; Step Apt L.-. Tap R.-;

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To THE NORTHEAST SQUARE DANCER MAGAZINE

\* BIRTHDAYS \* ANNIVERSARIES \* CLUB GIFTS Again, because of the long lead-time, this article deals with an event that took place the two months ago

The First Ralph Page Legacy Weekend was held January 15-17, 1988, at the University of New Hampshire in Durham, New Hampshire. The Living tradition of square and contra dancing and the academic world met to honor Ralph Page and to document the oral traditions about him, and his life, from those who knew him; callers, dancers, friends and historians.

All dancing was done to live music and there were workshops for historians, musiclans, dancers and callers.

The four staff callers included Bob Dalsemer, Michael McKeruan, Ted Sannella and myself. Many other fine leaders were able to call in guest spots at the three social dances. The featured musicians were Pete Colby, April Limber, and Bob McQuillen (New England Tradition) and Laurie Andres and Rod Miller.

Dr. Alan Jabbour, Director of the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress, was the keynute spenker. He spoke on the importance of the academics and "devotees" of the folk traditions working together to preserve America's past dance and music customs as well as documenting the present on going revival of the traditional dance. He also played lead fiddle during a southern mountain dance.

My contribution at the weekend consisted of calling square dances and one of my contras which Raiph particularly liked and published in his last book. It was fun, but unusual for me, as I usually do a mix of English, Early American, contras and squares when I staff at weekend. Much of my material is belog drawn from my dance notes of 30 to 35 years ago.

Bob Datsemer led a discussion workshop titled Traditional? Or Not? and the dialogue was most interesting. Defining the modern traditional dance form took up a good part of the time at the workshop.

A more-or less complete definition of the Traditional Revival dance activity is; live music, phrased figures, street ciothes, no alcohol, no lessons and sociability (if I've left anything out, forgive me). Long time dancers will note that these are the same criteria that were in place 40 years ago.

There were three social dances held, Friday and Saturday nights and Sunday afternoon. Many appealing dances were presented, both contra and square, and one that I particularly liked was Michael McKernan's update of The Young Widow. Here's his dance.

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BRATTLEBORO QUICKSTEP
By: Michael McKernan
Formation: Triple proper contra
Music: 32-bar jig or reel

- At its down, turn alone; back and cast off.
- A2 6 balance forward and fell back; 6 circle to the Left half way (end with 2s and 3s facing each other up and down the set)
- B1 2s and 3s balance forward and fall back; 2s and 3s half Right and Left and full out to own side, proper.
- B2 is turn contra corners (Partner R, R opposite L, Partner R, L opposite L).

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Those of you that are fundiar with The Young Widow (Griffiths, 1788, Rhode Island) will immediately see the family resemblance. A well thought out dance that the dancers enjoyed.

After lunch on Sunday afterpoon there was a lively open discussion on several subjects. The problem of twirling came up (again) and many excellent statements were made from several points of view.

My own thoughts on the subject haven't changed over the years; twin all you want but do it in time to music, don't force another dancer to twin (you have no right to) and don't break the flow of the dance for one single other person in any set you're in. Really good dancers should have no problem with that.

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#### A REVIEW OF THE PLUS Q.S. SELECTIONS. . .

#### ROCK THE BOAT:

The newest Q.S. selection remains popular with the plus dancer. The call is easily learned and the dancers can be helped if necessary by "helping" words that are easily inserted into your calling. While the call can be easily directed without giving it a name it does provide some fun for the dancers. . Most will use the call from standard position but it is easily used D.B.D. as long as you work with the fan the top a bit from the desired wave. . .

I find it helpful to use the "SINGLE CIRCLE \$ INTO A FAN THE TOP alone as part of other choreography then when you use Rock The Boat the centers are set up to take advantage of the practice you provided in previous choreography. . .Let's look at a few ideas along this line. . .

#### SINGLE CIRCLE 1 TO A FAN THE TOP WITH FOUR BOYS/GIRLS:

HEADS STAR THRU & SPREAD...CIRCLE 8...BOYS SINGLE CIRCLE \( \) to a wave. FAN THE TOP, .EXTEND...BOYS RUN..STAR THRU..

PASS THRU..TRADE BY, .LEFT ALLE...

ZERO LINE. .PASS THRU. .WHEEL & DEAL. .DOUBLE PASS THRU. .
CENTERS IN. .CAST OFF 3/4. . .CIRCLE 8. .BOYS, .SINGLE CIRCLE ½ to a wave, ...
FAN THE TOP. .EXTEND. . .CENTERS TRADE. .SWING THRU. .BOYS RUN. .
PASS THRU. .WHEEL & DEAL. .SQUARE THRU 3/4. . .PASS THRU, .LEFT ALLE. . .

HEADS STAR THRU. .DOUBLE PASS THRU. .PEEL OFF. . . .CIRCLE 8. . GIRLS, ,SINGLE CIRCLE to a wave. . .FAN THE TOP. . .EXTEND. . . SPLIT CIRCULATE. .BOYS RUN. .PASS THRU, .WHEEL & DEAL, , DIXIE GRAND. . .LEFT ALLE. . .

SIDES } SASHAY...HEADS SQUARE THRU FOUR...SINGLE CIRCLE }...
to a wave...FAN THE TOP...GRAND SWING THRU..
CENTER FOUR...RECYCLE & SQUARE THRU FOUR...ENDS HINGE & THE GIRLS
U TURN BACK..PASS THRU..TRADE BY..LEFT ALLE...

NOW, LET'S USE THE VARIETY OF SINGLE CIRCLE TO A FAN ACTION IN THE ROCK THE BOAT.

ZERO BOX. . . SWING THRU. .BOYS RUN.. TAG THE LINE IN. . .
ROCK THE BOAT. .(helping words for the boys) BOYS RUN. . .
STAR THRU. .PASS THRU. .TRADE BY. .SQUARE THRU 3/4. . . LEFT ALLE. .

ZERO LINE, PASS THE OCEAN, GIRLS TRADE, GIRLS RUN. .
TAG THE LINE, IN. . . ROCK THE BOAT, .(helping words for the girls)
WALK & DODGE, PARTNER TRADE, .RIGHT & LEFT THRU. .
SPIN THE TOP, .EXTEND, ..GRAND RIGHT & LEFT. ..

#### Rock The Boat into a Grand Right & Left:

HEADS STAR THRU. . PASS THRU. . CIRCLE TO A LINE. . . RIGHT & LEFT THRU. . . PASS THRU U TURN BACK. , ROCK THE BOAT. . . GRAND RIGHT & LEFT. . .

ZERO LINE. .PASS THRU. .WHEEL & DEAL. .CTRS. . STEP TO A WAVE. ,
RECYCLE. .SQUARE THRU 3/4. . .CIRCLE TO A LINE. . ,
UP & BACK. . .ROLLAWAY } SASHAY. . .ROCK THE BOAT. .GRAND RT. & LEFT. .

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#### 9TH BERMUDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION

By Hank Katten



A FAMILY AFFAIR — Jim & Gerrie Purcell, left, founders and coordinators, have their picture snapped with other family members at the 9th Annual Bermuda Square & Round Dance Convention at the beautiful Sonesta Beach Hotel & Spa, majestically set on a 25-acre landscaped peninsula (Jan. 10-17, 1988). In center is Joshua Seaman, 12, a 7th grader at West Bridgewater, MA, Junior-Senior High School at right, Trina & Ernie Seaman, All played parts in putting the convention tagether. Jim, Gerrie, Trina & Ernie also participated in skits at the afterparty. The big 10th Bermuda Square & Round Dance Convention will be held Jan. 8-15, 1989 at the Sonesta.

Cloudy, rainy weather much of the week and a power disruption failed to dampen the spirits of the approximately 200 dancers who participated in the 9th Annual Bermuda Square and Round Dance Convention at the beautiful Sonesta Beach Hotel & Spa, majestically set on a 25-acre landscaped peninsula. (Jan. 10-17, 1988)

Leaving the freezing cold and snow on the U.S. mainland, the dancers were able to shed their heavy clothing upon their arrival in Bermuda and enjoy the warm 60-degree temperature which greeted them.

With the candle-lighting ceremony on opening night, symbolizing togetherness, spirit and friendship, dancers from 18 states and three provinces in Canada had themselves a fun-fitled time.

States represented were: Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maine, Maryland, California, Vermont, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, Ohio and Pennsylvania. Dancers came from the Canadian provinces of Alberta, Ontario and Prince Edward Island.

Square dance callers were Jim Purcell from Randolph, MA; Gary Brown from Akron, Ohio; Bob Silva from Peabody, MA; Carl Hanks from Wilkesbarre, PA and Tom Miller from Loretto, PA. Round dance cuers were: Richard & JoAnne Lawson from Birmingham, AL; Norma Silva, Peabody, MA and Betty Hanks from Wilkesbarre, PA.

The seven-day convention was held in cooperation with the Bermuda Department of Tourism and the Sonesta Beach Hotel & Spa and hosted by Bermuda's Mid-Ocean Promenaders Square Dance Club.

Jim Purcell, who founded this convention with his wife Gerrie, was at his Square-dance-calling best mixing humor and wit with his calls. He was also innovative and creative in his calls, making it fun for all the dancers. Once he had all boys in one Square and all girls in another Square, which turned into a fun time for all. And,

#### 9th BERMUDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CONVENTION (continued)

And, the other callers and cuers followed suit.

For the first time, two new, spacious halls with wood parquet flooring, the ballroom and the Hamilton Room, were used extensively for dancing.

Socials included a welcome champagne party the first evening, a rum swizzle hash Monday before dinner and a cocktail event Wedensday.

Special events included a style-sharing fashion show coordinated by Gene and Mary O'Connor of Weymouth, MA, a Square-dance demonstration in St. George's Square, dancers' birthday and anniversary celebration complete with a large cake with various miniature figures on it, and a fun afterparty drawing laughs galore.

Mary O'Connor was the commentator for the fashion show of men's and women's Square and Round dance clothes. Norma Silva and Gene O'Connor combined with a humorous walk-on and so did Shirley Dlugosh of Rockaway, NJ, who caught the eyes of the men in the crowd with hers.

A walking tour kicked off the activities at St. George's the 375-year-old former capital with its 17th century architecture and narrow lanes, on Wednesday. Fred Roberts, deputy mayor wearing his chain of office around his neck, welcomed the Square dancers at Town Hall, with punch being served.

Town Crief Bob Burns led the activities at the wood stockade, the gun ceremony and the famous dunking of the wench. In between, the Square dancers did their thing to the calls of Tom Miller and Gary Brown with many spectators looking on underwarm, sunny skies.

Jim Bachman of Westhampton, NY, caller/cuer, and Bill Callahan of Vernon River, Prince Edward Island, Canada, a caller, performed at the informal Guest callers' event in the ballroom Wednesday night.

Guest appearances were also made by Jeremy Durrell and Ron Boys, callers for the Bermuda Square dancers, on Tuesday night.

There were levels of dancing for all. For the Square dancers, there was mainstream plus, advanced one and two and challenge one while the Round dancers had easy, easy-intermediate and advanced to select from.

Workshops were held in the morning and dances at night. Afternoons were set aside for shopping, sight-seeing and other relaxed activities, including golf, tennis, swimming and the world class European Health Spa at the Sonesta.

Round dance exhibitions by Bob and Norma Silva, wearing coordinating black and white outfits, Richard E JoAnne Lawson, in formal wear, and Jim & Helen Dunlop drew strong appliause.

New York's Seaside Swingers and the Hix  $\epsilon$  Chix of New Jersey were awarded banners.

The hilarious afterparty featured Tom Miller singing two favorites, Bob Silva doing a Tiny Tim Special, and skits called "The Horse Race", "The Submarine" and "School Days". A soft-shoe routine by Mary & Gene O'Connor was the finale.

Dancers came from all walks of life and had a wonderful time in Bermuda. The 10th Bermuda Square & Round Dance Convention will be held in June of "89".

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The International Association of Square Dance Callers

Decko Deck, Chairman of the Mainstream Quarterly Selection Committee, announces that "RETAIN YOUR LANE" is the Mainstream Quarterly Selection for the period beginning January 1, 1988.

#### **RETAIN YOUR LANE**

Starting formation(s): Parallel two faced lines or parallel ocean waves. Timing 8-10

Ends Circulate twice (two positions) as the Centers Hinge. The very Centers Trade to Cast Off 3/4's with the awaiting Ends. Note from author: "May be used from 3 & 1 times. In such instances, the Hinge is danced as a "Partner Hinge"."

Ending formation(s): Two faced lines end in two faced lines; ocean waves end in ocean waves.

Teaching Tips: With the exception of the first half turn, the traffic pattern is very similar to the call "Spin Chain Thru - Ends Circulate Twice".

Zero Module Example:

From Zero Box to Zero Line: Swing Thru, Boys Run RETAIN YOUR LANE, Couples Circulate, Bend The Line, Star Thru, Pass Thru, Trade By, Star Thru. Zero Box to Zero Box Swing Thru, RETAIN YOUR LANE All 8 Circulate, Boys Run, Ferris Wheel Centers Star Thru and Back Away, Others Lead to the Right.

Singing Call Example: Heads (sds) Square Thru - Dosado to an Ocean Wave - RETAIN YOUR LANE - Right and Left Thru - Swing Thru Turn Thru, Corner Swing - Promenade.

By vote (keep/drop) of the full membership of CALLERLAB, <u>CONNECT FOUR</u> has been dropped from the Mainstream Quarterly Selection list.

The only current Mainstream Quarterly Selection is RETAIN YOUR LANE.

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Pete Diven, Vice Chairman of the CALLERLAB Round Dance Committee, is pleased to announce that the Round of the Quarter for the 1st Quarter of 1988 is <u>AINT SHE SWEET</u>, MGR 034.

Previous selections for 1987 are as follows:

Kewpie Doll - TNT 252	1st Quarter 1987
Wonderful One - MCR 024 (Old HH 848 & HII 914)	2nd Quarter 1987
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Sam's Song - MCR 020 (Old MacGregor 5020 & 8945)	3rd Quarter 1987

CALLERIAB hopes that most clubs will use these selections in their dance programs. Squares and Rounds do belong together and CALLERIAB encourages full participation in the Round Dance Program.

Note: Cue sheets are available by request from the CALLERLAB Home Office.

Ken Ritucci, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Plus Quarterly Selection Committee, announces that the results of the PQS Keep/Drop Ballot voted upon by the full membership was to drop COMPRESS TO A COLUMN affective immediately.

Ken Ritucci, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Plus Quarterly Selection Committee, is pleased to announce that "CROSS THE OCEAN" has been selected as the Plus Ovarterly Selection for the period beginning February 1, 1988.

#### CROSS THE OCEAN - Larry Letson, Author

Starting Formation: From Facing Couples (assume normal couples for ease of

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description), women diagonally pass right shoulders and then face right to become ends of right hand waves. As soon as the women clear the center, the men diagonally start to pass left shoulders, but when they meet, they join lefts and single hinge to become centers of the final waves. Timing: 4-6 beats

#### Examples:

From Lines Facing: Right & Left Thru. . . Ladies lead - CROSS THE OCEAN. . . lends with right hand waves with boys in the center and girls on the end.)

Heads half square thru. . . Slide Thru. . . Right and Left Thru. . . Dixie Style to a Wave ... Men Trade. . Left Swing Thru. . Single Hinge. . . Women Run. . . CROSS THE QCEAN . . . Men Run. . . Couples Circulate. . . Half Tag the Line. . . Men Run. . . Left Allemande!

Heads Lead Right. . . Circle to a Line. . Right & Left Thru. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CROSS THE OCEAN ... Right and Left Grand!

SINGING CALL FIGURE

Heads Square Thru. . . Dosado. . . Swing Thru. . . Men Trade. . . Men Run. . . Bend the Line. . Right & Left Thru. . . CROSS THE OCEAN. . . Scoot Back. . . Swing Corner ...Promenade...Add 16 beat tag.

The current Plus Quarterly Selection calls are:

Scoot and Relocate

Rock The Boat

Cross The Ocean

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Sun. 10 - Lake Shore Farm, Northwood, NH Mainstream

Fri. 15 - Acton Square Wheelers, Acton, MA Plus

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#### SQUARE WHEELERS

ACTON, MA. . . By El and Doris Pillsbury. . . No major Square Wheeler events to report this month. In fact, the weather even forced school closings, and hence cancellation of two of our regularly scheduled activities annual Valentine Ball and one class session.

A group of us attended the second anniversary celebration of Shawn Cuddy's club, the Squares in Motion. Had a delightful time dancing to the calling and cueing of Shawn and Ralph Collipi. The refreshment table - no point in

describing it because you wouldn't believe it if you hadn't been there. Another group of us enjoyed a dance with Tom Rinker and Jo Yakimowski at the Tech Squares.

By the time you're reading this, the Square Wheelers' annual Scholarship Ball will be history. On the basis of past performances, and of the enthusiastic chairmanship of Larry and Betty Vilguain, we're forecasting a howling success. That success is further insured by the calling of Jim Pulaski and the cueing of Leo Mathieu. We'll tell you all about it in the next issue.



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with extra rounds until Ed arrived. He was set up and calling his first Square Dance in several months by 8:30. We and our guests went on to a delightful evening of square and round dancing. As a bonus, Ed's lovely bride Corrine joined him in duet for several singing calls. We were so pleased (and grateful) that when a calling vacancy hit our schedule for a date next fall, we signed Ed Renauld right up. We're looking forward to having the Renaulds back with us and we recommend them to your club.



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The meal will be followed by popular music for your dancing pleasure, supplied by James Rich. The cost per person is \$20.00, \$40 a couple.

The club is actively trying to locate former members that may want to renew old acquaintances and join the existing members in this celebration. Letters have been sent out but your address may have changed from our old mailing list. If you are interested in joining us, call our party chairman, Gus Morrill on 388-0439. We look forward to seeing you at this party.

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In January our club was well represented at the Snow Flake Ball. We received a courtesy banner, had a great time dancing to Bill Bean, seeing old friends again, and meeting many

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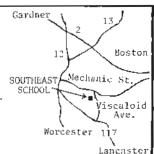
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Sonnet on a Ronnet. Our Easter Bonnet Parade comes in April. with it, you guys. Let's see if we can top last year's stellar performance, It is good for one to be able to laugh at one's self.

Encouraged by the success of our Friday Nite Special Dances, we are planning another in April.

Don't tell a soul. This is top secret stuff. We have an excellent nominee for the coming presidential election. (Scrambled Eights, not U.S.) Hint Hint: He/she will be a most popular choice and the name is suggestive of bulging biceps.

If you haven't already done so, be sure to read two thought-provoking editorials in the March issue of The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine. One is by Ray Aubut and the other by Bob Osgood. After reading these two articles, I would heartily say Amen

Drop in and say hello to John Mandigo at the weekly Workshops. John, a charter member of our club, is hosting these dances for the third successive year. John doesn't just sit there. He is observant, knows his square dancing and will trouble-shoot problems in a square that may need special attention.

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#### SQUARE SHOOTERS

WEST BOYLSTON. . . By Phyllis. · .We (Fife) Nelson. were contemplating cancelling our December dance due to the fact that it was the night after Christmas. However, we thought that everyone would be so tired from Xmas shopping; Xmas parties, etc., that they would be ready to go square dancing to relax and enjoy themselves. It was a howling success with sixteen squares being represented by eighteen clubs, some from far away places, that came to dance to Jim Pulaski with Sandi Simmons cueing.

Although we have had a good dance record, the members have decided to discontinue the Square Shooters Square Dance Club after our last dance on April 30, 1988. (See our "ad" in the Caller.)

We have been unsuccessful the last three years in recruiting beginners and the club has become too much of a responsibility for 5 or 6 couples to handle any longer.

As of this writing I will not be able

to report the results of our Beginners dance in February or our 9th Anniversary dance in March. We didn't quite make 10 years — but we tried!

Our club members would like to thank our many square and round dance friends for their support, and for the co-operation received from the many callers and cuers that made our dances so successful. Also, Carole Aubut for being so helpful in answering our many requests and questions.

I, personally, would like to thank all the club members that worked so diligently in order to keep our club in existance. They deserve a medal!

Our club members have met so many square and round dance friends at our dances and other dances that I am sure that we will miss them all, but I also feel that we will all keep dancing. So-see you in a square somewhere—.

You have no doubt noticed my name change so I thought I'd let you know that the big event was in January. It's Great!

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Thanks go to the Crugnolas, Dance Chairpersons, the Porters, Refreshments, the volunteers and the club ladies' tasty 'Vittles'. We thank Ruth Sheafe for her handmade valentine teddy bear

door prize.

The Scheafes, Steinbergs, Shirley Lurie and Jack Bates joined others as Jane Carlson, caller, presented a valentine demo to the Hebrew Rehabilitation Center, Roslindale, Feb. 17th. Thanks to you all.

Our active class is dancing away from home regularly! Now comes Graduation and the NE Convention. In such a short time the fledglings have become accomplished dancers, thanks to Mil Dixon, class teacher and caller.

Kudos to Irene and Charlie Schwab for their love of Square Dancing and their all-around club spirit. Among other things, they are the club contact with the Sacred Heart Church, our monthly dance location, and are our super volunteers in any club activity!

Jim Purcell and club cuer Jo Yakimowski, are the guests for our April Fools dance — see our Square Dancer ad.

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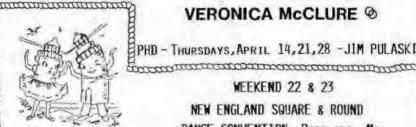
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3 Swingles, C, Roger/J, Carignan, Ma.S & R/D Ctr., Willimansett

- 8 Happy Squares, MS, Jerry Benoit/G, King, 1st Cong. Ch., Rte. 141 & 10 Easthampton Wilbraham Wheel-C, MS, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr., Main St., Wilb
- 9 Dancing Shadows, G, Buddy Dow/Daviaus, St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley, MA Hampden Prom., 2, Cliff Nadeau/Landry, Greenleaf Comm. Ctr., Parker St., Spfd Vagabonds, W, Lou Taddia/Gene King, Ma. 5 & R/D Ctr., Williamsett
- 15 Rainbow Strollers, G, Lou Taddia, JFK Jr. High, Raffia Rd., Enfield, CT Swingles, G, Jerry Benoit/Benoit, K or C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West. Springfield Whip City Whirler, M, John Martin, Sons of Erin, Williams St., Westfield

16 Chic-Mates, G, Ed Blain/Benoit, Ma S & R/D Ctr., Willimansett Hampden Prom., G, Buddy Dow/Meyer, Greenleaf Comm. Ctr., Main St., Wilbrah

17 Allemande 8's, G, Dan Guin, Ma S & R/D Ctr., Willimansett

- 22 Happy Squares, C, Jerry Benoit, 1st Cong. Ch., Rte, 10 & 141, Easthampton Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard & Bob Turnbull/Roys, Mile Tree Sen. Ctr., Main St., Wilbraham
- 23 Hampden Prom., 2, TBA/ C. Landry, Greenleaf Comm.Ctr., Parker St., Spfld.

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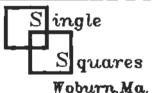
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9 Farmington Valley, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Will Larsen/Taravella, Plus Lads & Lassies, Lillie B. Haynes Sch, E.Lyme, Joe Gaskill/Liz Underwood Vagabonds, MA, S & R/D Ctr, Chicopee, MA, Lou Taddia/King, Grad

10 Ledyard Sqs, Ledyard Jr High, Rt 12, Ledyard, Brodeur & Zeno/Cochran, Spring Fling. Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch, Rt 10, Cheshire, D. Barone/Kendalls

14 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Ted Perkins/Dolly Cochran

15 Pequot Ramblers, Uncasville Sch, Uncasville, Jim Harris/Dolly Windham Whirlers, Sweeney Sch, Willimantic, Del Barone/Howard & Jan, Grad Rainbow Strollers, JFK Sch, Enfield, Lov Taddia, Grad

17 Cheshire Cats, Highland Sch, Rt 10, Cheshire, R. McLean/Roraback

21 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Earl Johnston/Dolly Cochran 23 Farmington Valley, Henry James Sch, Simsbury, Bruce Busch/Taravella, Plus

28 Ledyard Sqs, Juliet Long Sch, Rt 12, Gales Ferry, Ed Rutty/Dolly Cochran

29 Temple Sweethearts, Green Acres Sch, Upper State St, N. Haven, Ed Joyner/Dick Scanlon

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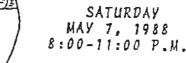
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Heel & Toe has 3 events to look forward to this month. Our month starts off with AMATEUR NIGHT with amateur callers and cuers doing their best to give you an enjoyable evening. Following this is our class graduation. We invite you to join us in welcoming class members into the wild, wonderful and wacky world of Square Dancing. To wind up the club events the month we'll be having a level dance with mainstream delightful team of Bill and Carol McGee. For further details see our ad.

Last but certainly not least on events for the month is CONVENTION. We're hoping to see many of our square dancing friends there. For those who have not been to convention yet - TRY IT. YOU'LL LIKE IT. There is enough variety so there is something for everyone to enjoy.

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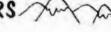
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LITTLETON, NH. . .By Red & Eleanor Thompson. . .We are newly appointed correspondents. It is a new "Ball Game" for us, so please bear with us.

First of all, we would like to announce the arrival of a new "Officer in Charge", Young Nathaniel Brian Hanson arrived on February 9th. Our president couple, Brian and Pam Hanson, are the proud parents. This is a first for our club, Congratulations to Brian and Pam!

We had a very successful banner raid to Newporl, VT on February 6th. We brought the North Country Swingers traveling emblem back with us. Fifteen couples attended this live music dance with Al Monty Calling.

On February 18th, we held a pot luck supper before our regular class session. As usual, bur cooks outdid themselves and a great meal was the result. Eating is one thing we do well!

We are saddened at the announcement from our teacher caller, Eldon Taylor, that he has been transferred to another area in his employment. He has served us well, and we wish him success with his new position.

Until next month, Happy Dancing!

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February was a time for a sleigh ride. The weather even accommodated us with snow. Was it fun!? Ask anyone, they'll tell you!! Fun Badge night with Jackie Schleigh and believe it not some very different fun badges devised by our members - ship chairperson Jerry and Linda Lowes and their committee. Great Job!

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dances on a weekend.) Several callers have commended the class and their teacher on their dancing. "Thanks, Charlie" (McLeod) our club caller. This class consists of 6 adults and 5 teens who really have a great time dancing together. They are proof that Square Dancing can be fun for all ages. Keep dancing and have fun! Hope to see some of you at Convention in April!



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As a matter of interest, all dances in Keene from now on will be Plus level unless otherwise stated. We feel that the level of dancing that we've been seeing is certainly capable of plus dances.

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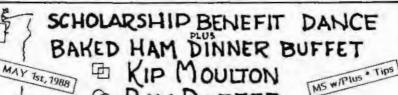
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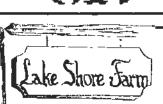
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If you're trying for economy you use a street-length raincoat that you already have and carry your petticoat in a plastic hag. If you don't sew, you check out the shops at the N. E. Square and Round Dance Convention. (I hope Fann Burrus will have her things there again this year for she had some fine cover-ups there last year.) I don't remember seeing coats or capes at the other shops, but I could have missed them. Be sure to look. If you sew, there are two good coat patterns to choose from: The Daisy-Q #501 from Fann Burrus and the Authentic Pattern #282. Both of these coats have circle skirts and feature the raglan sleeves for easy fit over the shoulders. From there they differ in several ways:

Daisy-Q #501 features a hood and the coat itself is princess style which means, there is no waistline seam; in other vexds the coat is made from four pattern pieces, each piece including part of the bodice and one guarter of the skirt. This is very easy to put together and the instructions are clear and easy to follow. There is no arrangement for front fastening except the tie belt and one button, so if you feel the need for more you could plan to set in a zipper or use some Velcro. This coat makes up very nicely as a reversible, which means you would purchase two coats, in enough material for compatible contrasting colors. Another advantage of the reversible coat is extra warmth and windproofing. Try to get a good water-resisting fabric. This coat and hood requires about 4 and one quarter yards of 44" material for one thickness for medium size. It is multi-sized: X5, 5, M or M, L, XL, and costs \$4.00.



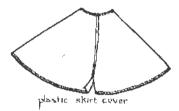
Authentic #282 is also multi-sized, so includes S- M- L in one package and costs \$4.50. This coat has a very full 4-gore circle skirt and elasticized waistline with a tie belt. It features a collar and a button-down front and requires 5 and three eighths yards of fabric for the medium size. Keep in mind water-proof or water-resistant fabric so that it will be truly useful to you. This pattern also has good clear instructions and it will be worth your while to read them through before you begin so that you will have a clear understanding of what you are going to do. Please take your pattern with you when you go to buy your material and incidentals. You can get better help from the salesperson if you do.

You may have some trouble finding waterproof or water-resistant fabric, so go to the largest fabric store that you can find, and if you haven't one near by use your telephone first. A fabric store called FABRIC PLACE has a very large assortment,

### Needle Notes (Commund)

so if you live near Woburn, MA, Framingham, MA, or Warwick, RI, you might have luck there. You can order MACHO, a water-repellent, wrinkle-resistant polyester/cotton blend from Altra, Dept. SN, 100 E. Washington Street, New Richmond, IN 47967. Ask for their free catalog. They also have rain coat kits. Also write to Frostline, Dept-SN, 2501 Frostline Ave., Grand Junction, CO 81505. To obtain their free catalog which contains two kinds of waterproof urethane-coated nylon for rainwear. They also offer some kits.

Should you want to make something simpler than a cost to protect the skirt of your dress, try this: Make a circle skirt of clear plastic, not too thin, not too thick.



Follow the instructions on page 20 of Needle Notes, Vol. I, except for placing the pattern on a fold - Cut the plastic instead of folding it so that you will have 4 quarter circles to make your skirt. Sew one quarter circle onto another, so that you will have two half circles free from each other. Make your seams by laying one edge over another about one half inch. Use a basting stitch to stitch this flat seam or use a zig-zag stitch that is large, and use a strong thread. Tie off all threads securely. Now you have two half

circles. With the help of a friend, hold these two pieces to your waist and find out how much leeway you have for these remaining seams. You will plan to stitch up one remaining seam which will be the back seam, and the front seam will still be open. If you have planned enough over-lap, you can open and close the front with Velcro; if you haven't enough over-lap, use a jacket or cost zipper that opens at each end. If you have planned the fit at your waist well, you won't even need a waistband. For a nice finished look, I would suggest trimming the waist and bottom edge with bias binding in a dark color which will hopefully match the zipper or Velcro, and will protect you and your stockings from the sharp plastic edge.

Q. E. D.

See you at the Convention!

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Ray & Carole, Editors



### THE SQUARE RIGGERS

Square Dance Club Natick/Wellesley, MA

Dear Fellow Square Dancers;

It's official! There will be a Square Dance at City Hall Plaza in Boston as we had hoped. (See January issue)

The event will be held on Sunday afternoon, September 11, 1988 during National Square Dance Month.

The City of Boston through its Director of Ausiness and Cultural Affairs is happy to have us hold the event. They have graciously agreed to provide the place, a manned professional sound system, and all of the necessary security at no expense to us.

The Square Riggers' role will be only that of a catalyst to make this all happen. We have envisioned a committee made up of representatives from SEMCA, NSSARDA, WACA, WMSARDA, EDSARDA, NECCA, NECORTA, THE SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION OF NEW ENGLAND, THE NORTHEAST SQUARE DANCER MAGAZINE and other interested groups to plan, organize, publicize and carry out the event.

We hope that hundreds of dancers from most if not all of New England will participate. Suggestions have included square dancing at several levels, round dancing, clogging and possibly demonstrations by special groups.

If you haven't already contacted us, please do so soon giving us the name, address and phone number of your club or organization's representative.

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

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The regular program starts off at high noon on Friday at the civic center in Portland. We'll dance until 11:00 that night at the civic center and other halls around Portland.

Saturday we start dancing at 6:00 AM! That's right, 6 AM! The Jack Barry Memorial Sunrise Dance will start at that time at the Spring Point Light in South Portland. Just follow the signs to the Fashion Show. We will dance for one hour (and earn a special badge), then go to the Sunrise Breakfast in the cafeteria at S.M.V.T.I. The breakfast is being presented by the Sanford/Springvale Fish & Game Association, and will cost \$3.00 per person. The menu will be scrambled eggs, bacon, toast, coffee or tea, and orange juice. Come join us for this special tribute to our late Special Events Chairman: Jack Barry!

The Fashion Show will be at 10:00 AM at the S.M.V.T.I. Gym. Last year's show was fantastic, and this year's show promises to be just as good! Last year seating was limited, but this year the demand for tickets has been so brisk that there will be unlimited seating! This year's entertainment will be by an "award winning" group.

The Special Events program, starting at 5:00 at the civic center, will include a special demonstration of Square and Round Dancing and Clogging. Representatives of these three dances will perform to the same piece of music at the same time. Should be interesting.

Then come the after parties!

Teens: Friday night in the "Green Room" at the Sonesta Hotel, 11-1:00 AM.

This will be a 50's sock hop with poodle skirts, bobby sox, etc.!

Singles: Friday night at the University of Southern Maine Gym, with Skip Brown

emceeing.

Campers: Saturday night at Wassamki Springs Campground! Callers Needed!

Registrations have been rushing in! It looks like we may exceed last year's total. Don't miss out on attending the biggest party we've seen for a long time! Mail your registration today!

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Easter officially sually, welcomes Springtime. This year it falls early in April so we will really have to think SPRING to make it happen. So let's get the Easter Eggs ready and look for our early Spring Flowers and maybe we can make Spring appear.

I have been told that if you soak your flower seeds for a couple of days in tap water before planting them they will come up in 3 or 4 days. I must try this,

When giving your house plants a Spring treatment, plastic bags come in handy. Use a plastic bag when you want to mix a small portion of soil and fertilizer for your flower pots. Add soil and fertilizer, secure the bag and shake well. It not only mixes well but you have no mess.

I have a few recipes that may make l'aster Dinner a joy.

#### Glazed Ham

I precooked canned ham Pincapple rings

cup wine vinegar cup dry red wine

or fruit juice

from canned fruit. a cup brown sugar

Isp. pepper I tsp. cloves

I Tosp. Worcestershire sauce

1 tsp. each dry mustard and ginger

Decorate ham with pineapple and ingredients Mix remaining cherries. together. Brush on ham. Bake 3500-4000 basting frequently. oven, for 15 minutes to one hour.

#### Easter Egg Dessert

1 toaf angel food cake 1 package instant lemon pudding mix

1 % oz. pkg. low-calorie cream cheese, Food coloring (optional)

Shape cake in oval to resemble egg balf. Prepare pudding mix according package directions, using only Beat in cream the amount of milk.



cheese. Add food coloring. Frost cake with cream cheese mixture. Refrigerate until frosting is set. Decorate as Easter Egg with frosting, jelly beans, cheeries, and Spring flowers or softened cream cheese.

#### Easter Fluff

box lemon Jell-O

13/4 cup hot water I cup sugar

a cup lemon juice

I can evaporated milk, chilled

I box grahem crackers or vanilla wafers, crushed

Disolve Jell-O in hot water; chill until slightly thickened. Heat Jell-O until fluffy; beat in sugar and lemon juice. Whip milk. Add Jell-O mixture; beat until stiff. Pour into bowl lined with graham cracker crumbs; chill until ready to serve. Serves 8.

#### Late Comer

I never see a robin - first of all, Never the first to hear a peeper's call. I never spot the first sweet doffodil, Never see forsythia's first pale frill. I'm always last to find the first morel, To see the willow buds begin to swell, But Spring is in my heart before these things.

In March, my spirit sprouts its first Spring wings.

#### Easter Bonnet

Sing a song of Easter Joy, A gladsome Springtime sonnet. Robins built a cozy nest in Mama's Easter bonnet.

Papa chuckled at the news And Said, "In other words, it proves That Mama's hats are really for the birds."

Till next month,



Carole Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer April 1988



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#### **CLOGGING AT THE CONVENTION**

It's been seven years since clogging was first introduced at the New England Square Dance Convention and this folk dance has not yet been made a permanent part of the convention. The decision as to how much clogging, if any, will be programmed is more or less established by the host state. Every two years, when the convention is moved to a new location, this decision comes up for review. We have had two host states which have encouraged and supported to the utmost this additional activity at the convention, and their efforts have been greatly appreciated by convention-goers.

As probably many dance movements would like to achieve, cloggers would like to also have their own regional convention. This takes a great deal of capital to initiate, and as any committee chairman can tell you, it is a mammoth undertaking. Cloggers do have a national clogging convention held every year over the Thanksgiving holidays and approximately 3000–4000 cloggers attend. These numbers are small when compared even to our own NESRDC when at least twice as many dancers are in attendance. The NESRDC offers a wonderful dancing opportunity for the clug dance activity, and many other smaller folk dance movements that could not otherwise have this experience.

Plans have been finalized for the clogging programming in Portland and we again will be dancing at St. Patrick's Church hall. Introduction to Clogging clinics have been scheduled for 10 A.M. Saturday morning, taught by me; and 2 P.M. Saturday afternoon, taught by Harry Kilbride.

Dancing commences at 8 P.M. Friday evening until 11 P.M. and 10 A.M. $\pm$ 3 P.M. Saturday and 8 P.M.  $\pm$  11 P.M. Saturday evening.

Last year there was one clogging show held as part of the Special Events program at the Civic Center at 5 P.M. Due to popular demand from the convention-goers, there will now be two shows. The first one will be at 5:00 and the second to close out the program which runs from 5:00—7:00.

We look forward to seeing many of our dancing friends in Portland. It promises to be a great convention.

Sharon Hamson The Northeast Square Dancer, April 1988

## Singletons Hitching Post

Hi! Just some last minute reminders for the Convention:

ALLEMANDE LEFT to our <u>Solo Table</u> for information and flyers (in the Civic Center). Single Round dancer ID available here.

DO-\$1-DO to the <u>Hospitality Room</u> at the Civic Center (behind the stage) Friday and Saturday for special treats.

PROMENADE to the After-Party Friday at the USM gym in Portland 11:30 - 1AM. Don't miss the special drawing!!

HAVE A WONDERFUL TIME AT THE 30th CONVENTION! WE'LL BE EXPECTING YOU!!!

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ROUNDALAB, in conjunction with the National Executive Committee of the National Square Dance Convention, presented three seminor/clinics at the National Square Dance Convention held in Houston, TX. Each one was very informative and well attended,

On Thursday Ted & Barbara May (LA) covered "Cueing Guidelines as recommended by ROUNDALAB". "Teaching Progression, as recommended by ROUNDALAB" was the topic discussed by Ray & Anne Brown (CO/AZ) on Friday. After the attendees had viewed partions of the Phase I thru VI ROUNDALAB Video Topes at the Saturday session. Pete & Don Hickman (TX), led a discussion on their value and use.

ROUNDALAB will also present three two-hour programs at the 37th National Square Dance Convention in Anaheim, CA. The daily presentations will be from 11 AM to 1 PM in the MARRIOTT Hotel. On Thursday, Ray & Jean Hanna along with Gene Brakeman (both from CA) will discuss the "Operation and Care of Sound Systems, Including Microphones, for Round Dancing". "Cue Sheet Reading for Dancers and Teachers" will be the topic covered by Harmon & Betty Jorritsma (CA) on Friday. Bill & Helen Stairwalt (TX,IL) will discuss "Teaching Progression of Family Figures from Phase to Phase and within Phase II, III & IV on Salurday. Handouts will be available at all sessions. Betty & Clancy Mueller of New Whiteland, IN are Chairmen of the Committee making the arrangements for these programs.

Both duncers and teachers are encouraged and welcome to come and participate in the seminars. The location of these informative sessions will be found in the NSDC Convention Book.

At the Eleventh Annual ROUNDALAB Convention in Houston, TX a certificate was presented to Rounie & Rod Fontaine (MS) who had completed their tenth year of teaching round dancing in 1987.

Ralph/Joan Callipi, Jim/Barbara Connelly, Bill/Elaine Funk, Ron & Vivian Grendell, Roland/Betty Hill, and Leonard/Nancy Seeley received certificates and small ribbon plaques for reaching their 15th year of teaching round dancing. Larger ribbon plaques and certificates were given to Charlie/Edith Capon, Jerry/Barbara Pierce and Harold/Lorraine Roy who had reached their 20th year of teaching round dancing.

Maestra trophies for teaching 25 years were awarded to Jules/Rosalina Boudreaux, Irv/Betty Easterday, Don/Pete Hickman, Ed/Carolyn Raybuck, Art/Olive Waker and John/Wanda Winter. Maestro trophies for teaching over 25 years were distributed to Ed/Arline Carter (26 years), Ted/Jean Lewis (27 years), Lee/Nuncy MacKay (27 years), Eddie/Esther East (29 years), Corky/Paulette Pell (32 years) & Manning/Nita Smith (39 years).

Viotor awards, given to a member residing outside the continental forty eight United States the first time they attend a ROUNDALAB Convention were presented to Canadians Ted/Jean Lewis, Gordon/Anita Newell & Art/Olive Waker. Gene/Florene Hinsley from Alaska, John/Bertha Stallard from New Zealand & Leo Thomas from Saudi Arabia were also recognized with Viotor Awards.

The first Silver Halo Award, honoring those persons who have autstandingly contributed to the round and square dance movement in a manner which is special and unique, was given to Manning & Nito Smith.

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### Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

#### SOME THOUGHTS ON ROUNDS AT SQUARE DANCES

This column is written partly at the request of ACCORD (Area Coordinating Council of Round Dancing — the round dance leaders association of the North Shore and New Hampshire with additional members from Maine and Vermont) and partly because I share strong feelings about the topic.

The topic came up at a recent ACCORD meeting when several cuers reported that dencers told them about Saturday night square dances where the cuer refused to play easier rounds because "his dancers" were there and they wanted harder dances. There was a lively discussion resulting in a very strong consensus about these points:

- A variety of rounds should be played, including easier dances for beginning round dancers.
- Even if a cuer does have a "following" in attendance at a particular dance, she/he
  must program rounds for everyone at the dance, including those who do not attend
  his workshop.
- Cuers have a professional responsibility to program dances which will both provide variety and keep a majority of the dancers dancing, even if club officers are not round dancers and therefore not fully aware of the ins and outs of round dance programming.

This last point may be tricky for sometimes clubs do not have a clear-cut round dance policy or perhaps a few eager round dancers request dances not known by the majority. The cuer must listen to everyone and still produce a balanced program. Some of the thoughts and ideas about how to do that included choosing the first rounds of the evening carefully to get a feel for what the floor can do and using good judgment from that observation, even if it means changing the dances the cuer had in mind or not playing all the favorites of dancers from the cuer's workshop who might be there. Including some of the classics (Round Dancer, Roundalab, and New England lists) and easy dances for beginners will usually ensure something for almost everyone. The cuer may ask for requests or chat with individual dancers to see what they and others are dancing.

The ACCORD discussion emphasized that cuers should not program exclusively for dancers from their own workshops, particularly if these dancers are dancing intermediate or more difficult dances. Newer dancers, occasional dancers, and those who do not attend round dance workshops regularly are entitled to dances they can do too and must be included in the programming. Round dancers who want only intermediate and higher level dances must recognize that this is seldom appropriate for a club level square dance. They should go to round dance parties for such programs. More difficult dances can be included in a square dance program, but the cuer must use good judgment and discretion to make sure that the balance of the program is not tipped too heavily in their favor. Cuers can help all dancers understand what is appropriate by good example in their programming and by brief discussions with their round dance workshop participants and square dance club officers.

Personally, I am disturbed that some cuer(s) are talking about "their" dancers. I worry that when callers or cuers talk about "their" dancers, they may (perhaps unintentionally) be promoting a view that dancers "belong" to a particular caller or cuer. I feel that no one "owns" dancers and that the best situation for the square and round dance world is for dancers to have strong loyalties to one or two square or round dance groups and freely visit others depending upon the time available to do so. Think of the difference between saying "I belong to such-and-such a club" rather than "I belong to so-and-so (insert a caller or cuer's name)" and you may get an idea of the difference I am trying to emphasize.

So, on behalf of ACCORD and myself, here's hoping this column will promote just what its title says, musings — in particular how rounds are programmed at club level square dances and about how dancers, callers, cuers, and groups interact, so that we can improve our self-image and our activity. As always, your comments are welcome. Happy Dancing,

Veronica Ann McClure

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### Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

Exercise can make a remarkable difference in your life and it's never too late to start. In today's fitness-consciousness, most of us are aware of the immediate and long term benefits of oxercise. Not only does exercise increase physical litness, it can also boost mental functioning. Brain wave patterns of older adults shows that physically fit people have a greater level of brain activity compared to their sedentary counterparts. In the aging process growing old is accompanied by a gradual decline of the central nervous system. Intellect, memory, attention and perception begin to decline and reaction times slow. Some of these problems have been identified as being due to a decrease in the amount of oxygen delivered to the brain. Partially at fault may be the hardening of the arteries and the resulting narrowing of the vessels that carry oxygen rich blood to the brain. However, an inability to efficiently transport and utilize oxygen resulting from a physically inactive lifestyle may also be to blame. The type of exercise also can be a factor. Subjects participating in aerobic activities, fast walking, dancing and some slow jogging improve significantly over those who do strength and flexibility exercises. Ostuoporosis has been receiving much attention as a condition which affects millions of people, both men and women. We hear more about women simply because the condition appears at an earlier age. Involving the calcium balance in the body, osteoporosis is signaled when the excess of bone loss over bone formation leads to fragility of the bones. The good news is that this balance is affected by activity: older people who are active can even improve bone density. Any kind of activity can help to reverse the loss of calcium in the bones. Therefore it is important that we maintain an active lifestyle at all ages. Mobility is precious and circulatory disease is commonplace. If you have a leg pain it can make walking very difficult. This can occur because there is not enough oxygen rich blood being supplied to the leg. In addition to proper diet, establishing a regular exercise program is a major factor to improvement. Exercise can make a remarkable difference in our tives. In addition to the benefits of increased mental functioning, bone density increase and improved circulation, regular exercise can make you feel better. It strengthens bones and muscles, helps control weight, relieves stress, and improves agility and balance. It's never too late to start. If you are looking for an alternate to exercise programs that are constantly competing for our lessure time that is different and moderately paced, consider the Square Dance. It's just waiting to be discovered by you, Square Dancing is the great exercise alternative. Discover the difference!

Dick & Judy Severance The Northeast Square Dancer, April 1988

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Ask the average individual why he or she was attracted to Square dancing and you'll undoubtedly correctly predict a number of their reasons: To escape after a busy day at the workplace; to find a friendly recreation where we can meet others; to join an activity we could do together as a couple, etc.

Then ask a former Square dancer why he or she dropped out of the activity and, while you may get a number of answers, invariably they'll boil down to the simple fact, "It just wasn't fun anymore."

Just what do we mean by fun? Possibly it's a change of pace we are seeking, the opposite of a pressurized day at the office or at home. Certainly no one is looking for more stress. Most people want to laugh, to relax and simply to enjoy themselves. The framework of Square dancing should offer all of this — music, the moving to this music, the exercise the joining hands with friends to dance together, the simple, humorous, spontaneous instances which cause us to laugh — this is what most of us are seeking.

Having fun and poking fun are not quite the same animal. But no one saw the funny side of this activity better than did the late Frank Grundeen, our cartoonist on SQUARE DANCING Magazine for 37 years. No matter what the occasion, on the dance floor or off, Frank saw Square dancers as wonderfully funny human beings and gently poked fun at all of us. Something might happen at one of the dances Frank attended that most of us might passoff as just something that happened. Not Frank a week or two later, we'd get a cartoon from Frank that would portray the otherwise routine event as a subtle or uproarious episode. Frank had that rare knack of spotting a bit of comic relief and recording it with cartoon effectiveness. The accompanying cartoons are what we mean.

Bob Osgood

The Northeast Square Dancer, April 1988

#### CALLERIAR

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The International Association of Square Dance Callers

Decko Deck, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Mainstream Quarterly Selection Committee, announces that there will not be Mainstream Quarterly Selection for the period beginning April 1, 1988. It is anticipated that a selection will not be made until the period beginning October 1, 1988 in view of the fact that, in the past, there is not a Mainstream Quarterly Selection chosen for use during the summer months.

Mike Jacobs, Chairman of the Advanced QS Committee, is pleased to announce that the AQS Committee has selected ANYTHING & CROSS for the quarter beginning March 1, 1988. (Author Unknown)

#### Definition:

Starting Formation: Right or Left Handed Box Circulate foursomes. After any call that ends in a Box Circulate foursome, the trailing dancers pull by with the outside hand. Ending formation Back to Back couples. Examples: Touch a Quarter & CROSS, Split Circulate & CROSS, Scoot Back & CROSS. (Timing not specified.)

#### Dancing examples:

From Static Square: Heads Right & Left Thru, Heads Touch & & CROSS, Pass and Roll, Split Circulate & CROSS, Step & Slide, Horseshoe Turn, Pass & Roll Your Neighbor, Trade the Wave, Right & Left Grand.

#### Singing Call Example:

Heads Touch ¼ ε CROSS, Pass ε Roll your Neighbor and Spread, Quarter Thru, Scoot Back, Boys Run, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Swing your Corner, Promenade.

A review by the Advanced Quarterly Selection Committee resulted in the following two calls being dropped from the AQS list:

COVER UP was dropped

OPEN UP THE COLUMN was dropped

Tim Mayo 1 OMMEN



Milestone Award get he Square Dance community often complains that we don't get much publicity. Since no one makes much money in this activity there is no one to foot the bill for big television promotions. We do occasionally get lucky, though, and the recent ABC Network presentation of the opening ceremonies at the Winter Olympics was one of those occasions. Square Dancing got 3 4 minutes of truly priceless exposure as a result of the considerable efforts of the dancers and callers in the Calgary area. I was watching the show, with no idea that Square Dancing would be included, when my IV screen was filled with hundreds of dancers, perfectly aligned, smiling happily and making our activity look REALLY GREAT. I have since learned that the callers who were involved were Wilf Willidal and Ron Refvik, both from the Calgary area. To them goes my thanks for an excellent job of organizing the dance material, rehearsal and calling under pressure, I mean, if you think calling at a big Convention is pressure, just imagine how many people were watching that show. I know from personal experience that the conditions at any big non dancing event are always a problem. To the dancers who participated - both those who got to dance and those who went to months of rehearsal just to be ready as stand-byes we should extend the appreciation of the whole world of Square Dancing. There were 170 squares dancing and nearly half that number available as spares - all from Calgary and the surrounding areas - and surrounding can be a long ride in Alberta. They were asked to be available for rehearsals 3 times a week for a year. Their dancing was a wonderful show and looked like fun. I was particularly pleased to see both Traditional and Modern Square Dance figures included carrying out the "Old and New" theme that was central to the entire ceremony. Although it interfered with my hearing the calls, the announcers' comments during the dancing were very positive toward Square Dancing and its popularity. In short, we got promotion for the activity that we couldn't have bought at any price and this is the second time in as many years - remember the Statue of Liberty dedication? I have sometimes worrled that we might mess up such an opportunity. Certainly, both of these reflected gloriously on Square Dancing. Clearly square dancers can be counted on to come through when the chips are down. I hear of the commitment it takes from more than 1000 dancers and I fear there won't be enough falks willing to put out the effort. There were! They did! it was beautiful!

The Northeast Soupre Dancer, April 1988

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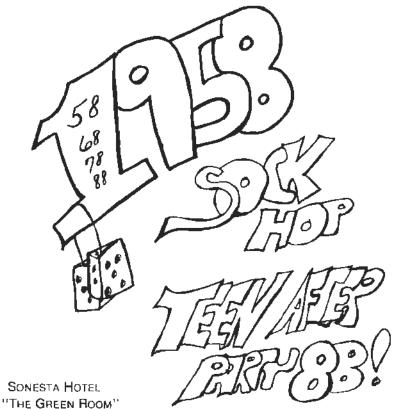
COMPOSER:	Richard & Jo Anne Lawson, 237 Mamie Ln., Birmingham, AL 35215					
RECORD:	BELCO #B-362-A					
RHYTHM:	Two-Step					
FOOTWORK:	Opposite, Directions for Man except where noted.					
SEQUENCE:	Intro-A-B-A-B-Ending					
ROUNDALAB:	PHASE II					
MEAS:	INTRO					
1 - 4	(CP/LQD)WAIT; WAIT; RK EWD, REC, RK BK, REC,					
	1-2 In CP/LOD wait 2 meas;;					
	3-4 In CP/LOD rk fwd on L,-,rec on R,-; Rk bk on L,-,rec on R,-;					
	PART A					
1 - 4	(CP/LOD) TWO FWD TWO-STEPS;;STRUT,-,2,-; 3,-,4-;					
	1-2 In CP/LOD do 2 fwd 2-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;					
	3-4 In CP/LOD strut down LOD L,-,R,-; L,-,R,-;					
5 - B	HITCH 4: WALK - FACE OUT -: SIDE TWO-STEP LEFT AND RIGHT ::					
	5-6 In CP/LOD hitch fwd L,cl R,bk L,cl R; Walk down LOD fwd L,					
	fwd R trng RF to fc wall and Ptr in CP,-;					
	7-8 In CP/Wall step sd L,cl R,sd L,-; Sd R,cl,sd R,-;					
9 - 12	(SCP)TWO FWD TWO-STEPS; RK FWD, REC, RK BK, REC,					
	9-10 Blend to SCP and do 2 fwd 2-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;					
	11-12 In SCP rk fwd on L,-,rec on R,-; Rk bk on L,-,rec on R,-;					
13 - 16	SCOOT 4; WALK, -, FACE, -; TURN TWO TWO-STEPS;;					
15 (12	13-14 In SCP Scoot fwd L,cl R,fwd L,cl R; Walk down LOD fwd L,-,fwd					
	on R trng to fc Ptr and Wall in CP,-;					
	15-16 Do 2 trng 2-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;					
	PART B					
1 - A	(Bfly)SD TWO-STEP; LUNGE/TRN AWAY, -, REC, -; (Bfly)SD TWO-STEP;					
1 - 4	LUNGE/TRN AWAY, -, REC;					
	1-2 Blend to Bfly/Wall and step sd L,cl R,sd L,-; Lunge thru twd LOD					
	on R,-,trng LF cont trn and rec on L to Bfly/Wall,-;					
	3-4 In Bfly moving twd RLOD step sd R,cl L,sd R,-; Lunge thru twd					
	RLOD on L,-,trng RF cont trn and rec on R to Bfly/Wall,-;					
5 - 8	HALF BOX; SCIS THRU; Q-VINE 4; WALK, -, PICKUP, ;					
3 - 6	5-6 In Bfly box sd L,cl R,fwd L,-; Scis sd R,cl L,thru on R blending					
	to momentary SCP,-; 7-8 Blend to CP/Wall and vine sd L,XRIB of L,Sd L,XRIF of L; Blend					
0 13	to SCP and walk fwd L,-,fwd R picking up W to CP/LOD,-;					
9 - 12	SCIS TO SCAR; WALK OUT 2 -: SCIS TO BJO: WALK IN 2 -:					
	9-10 In CP/LOD STEP sd L,cl R,XLIF to SCar/DW,-; In SCar walk diag					
	out R,-,L,-;					
	11-12 Blend to CP and step sd R,cl L,XRIF to BJo/DC,-; In Bjo walk					
	diag in L,-,R,-;					
13 - 16	HITCH 6(W Scis to SCP):: LOCK 4: WALK - PICKUP -:					
	13-14 In Bjo hitch fwd L.cl R, bk L,-; M hitch bk R,cl L,fwd R(W scis					
	sd L,cl R,thru on L)to SCP,-;					
	15-16 In SCP fwd L, lock RIB, fwd L, lock RIB; In SCP walk fwd L,-, fwd R					
	picking up W to CP/LOD,-;					
	(Note) Last time thru meas 16 of Part B do: WALK - 2(to SCP) -:					
7 10	ENDING					
1 - 4	(SCP)TWO FWD TWO-STEPS:: TWIRL 2 -: STEP APT POINT:					
	1-2 In SCP do 2 fwd two steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;					
	3-4 M walk fwd L,-,R(W twirt RF R,-,L),-; Step apt on L,-,pt R twd					
	ptr,-;					

Tom Riding The Northeast Square Dancer, April 1988

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Our annual raffle netted \$846.10 in proceeds for the association. The clubs were rebated \$672.60 for their club sales. 2,248 tickets were sold. We want to thank all of the clubs and raffle committee for their support in this year's raffle. The winners were:

tst Prize - VCR - David Fitch of North Reading, MA

2nd Prize - Get-a-way Weekend - Marion Howell of Norwood, MA

3rd Prize - \$100 - Gift Certificate - Muriet Saunders of Burlington, MA

4th Prize - \$50 Gift Certificate - Merrill Greenlee, Windham, NII

5th Prize - \$25 Gift Certificate Bill Kolhomen, Peabody, MA

Congratulations to the winners; thanks to those who bought tickets to support the continuation of the NSSARDA News, duplication of the new map book, and other NSSARDA-supported activities.

The top selling clubs were: Skirts 'n' Flirts, Wilmington, MA, Pelham Partners, Pelham, NH, Lancers, Salem, MA, and Baldwin Apples, Wolum, MA.

These clubs sold from 300 to 200 tickets per club which is an outstanding number of tickets per club. A big "THANK YOU" to all sellers as this money will aid in the continuation of our publication (NSSARDA News) and our map book.

It's always nice to have new blood come on the board. This year we have two couples joining us: Bob and Dotty Light, VPs, Exeter, NH, (members of Seacoast Regional Square Dance Assn.) and Tom and Louanne Guttadauro, Corresponding Secretaries, Wakefield, MA (members of Skirts 'n' Filrts and Yankee Twirlers).

In November, 1987, Hartley and Martha Bailey stepped down after ten years of service to the association as editors. Their dedication and commitment have been outstanding as they were the longest-standing editors to publish this newspaper. Since the information in the publication is timely in nature, deadlines have to be met.

They've met deadlines on every edition and we commend them for that.

Our presidents, George and Karen Kay, will be taking over as editors but are looking for other people to aid in the distribution of the paper. Hope you like our new format which largely has been typed on the MacIntosh computer. April and May functions will be published in one issue. The summer issue is just around the corner that deadline is April 19 for rough draft ads and April 28 for camera ready ads. One-liners will be sent in to the Kays as well. Contact by phoning (617) 352-2764.

Joe and Jean Hartka's term on the advisory board has been completed. They are taking over the position as historians.

The new map book has been revised and is available for purchase. A token amount of \$2 is asked if you order by mail. This covers postage and duplication. Send your order to Angie Sutherland, 30 Roosevelt, Danvers, MA 01923. Bulk orders are available on consignment to member clubs. Thanks to the McCarthys (Baldwin Apples) and the Hartkas (Skirts 'n' Flirts) for putting this map book together for the dancer to locate individual clubs. This edition features workshop locations as well as dance locations.

The Matayabas are fooking into the possibility of having a separate "Banner Raid" committee meeting before the September meeting. The half we have been using in the past is very small. A special meeting will allow a large meeting place for the banner committee heads to meet to discuss guidelines, meet other club officers, exchange names, addresses, and phone numbers, set up banner raids, and exchange dance schedules.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sunday, September 11 (3-6 PM) City Hall Plaza, Boston, MA

Sunday, October 9 (1-6 PM), "Fall Festival", two halls, 20 callers, 10 cuers, Masconomet Reg. High School, Boxford/Topsfield, MA.

See you at the NE Convention!

Danna Jenkins Waburn, MA (617) 271-7286 (work)

#### NARRAGANSETT CALLERS' ASSOC.

#### Cranston, Rt

By the time this article gets into print, we will have had our successful

### CHALLENGE RAMBLINGS

The many friends of Peter and Rochelle Tripp will be saddened to hear of Rochelle's death damary 30, 1988. Rochelle brought a lot of enthusiasm, energy, and willingness to learn to the square dance activity. Peter and Rochelle started dancing in 1980 and by 1984 were making weekly trips from Connecticut to my challenge workshop at MIT. By 1987 they were dancing the hardest material I call in my Sunday night workshop. In addition, they ran several workshops at their house. At her funeral, I learned about other of Rochelle's talents (music, interior decorating, leaching, etc.) and wish I had taken the time to know her better. We will all miss her

Ed Foate, Chairman of the Callerlab Challenge Committee, announced that his committee has reviewed the current C-1 program and voted to make the following changes. Calls Added: Beaux and Belles Concept, Dixie Sashay, Follow Thru, and Switch the Lane. There were no calls dropped. However, the following calls have already been take off C1 and added to Advanced. Grand 1/4 and 3/4 Thru, Diamond Chain Thru, and Transfer and (Anything). I will send you a copy of the new list if you send me a SASE.

The following calls, which were dropped from Advanced and not added to Ct, are still in limbo: All 8 Swing Thru, Arky Allemande, Arky Grand, Cross Clovericaf, All 4 Couples Pass Thru, and All 4 Couples Cross Trail Thru. Some of these calls appear on the C2 ballot which is being voted on right now.

Copies of the provisional C-1 Definitions may be obtained for \$2 from Callerlab, Box 679, Pocono Pines, PA 18350.

Counteract -- From columns. Ends Trade and Split Counter Rotate 1/4. Centers Counter Rotate 1/4 and Trailer Anchor 1/2.

Retain Your Lane -- From generalized lines: Ends Circulate 2. Centers Hinge, very centers Trade, and Cast Off 3/4. This is the new Mainstream Quarterly selection.

Cross The Ocean -- From facing couples, belies diagonally pass right shoulders, 1/4 right, and step forward to become ends of a right-hand wave. As soon as the belies clear the center, the beaux J Left Touch 1/4 to become centers of the resulting wave. This is the new Plus Quarterly selection.

In the January isaue, I introduced compound tagging calls — a two part combination of a tagging call and a tagging call suffix. Examples include Flip Your Neighbor, Revert the Tag the Star Back and Dodge, Cross Flip Chain Thru Reaction, Track Back and Scatter, and Revert the Vertical Tag the Yellow Brick Road. If all of this sounds unfamiliar you should review that column. Now it is time to expand what we have learned by looking at extensions to the scoot back calls, scoot back call suffixes, what Revert does to tagging calls, and Double Pass Thru and Invert the Column considered as tagging calls.

All possible variations to Scoot Back can be enumerated by answering these questions:

- 1) Do the people going into the middle simply Swing (a "Back" action), or do they Swing, Slip, Swing (a "Chain Thru" action)?
- 2) Do the original leads do their part of a Walk and Dodge (a "Dodge" action)?

If the answer to question 2 is no,

- 3) Do the original leads Circulate (a "Scatter" action)?
- 4) Do the centers hold the wave and not extend to the outsides? If the answer to question 4 is yes,
  - 5) Does everyone do a Chain Reaction (a "Reaction" call) or a Reactivate"
  - 6) Is the word "Cross" used?

If we answer question 1 "Back", question 2 no, question 3 no, and question 4 no, we get the call Scoot Back. If we answer question 1 "Chain Thru" and question 2 yes, we get Scoot Chain Thru and Dodge. Any combination of answers to the questions yields a legal call The only problem is how to say it and what level is it on. Here are some examples:

Scoot Back [MS] Scoot Chain Thru [A2] Scatter Scoot [C1] Scoot and Dodge [A2]

#### CHALLENGE RAMBLINGS (continued)

Scoot Reaction [C3R] Scatter Scoot Reactivate [C3X] Scoot Chain Thru Cross Chain Reaction (C3X)

Last time we decided that Scoot Back is a tagging call suffix. This means that Tag Back to a Wave, Flip Back, Track Back, etc. are all legal compound tagging calls. Now, we can add all of the scoot back variations to the list of tagging call suffixes. This means that Flip Chain Thru Cross Chain Reaction is a legal call. It is composed of a tagging call (Flip The Line 12) and a tagging call suffix (Scoot Chain Thru Cruss Chain Reaction). The tagging call suffix is a variation of a a scoot back call formed by answering the above questions #1 "Chain Thru", #2 no, #3 no, #4 yes, #5 "Chain Reaction", and #5 yes.

Revert Any Tagging Call is on the C4A list. It says to interrupt the tagging call at the 1/2 tag position with a Cast Off 3/4. Now we can double our list of tagging calls by adding the "Reverted" version of each one. This allow Revert The Tag. Revert Flip Chain Thru, etc.

Finally, consider two marginal additions to the list of tagging calls. Double Fass Thru is considered a tagging call only when it is used with Revert. Invert the Column is considered to be a tagging call but you should realize that it is different from all of the others. On a tagging call, one moves from one tagging position to the next with an Extend The Tag With Invert the Column, one moves from one invert position to the next with a Continue to Invert the Column Another 1/4. Since Invert the Column 1/2 and Tag the Line 1/2 both end in waves, we can shoelorn invert the Column onto the list of tagging calls. Note that Revert the Invert the Column is a legal (and difficult) call.

Now that everyone understands compound tagging calls, I don't expect you to make a mistake next time I call Revert the Invert Chain Thru and Scatter Reactivate to A Diamond and Plenty Star 3/4, Interrupt after 1/2 with a Bias Motivate, don't turn the star.

\*\*Clark Baker\*\*

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#### ASSOCIATION NEWS

35th Anniversary Spring Swing and in the next issue we will give you more details about exactly what went on-

> Frank and Harriet Varin Exeter, RI 02822



THE RHODE ISLAND FEDERATION OF SQUARE & ROUND DANCE CLUBS

In August, 1987, the Rhode Island Federation sponsored a Publicity and Recruifing Seminar by Len Murphy. It was well received and given editorial praise by Ray Aubut in The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine. The only negative feedback was that August was too late a date; there wasn't time to set up a strong publicity/recruifing campaign before the new season was underway.

We agree! Therefore, for the good and welfare of Square Dancing, the Rhode Island Federation is sponsoring a repeat performance of the Publicity and Recruiting Seminar, with Len Murphy, on May 15, 1988. Details can be found in advertisements in the April and May Northeast Square Dancer Magazine.

We invite the most positive-thinking members of the Square Dance community to attend. This is an opportunity to take a concentrated look at, and to begin planning an attack on, recruiting for the 1988-89 season. The goal is to help create the largest and most successful new classes in many years.

Attendance is limited to 120. Take action now!

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TEXAS IS THE PLACE I'D DEARLY LOVE TO BE
ALLEMANDE LEFT YOUR CORNER, DO SA DO YOUR OWN
MEN STAR LEFT, IT'S ONCE AROUND YOU ROAM
TURN THRU WITH YOUR PARTNER TO THE CORNER ALLEMANDE
COME BACK AND SWING AND PROMENADE THAT LAND
ALL MY EX'S LIVE IN TEXAS
THATE WHY I HANG MY HAT IN TENNESSEE THAT'S WHY I HANG MY HAT IN TENNESSEE.

#### FIGURE: TWICE FOR HEADS: TWICE FOR SIDES:

HEADS PROMENADE, GO HALF WAY ROUND THE RING DOWN THE MIDDLE WITH A RIGHT AND LEFT THRU, TURN THAT PRETTY THING

SQUARE THRU GO FOUR MOVING ROUND THE LAND MAKE A RIGHT HAND STAR, ROLL IT ROUND SO FINE HEADS STAR LEFT IN MIDDLE A FULL TURN AROUND SWING YOUR CORNER LADY AND YOU PROMENADE ALL MY EX'S LIVE IN TEXAS THAT'S WHY I HANG MY HAT IN TENNESSEE.





Over 16 years ago I was club caller for the Newington (Connecticut) Square Dance Club. I worked for this club for Just two years. Ed Rutty took my place when I left and has been with them, very successfully for 16 years.

The club celebrated their 30th anniversary in February and invited Fran and me to attend the party, as they had done five years earlier on the occasion of their 25th. Many of the faces and names still remain, but others have faded. Thank beavens for name badges!

We had an enjoyable time and Ed Rutty and John Provini called the squares after the dinner and festivities. From and I didn't dance as we don't know the club flaures.

Ed kindly asked me to call and I dld, in traditional style with club records. Later on someone requested a contra (when I was Newington's caller I almost always did one at each dance) and again I took the mic. As in the past, they all moved smoothly and gracefully through the figures and right on phrase. The club has always had a strong round dance program and that form of dancing to the phrase is great asset towards being a good square dancer.

The party broke up around 8:30 and we were soon on our way back to Sandy Hook. We wish Newlington many more antiversary parties and look forward to their 35th.

Driving to the party we went right by the hall where the Connecticut Caller's Association was having their meeting. We didn't make it as the Saturday, and Saturday night before, we were in Morristown, New Jersey working for the Morristown National Historical Society and arrived home at 3:30 a.m.

I led an afternoon workshop and an evening colonial ball with Bare Necessities supplying the music. It was a beginner/intermediate event and I had to tailor some of the 18th century dances to suit the crowd.

At break time Fran and I did a minuet to open the exhibition portion of the evening. The Colonial Assembly of the Germantown Country Dancers (Don Potter, dancing master) performed a selection of longways dances and finished with the John Griffith's 1788 cotillion (square form) La Jeunnse, Griffith published the dance again in 1794 as The Convention Cotillion and most people call it by that name.

Germantown dresses as upper class 18th century Philadelphians might have done, and dance the country dances using a selection of Haroque steps. I've seen them perform several times and am always impressed by their performances and by the way the 18th century English and American dances come alive when done with the correct footwork.

Using special steps when reconstructing early dances often solves the apparent problem of "too much time (music) left over." In years past, research choreographers would simply put in additional figures to make the dances acceptable to modern people.

Working with the DeLancey dancers we've reconstructed an English dance, music and dance by James Fishar (Fisher's Hornpipe), and have finally gotten what we feel is a good blend of figure and music. We know that the dance can be done with a dance-walk step and would work much better with the use of a bource step throughout. But, that's for performing groups, really.

The published dances of the 18th century were done by middle and upper class people with at least some dance training. Put a bunch of "folk" together with some music and no training, and no dance leader, and you will get lively activity but the beautiful pattern dances simply won't happen. Someone has to write them and that someone is a professional, or dedicated "professional amateur."

The weekend after the Morristown event was our monthly third Saturday live music (Spring Fever) dance here in Newtown.

My program is mainly contras and squares with an occasional English country dance. We were able to do the above-mentioned dance by Fishar, All Is Well That Ends Well, to its name tune.

Long time traditional caller and choreographer. Dick Forscher, and his wife, Louise, came to the dance and I prevailed upon him to call. He obliged and it was one of the very few times I have been able to dance to Spring Fever as I'm usually right up there with them.

Dick called a contra dance that he recently wrote. He freely admits to borrowing from the old English dance, Childgrove. I'll present it first and then explain the "Sashay" business.

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#### CDNY

(pronounced "Sidney") By Dick Forscher Formation: Alternate duple contra Music: 32-bar reel or jig

- Al All sashay partner 1/2-way, clapping on the 4th heat, Resashay; DoSiDo partners.
- A2 The same us Al but with the corner.
- B1 All 2-hand turn corners 1-1/2 times (progress(on)) All 2-hand turn partners once (a skipping step may be used both turns, if one is so inclined).
- 82 All balance & Swing partners

Several words of explanation are required here. First of all the CDNY stands for Country Dance in New York (city).

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Secondly, the <u>Sashay partner 1/2-way</u> round is done as follows: facing partners, go forward keeping to the right for two steps and on the third and fourth steps face your partner, clapping on the fourth beat. The <u>Resashay</u> is simply backing up to place.

The whole movement is really nothing more than a forward and back, keeping to the right, with a left-face "hook" at the end to face your partner.

Modern English country dancers will Immediately recognize it as Cecil Sharp Siding, the clap being an addition.

I danced with Dick's wife and enjoyed the dance, as did the dancers present. I Immediately asked Dick if he'd mind my printing in this column. His answer is obvious.

There are two large dance festivals In New England this month; Fran and I, and Spring Fever will of course be at NEFFA, In Natick, Massachusetts.

Winter's grip has relaxed, and the weather's mellowed, so go to the festival of your choice and have a ball

Chip Hendrickson Northeast Square Dancer April 1988

# =RECORD REVIEW





Rating Code: \*\*\*\*-Excellent: \*\*\*\*-Good; \*\*\*-Average; \*\*-O.K. (may not be suitable for all callers)

IN THE NAUGHTY NINETIES - W/C by The Chinopk Boys. CHINOOK 009 Key of G. Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Swing Thru again, Recycle, Sweep 1/4. Square Thru 3/4 Swing Corner & Promenade.

A nice offering on Chinook. Has mainstream choreo and is easy to learn the melody after a few times

thru. Rating \*\*\*

RHYTHM 203 TICKET TO RIDE - W/C by Wade Driver Key of E.

Heads Promenade 1/2, Square Thru 4, Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Ferris Wheel, Square Thru 3/4, Swing & Promenade. A good square dance version of an old Beatles tune. The Rhythm band is on target again with a solid offering this month. Rating \*\*\*\*

CHAPARRAL 707 TIME - W/C by Marshall Filppo. Key of A.

> Heads R & L Thru, Pass Thru, Partner Trade, Reverse The Flutter, Sweep 1/4, Pass Thru, Slide Thru, Right & Left Thru, Ladies Lead, Dixie Style , Boys Cross Fold, Swing Corner & Promenade. Interesting chored with alternate figure using Cross the Ocean. Music is good. Dancers liked this one. Rating \*\*\*\*

E.S.P. 516 ALL MY EX'S LIVE IN TEXAS -W/C by Bob Newman Key of A. Entire call for this dance may be found in our Dance of the Month Column. Rating: \*\*\*\*

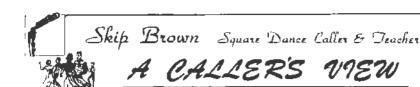
I'LL BE THE ONE - W/C by Elmer Sheffield. Key of D. E.S.P. 148 Heads Square Thru 4, Right & Left Thru, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Half Tag, Trade & Roll, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. Excellent version of a popular country tune with back-up vocals by Wayne McDonald and the Red Boot Boys. Wayne's bass back-up is on instrumental side. Rating \*\*\*\*

DEEP RIVER WOMAN - W/C by Jack O'Leary & Bruce McCue. RED BOOT STAR 1306 Key of E flat. Heads Promenade 1/2, Sides Right & Left Thru, Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Eight Chain 4, Swing Corner & Promenade. This is a nice tune for singing. Lends itself to two caller harmony. Not Rated.

509

CROSS COUNTRY BEAUTIFUL NOISE . W/C by Breez Graham. Key of C. Heads Promenade 1/2, Square Thru 4, Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Ferris Wheel, Centers Pass Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Trade By, Swing Corner & Promenade. If you are a Neil Diamond fan you will like this

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You have worked hard—you decided to start a new class - you decided to start it in April after the 1987 New England Convention instead of in the Fall - you decided to hold graduation only when the class members could dance with the club—you made posters and flyers - you logged many hours and miles placing those posters and flyers on local bulletin boards and in local shops and businesses—you danced in demunistrations you made phone calls - you recruited your class of new dancers - you angeled your new class faithfully on Monday evenings and attended your regular Workshop on Thursday evenings—you will graduate your new dancers this month just in time for the Convention in Portland - they will fit right into your club and be able to dance the PLUS Program—you changed your regular Thursday Workshop into a waekly PLUS Program Dance now you won't have to dance half an evening using the PLUS Program then shift to the BASIC and MAINSTREAM Programs only - no more will most of your tips be Workshop - maybe one or two each Thursday for some variations on calls - or perhaps for something new once in awhite - you did it all gang, and your caller is proud of you.

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#### RECORD REVIEW (continued)

one. Music tends to be strontly overpowering and takes work to get timing down. Mixed dancer reaction. Nation \*\*\*

ROYAL 302

DREAMING - W/C by Jerry Story and Tony Oxendine. Key of A. Heads Promenade 1/2, Sides Right & Left Thru, Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Eight Chain 4, Swing Corner & Promenade. This label has had some

excellent music. This is no exception.
Rating \*\*\*\*

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Chapparel 113 MAJOR BREAKDOWN - Patter. Key of G.

One of the better hosdowns of late. This is one that most callers will have no trouble with. Solid heat with just a touch of 5-string banjo to keep it interesting. Flippo calls on side 2.

Rating ####

RED BOOT 320 English Mountain Special/Diggin'Up Bones. Key of

English Mountain Special is the better side, but both are done in traditional Red Boot (ashion, Easy to call to with good rhythm. A good deal--two

hoedowns for the price of one 'Rating \*\*\*\*

Juck O'Leary

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# LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT

Subject: A Funny Thing Happened at the Square Dance



On my first calling dates I would often forget to plug in the mike, speaker or set or sometimes plug into a dead outlet. These were panic situations and did not set a proper mood to call a good dance. I would like to share some other experiences with you.

The dance is 150 miles from home. On arrival the hall is dark. At 8:15 the President arrived. "We forgot to tell you that we changed halls." Judging from the attendance he forgot to tell the dancers. A local college wanted me to do a 20 minute demo. As I didn't want the job I doubled my fee. They booked me regardless. I decided I would use the money to take the square dancers to eat but when we arrived there was a 10 piece band and enough food for 600 people. Two weeks later I received a letter with a check stating they were so pleased they decided to double my pay and would I consider doing a square dance course at the college.

I did an outdoor evening dance at Kimball's Starlight. The mosquitos were thick. At 9:30 the manager crosses the stage with a defogger while I am calling. Nuf sed.

I did an outdoor demo for the opening of a Raymond's store. It had rained the day before. The parking lot was full of puddles. There was no bench, no electricity. When we finally got dancing two motorcycle hot rodders decided to annoy us by riding back and forth. The evening was a disaster but the pay was tremendous.

I was cueing for a club on a weekly basis. One caller which they booked often, always arrived late. On his next date I started to call at 8:00. When he arrived I tips later, everyone was denoting and having a great time. He was never late again.

I booked a dance denoting Mainstream. That night they happened to have a record attendance. At 9:30 the President notified me that I would have to raise the level as they had a visiting square that wanted more challenge. Needless to say, I did not conform.

One evening I was settled in for the night when the phone ran. "I'm 100 miles from home and forgot to bring my P.A. equipment." I arrived to the rescue at 8:45. He called 3 tips when a car struck a light pole a block away. No more dance.

Another caller wanted me to do a square dance class with him. We both advertized profusely. At 9:45 not a single person had arrived, I could fill a book with these stories but I am sure every caller has gone through similar experiences. If only we had kept a diary. The next time you are dancing and looking up at the caller say to yourself, "There is a person who must have a great sense of humor".

Happy dancing,

Bob Marsh The Northeast Square Dancer, April 1988

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# In Memoriam

#### BARBARA JEAN MOORK

Alpine Squares Square Dance Club, Chelmsford, MA Died: September 27, 1987

Barbara J. Moore, 50, died peacefully surrounded by her family in her home on September 27, 1987.

Since joining Alpine Squares Square Dance Club in 1981, Barbaro Moore was dedicated to and an active member of the club as a square dancer and a round dancer. Sie and her husband, Boh, served on the Executive Board as Presidents, Past Presidents, Class Chairpersons, Publicity Chairpersons, and Hospitality Chairpersons. She also served on numerous committees and was quick to contribute or volunteer her time and energy wherever there was a need in order to make the club a fun place to dance. She did her work with quality, thoroughness, and enthusiasm.

Barbara Moore is missed by her friends in Alpine Squares and will live on in our memories for her loving kindness and for the numerous contributions she made to square duncing. We join her many friends in expressing our surrow to her husband, Bob, and her entire family.

#### MARIE ARNDT Square Riggers Square Dance Club Died: October 5, 1987

Marie Arndt died on October 5, 1987 after a long illness.

Morre and her husband Gerry have been long time members of Square Riggers Square Dance Club.

The club extends its heartfelt sympathy to Gerry and Family.

#### KELLI K. MacDONALD

Died: November 26, 1987

Kelli K. MacDonald, 21, died suddenly on Thursday, November 26, 1987.

Kelli was the daughter of Penelope (Penni) and Hector MacDonald, members of Square Riggers Square Dance Club.

Our club extends its love, prayers, and sympathies to Penni and Hector.

#### CAROLINE RIEM

Square Riggers Square Dance Club Died: December 27, 1987

Caratine Riem died suddenly on December 27 at home.

Caroline was a long time active member of Saugre Riggers Source Dance Club.

She will be sadly missed by all her friends at Square Riggers.

#### KEN DARLING Sunshine Twirlers of Jaffrey, NII

Died: February 4, 1988

Ken was a Charter Member of the Sunshine Twirlers of Jaffrey, NH, formed in 1976. He and Stella were the "land you can always count on". Ken radiated the friendly spirit of square dancing. He will not be forgotten.

#### WILFRED ROY

Died: February 6, 1988

One time member of the Sanshine Twirlers in its early days. Survived by four very active Roy brothers and sisters (two and two). We joke about the one big happy family that we are.

Rest in peace, Wit.

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# In Memoriam CONTINUEDI

ARNOLD HEADEN Noted Round Dance Cuer Died: February 9, 1988

Arnold Headen, 88, of 7 Meadow Ave., Stonington, died February 9th at the Westerly Hospital in Westerly, RI, after being stricken at home.

Mr. Headen was active with local dance groups and a member of the Connecticut Association of Round Dance Teachers. He was active in the Anchor and Chain Round Dance Club as well as the Ledyard Squares and Jolly Squares Square dancing groups.

For the last 30 years he and his wife, Ruth, actively promoted Round Dancing in southeastern CT and around the Hartford area.

They used for Round Dance Clubs in Groton-Waterford, and Wethersfield and Newington.

They also cued rounds at East Hartford and West Hartford Square Dance clubs.

#### CHARLES UNDERWOOD Groton, CT

Died: February 7, 1988

Charles Perry Underwood, 54, of 107 Candlewood Road, Center Groton, died February 7th at Lawrence Memorial Hospital in New London, where he was a patient.

He was the husband of Elizabeth L. (Burrows) Underwood. They were married in Poquonock Bridge, October 23, 1956. She survives him.

Mr. Underwood was an avid and well-known square dance enthusiast. He was a member and past president of the Connecticut Square Dance Callers and Teachers Association; the Connecticut Association of Round Dance Teachers; a member of Callerlab; New England Council of Callers Association; New England Council of Round Dance Teachers Association, Inc., and he was the club caller for the Lads and Lassies Square Dance Club of East Lyne. Mr. Underwood was also a round dance instructor for the Sea Shells of Guilford.

Our deepest sympathy to his wife Elizabeth and family members on their loss. He will be sadly missed by the Square and Round Dance activity.

#### FRANNIE HEINTZ

Monson, MA / St. Petersburg, FL

Square Dance Caller

Conn. Callers Assoc. / Springfield Callers Assoc. Died: February 28, 1988

Anyone who knew Frannie or danced to him even once during the last thirty years realizes the great loss Square Dancing has suffered with his death. He took calling lessons from Earl Johnston in 1957 and since then has called all over the United States and Canada. He did it all, from adult clubs, teen clubs, festivals as the featured caller, camp and dance weekends and recordings on the "Top" and "Reprise" labels. Frannie was a specialist in directional calling but was best known as "The Comedian Caller" because of his ability and his unique ways of entertaining dancers both on and off the stage. As a dancer, your experiences were not complete unless you had witnessed Frannie lay down on the stage while calling, do "The Auctioneer" singing call or heard the "Bazonga" story and then wore the Bazonga badge to prove you were there. He was a caller's caller and an entertainer's entertainer. Many dancers danced with con-fer-dance as he directed them through dance patterns and then announced "You just did.....".

Our sincere sympathy to his wife Maureen (Mo) and their children. Services were held in Monson March 12th. Donations may be made in his name to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation.

Your Editor

# LINE DANCE

#### ALL MY EX'S LIVE IN TEXAS

Origin: Connie McDonald, Dance Instructor in Salem, MA

Music: MCA - 53087, George Strait, "All My Ex's Live in Texas"

Position: Solo, all facing Head of Hall

Intro: Wait just four beats

DOUBLE ROCK

-- DANCE --

#### Measures:

I m

9m

		recover onto LF;
2m	VINE RIGHT	<ul> <li>Step RF to R Side, step LF XIB RF, step RF to R Side, scuff fwd LF;</li> </ul>
3m	DOUBLE ROCK	- Repeat Measure ONE with Opposite footwork;
4m	VINE LEFT	- Repeat Measure TWO with opposite footwork;
5m	1 BOX RIGHT	<ul> <li>Step RF to R Side, close LF to RF, step RF bwd, HOLD;</li> </ul>
6m	1 BOX LEFT	<ul> <li>Step LF to L Side, close RF to LF, step LF fwd, HOLD;</li> </ul>
7m	FOR RIGHT 2-STEP	- Step RF fwd, close LF to RF, step RF fwd, HOLD;
8m	FOR. LEFT 2-STEP	- Step LF (wd, close RF to LF, step LF (wd, HOLD;

10m SCISSOR LEFT

BOILDON HEIT

SCISSOR RIGHT

TURN
IIm FORWARD HITCH 3

12m BACKWARD HITCH 3

13m BASIC | ONE

RIGHT

14ro BASIC # ONE

15m CIRCLING TWO STEP

16m CIRCLING TWO-STEP

LF, HOLD;

Step LF to L Side, close RF to LF, step RF XIF

- Step RF to R Side, close LF to RF, step RF XIF

Step Right Foot crossed in front of Left Foot (rock),

recover back onto Left Foot, rock fwd RF XIF LF,

LF
- at same time make I turn Right, HOLD;

- Step RF fwd. close LF to RF, step RF bwd, HOLD;

- Step LF bwd, close RF to LF, step LF fwd, HOLD;

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- Step RF to R Side, close LF to RF, step RF to

- R Side, touch LF to RF;

- Repeat Measure THIRTEEN with opposite footwork;

- Make I turn Right as step RF fwd, close LF to RF, step RF fwd, HOLD;

 Continue turning Right to face HOH as you do LF fwd, close RF to LF, step LF fwd, HOLD.

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# Line/Solo DANCE CORNER

By Dr. Grant Longley

t was a first for Florida!!

Jo Bridges and her Line
Dancers travelled to Florida
this past week (middle of February)
to stage two performances. On Tuesday
night the ladies put on a fine show in
St. Petersburg. Three nights later,
they moved to Venice, arriving at 5
P.M. and immediately they went into
a rehearsal for the one and one half
show. Following which they enjoyed
a quick supper prepared and hosted
by Marion Longley.

Spectators started arriving an hour before show time. At which time, 375 avid line dance enthusiasts jammed the Venice Community Center. Spectators, many of whom were Line/Solo dance instructors, came from

Ft. Myers, Bonita Springs, Englewood, Bradenton, Sarasota, Clearwater, and Port Charlotte.

Some of the dances were: All My Ex's Live in Texas, New York, N.Y., El Adorno, Susie Charleston, All That Jazz, One, Mickey and Am J Blue.

Most of the spectators were singing snatches of the dance tunes while leaving the hall. Also overheard was the frequent comment, "I hope our instructor will teach us all those dances!" 'hough sed!

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# Ask Dr. Allemander

- By Glenn lokler

Dear Dr. Allemander: I belong to a singles club and every time I dance with a new partner she asks me, "What's your sign?" This always stops me because we're not in traffic at the time. Can you yield some information on this?

I. M. AYUPPIE, Cambridge, MA

DEAR YUP: They're not talking about traffic signs, they're talking about signs of the Zodiac. You can frequently tell square dancers' signs by the way they behave on the floor.

For example, a person who butts into a square just ahead of another couple who were obviously headed for that spot is probably Aries the Ram.

A dancer who flounders around during "Load the Boat" must be Pisces the Fish. If you meet a real drip, he or she undoubtedly is an Aquarius (a water sign).

The guy who pushes everybody around and herds them into place doing "Alamo Style" is no doubt Taurus the Bull. And the person who roars at new dancers when they make a mistake obviously is Leo the Lion. We won't even mention how Cancer the Crab behaves when things aren't going perfectly.

Of course, the rest of us free and pure dancers are all Libras and Virgos.

(Dr. A.L. "Lefty" Allemander, Ph.D., gives advice to the dancelorn every month in this space. Jumpin' Gemini, he says you don't even have to sign your letters when mooning over your troubles with him.)

Glenn lckler

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# The GALLERS' GORNER

- By Jack Losry

NEW MAINSTREAM Q.S. SELECTION:
RETAIN YOUR LANE ... John Marshall

STARTING FORMATIONS:... The two common starting formations will be parallel Two
Faced Lines and parallel Ocean Waves..., Any other form
of parallel lines can be used as starting formations but are
more suited to the advanced programs.

THE ACTION:...The endsof the Wave or line will circulate two positions...The centers will Hinge, then the centers of the new wave will Trade then with the ends of the wave cost off 3/4...The center action of a Hinge/Trade & Cost 3/4....is the remake action but at mainstream we use the three directional parts... From lines facing in or out & from three & one lines with centers facing the same direction the starting Hinge action would be a partner hinge...

THE ENDING FORMATION: Parallel starting Two Faced Lines will end in parallel Two Faced Lines and starting parallel waves will end in waves...

I reported Retain Your Lane in September 1987 on page 43, I mentioned then that the action is smooth and nice but it can be easily called directionally....

TEACHING RETAIN YOUR LANE: I stort with parallel two faced lines and work the center action only...I develop into queing the center action with words like..."Centers... Hinge, Trade...& Cast 3/4.... I work it that way until the dancer reaction is comfortable then add the name of the call and have the ends do the circulate part.... I continue to cue the center action with helping words until the dancers are comfortable... The entire cueing words would be....Retain Your Lane...Girls, Hinge/Trade & Cost., boys circ, double.

GETTING AQUAINTED WITH RETAIN YOUR LANE. (Two foced lines, boys as ends)
ZERO BOX. SWING THRU. BOYS RUN. RETAIN YOUR LANE..
COUPLES CIRCULATE, RETAIN YOUR LANE...
WHEEL & DEAL...LEFT ALLE....zero box.

ZERO LINE, PASS THE OCEAN, RECYCLE & VEER LEFT...
RETAIN YOUR LANE, WHEEL & DEAL, PASS TO THE CENTER...
SQUARE THRU 3/4...LEFT ALLE,...Zero box...

Storling from Two Faced Lines with boys as centers.

ZERO BOX., SWING THRU, BOYS RUN, TAG THE LINE RIGHT.

RETAIN YOUR LANE, BOYS CROSS RUN, GIRLS TRADE, BEND THE LINE, zero line, SLIDE THRU, SQUARE THRU 3/4, LEFT ALLE...

ZERO LINE ... PASS THE OCEAN ... GIRLS TRADE ... GIRLS RUN ... RETAIN YOUR LANE ... 1/2 TAG THE LINE ... BOYS RUN ... RIGHT & LEFT THRU ... DIXIE STYLE TO A WAYE ... balance ... LEFT ALLE ...

Starting from Ocean Waves. Girls as centers.

ZERO BOX..DOSADO TO A WAVE..RETAIN YOUR LANE...
RECYCLE..SQUARE THRU 3/4...LEFT ALLE...

ZERO LINE... PASS THE OCEAN, RETAIN YOUR LAIVE...
RECYCLE... LEFT ALLE... zero box...

From a Dixie Style Wave. boys as century.

ZERO LINE. RIGHT & LEFT THRU. DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE.

RETAIN YOUR LANE, BOYS CROSS RUN. RECYCLE. LEFT ALLE., zero box

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1988 CASH RAFFLE

Proceeds to be used for the renovation of the Foundation's library/museum facility.

On behalf of the Square Dance Foundation of New England we wish to thank the square dance community for its support of our 1987 raffle. The proceeds from the raffle were used to paint the dance barn at the foundation's property. It looks so spruced up that we wish we could provide a photo of it to each of you so that you can share our pride.

Much has been done to improve the foundation property in 1987 besides painting the buildings and silo. A new sewer line connection was installed eliminating a septic tank problem; a new water line was also installed solving a low water pressure problem and enhancing the fire protection capability. The interior of the long barn is also in the process of being renovated. However, there is much more to be done. For that, the foundation needs your continued support to ensure that needed repairs and improvements can be accomplished.

This year the proceeds of our raffle, featuring cash prizes of \$1000, \$500 and \$250 will be used for the renovation of the foundation library/museum facility. A raffle continues to be a practical and relatively economical fund raising method because it gives the participant a chance to win a valuable prize while supporting a foundation project.

Two books, containing six tickets each, have been sent out. The suggested cash donation (which may be tax deductible) is \$1.00 per ticket, \$5.00 per book of six. We hope you will sell them to your families, co-workers, and friends, both square dancers and (In Maine, any non-square dancers. sale or purchase of tickets by persons under 16 years of age is prohibited). If you receive more than one mailing we ask your indulgence as we are working from several mailing lists which could cause duplication. is not necessary to return unused tickets.

Please return your stubs and donations in the addressed envelope which was sent out to you. Checks should be made payable to SDFNE, INC. The deadline for mailing in your stubs and donation is April 15, 1988. This will allow time to record and prepare stubs for the drawing and announcement of the winners at the celebrity hour of the New England Square & Round Dance Convention in Portland, ME on April 23, 1988.

Additional tickets are available by writing to SDFNE, INC., P.O. Box 122, Alfred, ME 04002 or by calling George & Shirley Pope, (207) 324-3699. Tickets will also be on sale at the foundation booth during the convention. Looking forward to seeing you there.

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The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine



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Edward D. DIPrete

#### PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, square dancing, the national folk dance of the United States, has become a popular tradition in New England since early colonial days providing hours of recreation, exercise, and enjoyment to generations of enthusiasts; and

WHEREAS, square dancing has been taught and performed at private, public, and parochial schools, conventions, weddings, and showers; and to the handicapped, emotionally and developmentally disabled, and in senior centers and nursing homes; and

WHEREAS, the Rhode Island Narragansett Square Dance Callers' Association, Inc., one of the oldest Square Dance Callers organizations in the United States, has played a prominent role in helping to promote the value of square dancing and helping it attain a revered status as part of the folklore of Rhode Island; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 1988, the Rhode Island Narragansett Square Dance Callers' Association, Inc. will be holding a "Spring Swing" dinner and dance at the Rocky Point Palladium to celebrate the 35th anniversary of the founding of this distinguished cultural association.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWARD D. DIPRETE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM

#### MARCH 20, 1988 AS

R.I. NARRAGANSETT SQUARE DANCE CALLERS' ASSOCIATION, INC.
RECOGNITION DAY

in the State of Rhode Island and call on all citizens to join with me in congratulating the Rhode Island Narragansett Square Dance Callers' Association, Inc. on this notable achievement and wishing it many more years of providing quality entertainment to the citizens of our state.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State of Rhode Island to be affixed this seventeenth day of February, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of Independence, the two hundred and twelfth.

Kathleen S. Connell SECRETARY OF STATE Edward D. DiPrete GOVERNOR

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## NARRAGANSETT CALLERS' ASSOCIATION



#### PRESENTATION OF PROCLAMATION

Pictured (left to right) Austin Watson, Dick Leger, Sue Leger, Gov. DiPrete, Jill Caldarone, Bill Caldarone and Rube Alexander. All the callers present were past presidents of the association. Realizing Dick was the 4th President, he was given the honor of accepting the Proclamation. The Legers and Caldarones were the Steering Committee for the 35th Anniversary Spring Swing held at Rocky Point Palladium on Sunday, March 20, 1988.

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Dear Ray and Carole:

Greetings from the "sunny" southwest! We came out here to get away from the snow, but three days ago we had almost 18 inches! Another day like today and it will be all gone, but what a revolting development that was!

We will be leaving here in about three weeks to travel down toward Florida to visit friends and relatives. We hope to visit New Orleans on the way. We are driving, which I enjoy very much, It has been a long road back to health for me, but the last year has been great. I just don't have a lot of stamina, and haven't yet danced a whole tip, but we are doing a little round dancing, and a little more of the square variety. The city of Roswell has an adult recreation center, which is great for us older folks! There is dancing about three evenings a week, and all kinds of courses, fectures, art programs, games and other activities going on morning, afternoon, and evening, We could find ourselves literally living there if we allowed it! We have traveled around on day trips which we have found fascinating. This week we are going over to Alamagordo to visit the space museum there.

I am enclosing a check for a renewal of our subscription to your fine publication. You folks have done a great job in the few years you have had the magazine. I hope that next year we may get to the NESRD Convention, but we'll have to let it go by this time. Please pass our greetings along to anybody who might remember us!

Please send a gift subscription from us to our friend Dale Martin. Date is a local caller and round dance teacher, and has been most kind to us.

You keep up the good work. We'll see you one of these days.

Squarely yours, Norma & 'Mitch' Mitchell

Hi Carol,

As per our telephone conversation of earlier this morning, enclosed is

my inency order for \$7.00 - to be part of the bulk subscription sent in by Enfty Squares. I just wasn't there when the person sending it in was. Thanks much.

Also enclosed is the check for the February ad for the Square Dance Connection. The ads have been super and we appreciate everything you and the staff have done - especially Carolyn Lessard. She's just been great.

Also enclosed is a check for \$10.00 for five door prizes at \$2,00 each. I've been meaning to send this in ever since you came out with the Idea. We have five more dances left for this year (May, July, August, October and November).

I am forever promoting your magazine and personally can't see how any dancer can be without it. Yet even in our own groups, I hear so many say, "No, we don't get the Caller." I hope these prizes are won by dancers who haven't yet subscribed; perhaps then they'll see why I'm always talking about it.

Again, thanks for everything. And thanks for putting out such a terrific magazine. You can be sure that I'm pushing it down here.

Kathie Ramsey

Dear Editor:

In regards to your letter on Page 3 (March issue) "Are We Too Affordable?":

We feel not. That it would not be in the best interest of Square Dancing to raise the admission. It's not the admission, it's the mental image of Square - plus the mental image of the music as square and twangy as vocalized by our 27 year old son. Naturally, they have no concept of what it's all about and how do you explain it? When what they really need to do is give it a try. We're working on them and hopefully in September we'll get 1 or 2 of our 3 sons to al least try it. Wish us luck.

If prices were raised, how then would you get young people that can't afford a movie but can afford Square Dancing? And what of the folks on fixed income? It's always those that have the least that are squeezed out of everything by higher prices.

instead what we need to do is meet the general public somewhere and somehow and get then involved in a fun night. Then while the interest is high and the excitement is still there,

## READERS' FORUM (CONTINUED)

have classes available right away for them to sign up. We should provide information of classes in their area they aren't from where this demonstrations are being held. Just had a thought - being from Ski Country! Suppose a club went to a ski lodge in an evening and held a full night. (Many lodges have no TV). Same idea in the summer resorts. Would that Just an idea!

Doug & Jean Evans

Dear Folks:

You are doing great work with the magazine and I approve of the new

I know that in many areas the Square Dance Movement is in trouble, so I hesitate to hring up any more disturbing issues.

Having danced for over 20 years and been a member of The MacColl Twirlers in Lincoln for almost the same number of years, I have had a chance to do some observing.

There are two things that disturb me:

- 1. Women wearing slacks to workshops. To me workshops are a dance just the same as any other dance, except that we are there to learn and review, and to perfect any parts of the dance that we are not sure of. How can a woman flip her skirts, and engage in any of the graces which apply to all kinds of dancing when she is wearing slacks?
- 2. The woman placing her arm behind her back when the man courtesy turns her. You expect to put your arm around her waist, and you cannot do it easily because her arm is there. I find it much more graceful with those partners who do not do this. Instead, they flip their skirts. In all the years that we have attended classes as angels, I have not known of one caller who taught anything about this. In fact, I don't find many callers stressing the finer points of graceful dancing.

t think the Foundation is a great thing and I am glad to be a member.

Cordially,

Dear Editor:

Ray Aubut's thought provoking column in the March, 1988 issue of the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine invites comments from its readers.

The gist of Ray's article is that "We establish what our recreational activity is worth by our price of admission at the dance." He says, "Unfortunately, by today's standards, we are telling the whole world that square dancing is not worth very much when we offer an evening's entertainment for \$2.50 or \$3.00 per person."

I see no correllation between the amount of money we spend recreational activities, including square dancing and our enjoyment of them. Historically, square dancing has been a very inexpensive activity. One reason for this is the great amount of effort put forward by club members to sponsor and promote square dancing - all without financial reimbursement. Then, for many years cities and towns made little or no charge for use of their school halls. Changes have occurred over the years, expenses are higher and admission prices have been adjusted at many places to reflect higher expenses.

We can agree as expenses increase, admission prices must be increased but we must also exercise control over those expense Items over which we have some control. Callers should be compensated on a fair but not exorbitant basis. As I said above, there are many volunteers who have made a big contribution to our enjoyment of square dancing. To charge higher admission prices solely on the theory we make dancing a valuable more recreational activity, is, it seems to me, a fallacious argument and if adopted, a disservice to square dancers.

> Frank X. O'Leary Watertown, MA

Editor's Note: Thanks for your comments, Frank, I agree with ulot of what you say, however, clubs are telling me they are not meeting expenses and if they don't raise their admission prices, they will go out of existence.

Milt Frazier

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	Spares N Squares	Canton, MA	Schell/Campbell	Plus
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	Coggin Chaggers	Durham, CT	Perkins	
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SAT 30	Village Sqs.	Worcester, MA	Hendrickson/Bryant	
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3,10,17,24	Heel & Toe SDC	Manchester, NH	J.Courtois/L.Courtols	Plus
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4,18	Friendly Mixers	Cranston, RI	/Medeiros	
4,11,25	Single 8's	Haverhill, MA	B.McGee/C.McGee	
11,18,25	Fairtown Sqs.	Topsfield, MA	Mayall	A1
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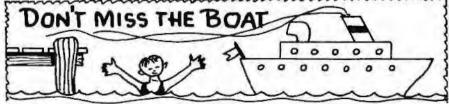
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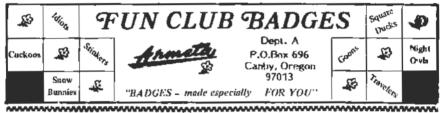
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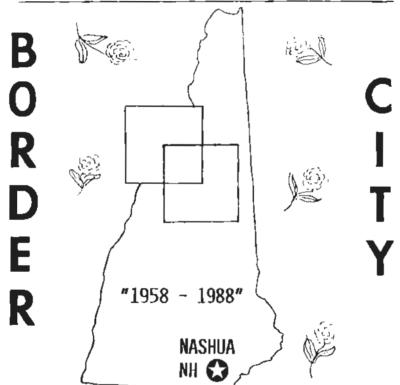
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April 28,29,1989 - Danvers, MA April 27,28,1990 - Danvers, MA April 26,27,28,1991 - Springfield, MA June 23,24,25,1988 - Anaheim, CA June 22,23,24,1989 - Oklahoma City, OK June 28,29,30,1990 - Memphis, TN June 27, 28, 29, 1991 - Salt Lake City, UT

#### CALLERLAB

March 20,21,72,1989 - Nashville, TN April 9,10,11,1990 - Orlando, FL March 25,26,27,1991 - Las Vegas, NV April 13,14,15,1992 - To be determined

### ROUNDALAB

June 19,20,21,1988 - Anaheim, CA June 18,19,20,1989 - Oklahoma City, OK June 24,25,26,1990 - Memphis, TN June 23,24,25,1991 - To be determined

#### 26th INTERNATIONAL

May 12,13,14, 1988 - Ontario, Canada

#### LEGACY

May 18,19,20,21,1989 - To be determined 1

# Editor's Notebook

## 1988 CALLERLAB CONVENTION

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l gain this year, 1 write this report on the Callerlah Convention at feet as we return home, this year from Reno where it was held at the Bally Hotel (formerly the MGM Grand) during the last few days of March. New England was well represented by its callers namely Jim Mayo, Red Bates, Eddie Mayell, Skip Brown, Clark Baker, Dick Leger, Charlie Diehl, Don Beck, Mil Dixon, Johnny Wedge, Jane Carlson, Earl Johnston, Ken Ritucci, Shawa Cuddy, Norm Poisson and Mike Trombly. (My apology for any omissions.) Hats off to Tri State Callers Association for being represented by 12 out of the total of 17 callers from New England attending.

It was another great convention with all the committee meetings that are necessary plus all of the break-out sessions on various topics of interest to the callers present from all over the world.

After ample discussion at committee meetings and then consideration by the entire body at the closing session on the Final day, the following was voted:

#### \* Mainstream Program:

- n. Reaffirm that no more than three moves (parent calls) may be added or deleted at any one convention.
- b. Deletion of sub call "Split The Ring".
- Deletion of sub call "Centers Out".
- d. Deletion of purent call "Curlique".
- e. Modify Tng family to rend: fag Family
  - a. Tag the line
  - b. Half tag
  - c. Partner ing
- Drop Mainstream Bold Faced/ Italicized list from further consideration.

- g. Deletion of sub call "Partner flinge".
- h. Add as a sub call "Chain Down The Line" to the Ladies Chain Family.
- Recommendation that Mainstream calls 1 - 67 he taught in not less than sixty hours.

#### \* Plus Program:

- a. Deletion of Triple Trade
- b. Rename "Extend The Tog" to "Extend".

#### \* Community Dance Program:

Approved and accepted as a permanent Calleriab program.

- The Plan An optional teaching sequence for Plus Destinution (previously referred to as "The 25 week Learn to Dance Program". Defeated.
- \* The body voted to recommend to the Calleriab Board of Governors that next years convention should address "Recruiting and retaining new dancers" as a priority topic.

Various other proposals were presented but did not receive the necessary votes.

I am pleased and encouraged that the Mainstream Program is alive and well in most parts of the world to the point where major changes to the program are not needed or wanted.

I am still concerned, however, that so many clubs have become "Plus" with no realistic plan for their beginners to be able to dence with them upon graduation and no mainstream dances for them to go to sponsored by their club.

Maybe it's time for clubs to start looking for solutions to their problems.

Ray Aubut The Northeast Square Duncer May 1988

MARK YOUR CALENDAR. . .Sunday, September 11, 1988 is SQUARE DANCE AWARENESS DAY. Join us at at the City Hall Plaza in Boston. It's right on the subway system and there will be free parking. See page 61 for more information.

## SPECIAL EVENTS of the Month

- MAY 1 EDSARDA Meeting
  - Tri-State Callers Meeting
  - 7 Foundation - Annual Meeting
  - International Convention, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
  - Ould Towne Squares, 30th Anniversary, Newburyport, MA Border City Squares, 30th Anniversary, Nashua, N.H.
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  - 16 Fairtown Squares, 25th Anniversary, Danversport, MA
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Tue. 17 - Acton Square Wheelers, Acton, MA Class Graduation

Wed. 18 - Border City Squares Annual Meeting, Followed by Mainstream Dancing

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ALPINE SQUARES

CHELMSFORD, MA. . . By John and Louise Cryts. . . There was a large number of Alpiners from the Chetmsford Alpine Squares attending the 30th Annual Convention in Portland, ME. Our enthusi-

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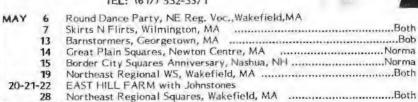
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May 15, Rhode Island Round Dance Teachers-May Ball-Our Lady Mt.Carmel, Seekonk, Ma

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The second dance in May will celebrate our 24th year as a dance club. The annual meeting and election of officers will follow immediately after the dance. The continued success of a dance club depends on having members who are willing to serve.

Coming in June, our annual banquet and dance will be held once again in the same familiar setting that we have enjoyed so many times in the past, the King Philip Ballroom on lovely Lake Pearl Wrentham. Make 111 reservations with Dick and Louise Arvidson. A social hour at 6PM will precede the dinner which will be served promptly at 7pm. We will dance from 8PM to 11PM with our own Bill Bean and the Sargent team manning the mike.

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TUESDAYS

MAY \*3,10,17

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#### Dance Schedule

Wed. May 4th HAPPY SOUARES CLASS GRADUATION, Open, So. Elem. Sch., Sto., 8pm Sat. May 7th CONCORD COACH SDC, Community Ctr., Concord, NH Plus Dance

Fri. May 13th RIVERSIDE SDC, Thorpe School, Danvers, MA Plus Dance

Sat. May 14th BALDWIN APPLE SQUARES, Woburn Sr. Citizens Ctr., Woburn Plus

Sat. May 21st BAY PATH BARN, Boylston, MA A-2 Dance

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May 21 LEO 'Morgan' DUMAS Mainstream

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1988-89 The season. nominating committee has announced an outstanding slate of officers. This meeting is sandwiched between a pot luck supper and a closed dance called and cued by Art and Doris T-Bow.

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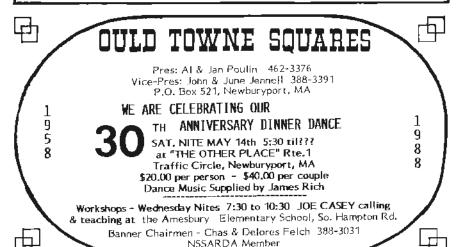
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a blown fuse that delayed the coffee preparation and hence the start of the refreshment break. When it finally was announced, however, the table featured delicacies so attractive and so delicious that thoughts of dancing faded into the background. It became a challenge to Jim and Leo to lure the crowd back onto the floor.

And now, we're looking forward to the graduation of our class in May. We've enjoyed working with them these past months - enjoyed their enthusiasm and shared their excitement as the world of do-si-doism opened up to them. It will be a joy to welcome them as new members of the Square Wheelers.

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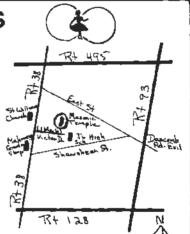
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The Mystery Ride, March 19th, to the Firesiders in Kingston, NH was a delightful surprise! The ham and bean dinner, cooked by Alma Sheltra of the Firesiders, hit the spotcalling and cueing of Horace Upham kept everyone on his toes. It being Pan Cake Night, we were stuffed by the time the evening ended. We thank the Firesiders for their hospitality and Dave and Carol Ditmore for the super

surprise.

We all enjoyed the "Spring Fling". March 6th, at Moseley's in Dedham. It was organized by Beryl and Ken Bibby of the Norwood Squares and sponsored by many local clubs, including the GPS. Red Bates and Leo Matthieu were at their best.

We thank the Do-Si-Doers and Lofty Squares for their hospitality during our recent visits.

Congratulations to Cindy Chapman and Gary Kauffunger on their marriage, February 20th! May they have many square dancing years together.

May's a busy month - annual meeting, officer elections, banquet, pie night and just plain having fun every Wednesday night!

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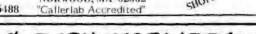
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Keep up the good work, we would be lost without your magazine,

Almost seventy squares recently attended a "Spring Fling" Square and Round Dance at Moseley's on the Charles Ballroom in Dedham. Red Bates was the calter and Leo Mathieu the cuer. Moseley's is a ballroom with a long tradition of elegance with its wonderfully smooth and sprung wooden dance floor, and mirrored wall reflecting the dancers, making the colorful crowd seem even larger.

The dance was produced and directed by Beryl and Ken Bibby of The Norwood

Squares and was sponsored by the Barnstompers, The Buckeroos, the C-U-A-Rounds, the Do-Si-Doers, The Great Plain Squares, The Lofty Squares, The Minutemen Squares, The Side Splitters, The Norwood Squares and The Square Riggers with support from The Square Dance Foundation of New England.

The Co-sponsorship of the eleven clubs worked very well in sharing the effort of selling so many tickets and providing help and refreshments on the night. If anyone would like details of how the sponsoring arrangements were set up they may call 617-769-3521.

Norwood Square Dancers will be holding their 25th Anniversary at Moseley's on Sunday the 23rd of September again with Red Bates calling and Jo Yakimowski cueing.



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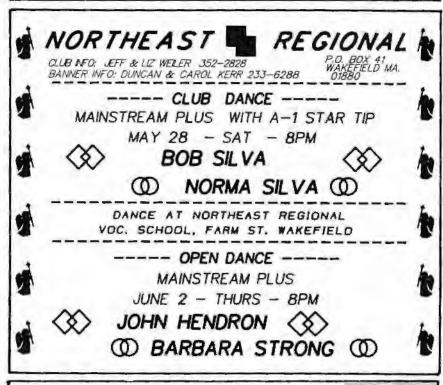
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thanks. We sure do appreciate the refreshments provided by the Quellettes and committee. Also, thanks to Pea DeSellier for organizing and running the Tea Cup Auction. Thanks to club members for their donations.

Congrats to Trish & Armand Joly, George & Peg DeSellier, John & Nancy McDonald, Len & Connie Houle, Jim E Peg Roberts and the Vagabonds for being awarded certificates at D.S.A. awards dinner, dance.

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  - Swingles, M,Lou Taddia/Benoit, K of C Hall, 63 Park Ave., West Springfield
  - 7 Chic-Mates, 2, Dan Guin/L. Case. Ma Sq & R/D Ctr., Willimansett>MOMS DAY 13 Happy Squares, M, Steve Gallant/Landry, Easthampton Cong.Ch., Easthampton
  - 13 Wilbraham Wheel C,M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree St. Ctr., Main St., Wilbr.

  - 14 Dancing Shadows, 2, Buddy Dow/Daviaus, St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley
  - 14 Hampden Prom. 2, Red Bates/Landry, Brunton Sch., 1801 Parker St., Springfield
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Red Bates and Leo Mathieu a great job calling and cueing. raided Great Plain Squares and danced to Yikes Cameron at their Leprechaun Dance, for that night everyone was a little bit Irish. Yes, we even had a little bit of Irish Luck, Doris won another mug - she must have quite a collection by now. We are eagerly awaiting their retrieval in May. you haven't danced "The Camblers Tip" at our 4th Sunday night dances, why not plan to come and have some fun and see what it's all about. This month we'll also have all the Strawberries you can eat, check our ad for the date.

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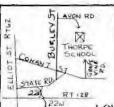
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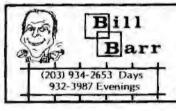
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LITTLETON, NH...By Red & Eleanor Thompson...News time again! March has been a busy month. On March 5th, we retrieved our banner from Woodstock, VT. It was a fun dance with "Jolly" Roger Carignan calling and his wife, Jan, cueing. None of us had previously danced to him, so it was a new experience. We enjoyed it very much.

On March 13th, we were overjoyed to entertain a busload of mystery riders from Kingston, NH. Forty-two dancers arrived right on schedule and a good time was had by all. It was our ice cream social and since we knew they

were coming, there was plenty for all. Art Lavigne gave everyone a good dance. Jim and Barbara Connelly cued and had a large circle of round dancers.

We feel that the Littleton Square Dance Club has a good situation for mystery rides or banner raids. With dances in the afternoon, folks can be back at home at an early hour and still have plenty of dancing time. We welcome groups of any size to come and see us.

Ralph Peacock, our former club caller, substituted on March 6th for Dona Prudhomme. It was good to see Ralph again.



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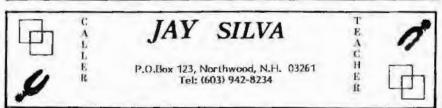
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ALL recent square dance graduates and rusty mainstreamers are cordially invited to help the JESTERS celebrate a BIRTHDAY! It will be held at the MAPLEWOOD SCHOOL in SOMERSWORTH, NH on May 21,1988 from 8 til 11 PM.

Our caller will be the inimitable "HAPPY HARRY" TROTT and in her debut performance of 1988 in the New Hampshire area, EVY CARTER will cue the rounds.

Refreshments will be served, a POT-O-GOLD will be offered, and door prizes will be awarded for attendance. Banner raids are welcome and information obtained from Harold and Doralee Grant (603) 692-2832 or Lenny and Ginny Silver (603) 742-1723 MAINSTREAM with PLUS



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On March 5th, we raided the Concord Coach Squares and enjoyed an evening of dancing to Joe Casey, and the cuing of Bernie Porter. It's great fun to meet new friends, and a wonderful way to build our own club.

We held our Annual Meeting on March 12th with the following new slate of officers for 1988-89; Presidents, Ed Phillips and Lillian Spalthoff; V.P.'s, Ruth and Tom Colby; Treasurers, Al Chickering; and Ginny Recording tary, Maggie and Dick Vatter; Corresponding Secretaries, Jean Secretary. and Brian Overdorff. We honor and and thank last year's officers for a job well done and congratulate the new Executive Board on their election. Following the meeting we were surprised by the Jumptown Twirlers, and enjoyed a full evening of relaxed dancing to club caller, Charlie McLend.

At press time, we'll all be hoping for warmer temperatures, and looking forward to the Portland Convention.



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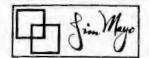


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In April of 1974 a Teen Club "Fun Loving Teens" was sponsored. In April of 1976 the blue and white ginghem club dress was adopted and the club participated in the Nashua Bicentennial Parade in July, 1978.

Border City Squares was an active participant in the 20th New England Square Dance Convention held in Manchester, NII in April, 1979.

A new club dress was adopted in May of 1982 before we celebrated our 25th Anniversary.

In 1986 due to poor attendance the "Fun Loving Teen Club" was dissolved.

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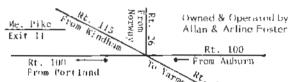
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Eastern District Square and Round Dance Assoc. John and Barbara Miller, Membership 275 Concord Road Wayland, MA 01778 Square Dance Foundation of New England Marge and Ken Curry, Membership P.O. Box 148 Alfred, ME 04002

Your club can benefit from the materials available and in sharing of the experience of others.

Dick and Judy Severance

The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine, May 1988

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#### THE DO'S AND DON'TS FOR BEING A GOOD CLUB MEMBER

- I. How to form a square.
- 2. Don't force your way into set.
- 3. Once in set, don't leave,
- 4. Dance where your ability permits.
- Dan't get too good to dance with beginners or new dancers.
- If your set breaks down often don't blame the other fellow, maybe it's you.
   If it is the other fellow, maybe he had a bad day.
- Don't be critical of callers. Most callers work all day.
- Join a club when you're ready. Check with club caller, he will give you an honest opinion.
- Get on floor when music starts or caller soys square your set.
- As a club member, see that all visitors that want, get to donce.

- As a club member don't set out when you see three couples needing one more to dance.
- 12. Use deodurant.
- If you drink before dance or eat onions, garlic, etc., use samething to kill odor.
- Be on time for your own club dances as often as possible.
- Your club should come first should unother dance be held the same night.
- 16. Be gentle.
- Greet all guests at club dances and try to dance with them at least ance.
- Don't dance with same people or in same carner of holf.
- When visiting a club, be sure and tell the caller and host you had an enjoyable night.
- 20. HAVE FUN ALWAYS.

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Tody Kne Smith

#### SPRING AND SUMMER JACKETS TO MAKE

I spent a good two hours going through the pattern books, hoping to find all sorts of great little jackets that would be suitable to wear with square dance dresses. Mostly there were big sloppy jackets to be worn by tall slim young women in baggy pants, but I finally found a few trim fitted ones that would look really well with our full skirted dresses.

#### BUTTERICK had three fitted ones:

# 5898 - Very easy multi sizes of 8-10-12 or 14-16-18. This had a peplum, which, if full enough, would be fine coming out over the full skirt with petticoat. Or the peplum could be eliminated, having the jacket stop right at the waistline. You might want to make the sleeves a little fuller - gathered at the shoulders to allow room for puffed sleeves underneath. This pattern

puffed sleeves underneath. This pat costs \$4.95.

\$ 5905 at \$4.95 on page 2089 comes in 3 sizes to a package, 6-8-10, 12-14-16 or 18-20-22. An easy pattern, which includes instructions for a lining. It stops just a little below the waistline so you might want to cut it off to be just at your waistline.

# 5948 is \$4.95 and includes two little straight skirts for a summer suit. This is a bolero jacket which could be held closed at the front by a little chain with a button at each end and a buttonhole on each side of the jacket opening, or a tab with a buttonhole and a button attached to the other side. This comes in multi sizes of 6-8-10 or 12-14-16. It can be found on page 2948 of the catalog.



# 5958 - \$5.25 and comes in sizes 8 to 18. This is an interestingly tailored jacket with fine lines and requiring shoulder pads to look right. The peplum could also be left off this one, too, with a slight adjustment of the front button. The pattern for a little straight skirt is included also, which makes for a very handsome suit. The jacket is also shown with braid trim which is really nice. You will find this on page 2949 of the catalog.



CONTINUED >

The classic Hooded Cape # 6796 is still available for \$4.95 and comes in sizes Small (8-10), Medium (12-14) or Large (16-18). See page 2992. Very easy to make.

SIMPLICITY comes through with one very nice little button-up fitted jacked with modified leg-o-mutton sleeves fouffed and roomy at the shoulders but narrow at the wrists), little round neck, and good shaping but no fancy details. Directions for lining. It takes 24 yards of 44" material for a size 12 and costs \$5.75, in sizes 6 to 16. # 8361 on page 878 of the catalog.

Also take a good look at # 8447 on page 943 of the SIMPLICITY book. A very lively

8361 S/D skirt done in two layers of checked gingham, the top layer in tiny red and white checks, the under layer in slightly bigger checks of black and white and trimmed in fluffy white eyelet. Topped with a white peasant blouse and a wide cumberbund of black. Very effective!

On page 806 in the same book, I could not help but notice a black and white striped dress that was very sharp. The style, if adjusted, would be very nice for square dancing.

Have fun with your sewing!

\*\*If you are requesting answers. please send a self-addressed & stamped cave lope. JHE

Judy Foley P.O. Box 344 The Northeast Square Dancer, May 1988

Note: For those of you who don't sew, there is something for you. Just look in the square dance shops and you will find a very neat little quilted jacket that comes just to the waist. It comes in either black or white and is just the dung for a cool summer evenina. J, H, F,

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#### A GUIDELINE FOR NEW GRADUATES

#### Don't dance in the back of the hall!

The tendency is for the newer dancer who is a little unsure of himself, to want to hide in back where he thinks the Caller can't see their Square brook down. If all the newer duncers dance in the back, you are only dancing with rach other, and your Square is more apt to break down. And if there is going to be a sound problem, it will be in the back where the sound has to travel through all the people dancing in front. The crowd noises also make it harder to hear. Obviously everyone can't itance in front but don't be ofraid to take your turn.

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## FAIRTOWN SQUARES

TOPSFIELD, MA

Fairtown Squares of Topsfield are celebrating their 25th year of dancing at the Danversport Yacht Club, May 16, 1988.

The Topsfield Fairgrounds — hence the name Fairtown — was the site of the original workshops and classes with open dances soon a tradition at the Proctor School.

In 1971 the club moved to the Trinity Parish House and in 1980 to its present location at the Masconomet Regional School. Harry Pike, Herm Parker, Charley Titley, Bob Burwell and John Chadwick were the early callers and teachers. In 1965, Jim Mayo became club caller and remains so today. Mike LaDeRoute joined the club as class caller in the mid 70's followed by John Courtois in the mid 80's. As interest in round dancing increased in the 80's Lorraine Courtois became club cuer.

The club has enjoyed other various activities over the years — barbeques, pot-luck suppers, mystery rides, fashion shows, banner raids, dancing, yard sales and the meeting of many friendly people. We hope to continue for many years to come and invite all to visit us.

#### - FAIRTOWN SQUARES BANNER PROCESSIONAL -



Banner Chairmen: Roberta & George Fitch followed by Aileen & Roy Thorne, Bill & Mildred Churchard, Angie & Bill Sutherland — wearing new Banner Costume.









have had a request this month for a recipe a stir fry dish. As I love to use my wok I was so glad to hear

others enjoy wok cooking also. Before I get to the recipes, however, I would like to start off with a few hints:



1. Peanut oil is by far the best for Chinese wok cooking. I have tried others and I do agree with all the experts. NEVER USE NUTTER OR MARGARINE.

2. Soy Sauce light in color should be used in light color cooking, while the dark is for stewing and chinese-frying (wok cooking). Sugar should always follow soy sauce, in small quantities to blend the flavor, not to sweeten.

Cornstarch is fine for thickening, you can also use taptoca starch which is stronger in consistency and less expensive.

Kinds of ment that may be used: Beef, chicken, duck, fish filets, cod (or similar type for sweet and sour cooking). Shring and scallops may also be used and pork (tenderloin or small leg of pork).

A few more steps to follow will make life ensier and give you delicious results:

- 1. The wok must be very dry and clean. or it will burn.
- There are always two hasic parts to Chinese dishes. One - the vegetables - called the complement and Two - the principal - the The complement or the vegetables is meat. almost always cooked first.
- 3. Try to calculate the amount of oil you will need to cook the complement. One tablespoon is usually enough for a small portion. Preheat wok to a very high temperature, put oil in the wok then add the complement immediately. Do not heat the oil in the wok before adding your complement or the food will stick to the wok. Remember - Hot Wok - Cold Oil.
- When the complement is almost 3/4 done. take it out, set aside, and keep it warm.
- 5. Clean the wok with a paper towel, reheat to a very high temperature again and add 3 tablespoons of oil to the principal.
- When the principal is about 3/4 done the complement back to wok and add seasonings.

- Now let's give it a try. -

## Diced Chinese-Fried Chicken with Bamboo Shoots

8 oz. chicken diced (cook first because bamboo shoots take a very short time) 8 oz. can bamboo shoots diced 1 t T. dark sov sauce

I tsp. sugar 2 T. wine

#### Marinade for Chicken

1 T. dark soy I T. wine

1 tsp. sugar I T. corn starch

In this recipe fry chicken until half done. Add the bamboo shoots and seasonings and cook until chicken is done. Instead of bamboo shoots you may use 8 oz. of green peppers, 8 oz. of red peppers or 8 oz, of celery.

Now I should get to why I am writing this column. I have had a request for a dish using scallops, This is for you, Mattanelli of Medfield, MA. See what you started?

This is a very easy recipe as I use the frozen chinese vegetables.

Heat wok and place 1 T. of oil in wok. Add 2 pkg. of Frozen Chinese



vegetables).

Vegetables to wok (follow directions on package). To this I add I tsp. of

dark soy sauce.

When vegetables Bre 3/4 cooked. remove and clean wok and add the 3 T. of oil and add the scallops. When scallops are 3/4 done (short time) add vegetables back to wok, mix with seallops, add the two flavor packs that come with vegetables (some come already in

Cook until done. I like to serve most of my dishes over egg noodles. (Some people prefer rice.)

Mattanelli, I thank you for asking and I hope you enjoy it. This is also good for Chicken, Pork and Beef. It's quick and easy.

'Till next month.

Carole Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine May 1988



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Spearheaded by Ron and Goldie Clifford of the Square Riggers in Natick and Wellesley, Massachusetts, the event will be reminiscent of the Prudential Center Dances some of you may remember.

The concept gained impetus when Jim Pulaski, a caller from Central Massachusetts, in delivering the Key Note address at the Fairs 'N Squares Annual President's Seminar struck the theme of Square Dancing — the world's best kept secret.

Why hold the event in Boston? Because no other location affords the opportunity for media exposure that Boston does.

Why hold it in September? September is National Square Dance Month and the time most clubs start new classes and seek exposure.

Coordinated by a steering committee of representatives from EDSARDA, NSSARDA, SEMCA, WACA, WMSARDA, NECCA, NECORTA, THE SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION, TRI STATE CALLERS, and others, the event promises to help unveil the "secret".

The City of Boston through its Department of Business and Cultural Affairs is lending its full support.

Circle the date on your calendar now. Whether you come alone, caravan, or charter a bus, plan to attend. There will be free parking and it's right on the subway system.

You will be hearing more about this as time approaches. For more information phone Ray and Carole Aubut at (617) 458-9800.



## NEW ENGLAND COUNCIL OF ROUND-DANCE TEACHERS ASSOCIATIONS

Dear Round Dance Leader:

Here are the NECORTA SCREENING SELECTIONS for Spring. As far as we can tell all the records are readily available except the ones noted (\*). We have made an addition to our listing, at the request of Record Shops; If a cue has not yet been unblished we are arranging to supply the Record Shops with a copy and these dances will be noted by (R/S). find that it sometimes takes a few months for some sheets to be lished. Hope this helps. Eator we will be listing the dunces published. Hope this helps. L taught at the Portland Convention.

Roundly yours, Jom Riding, NECORIA SCREENING CHAIRMAN

#### NECORTA SCREENING SELECTIONS - SPRING - March 6th 1988

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1. I AIN'T GOT NOBODY (Trowell) (Two Sten)

2. DON'T MESS AROUND

(Campbell) (Two Step)

MCR 044 (HiHat 974)

GOLDIGGER LSG 1005

(Jim Croche)

BELCO 364 A

Not yet publish (R/S)

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#### EASY/INTERMEDIATE (PHASE II+ & III)

1. I CAN'T GIVE YOU ANY-THING BUT LOVE (Lawson)

(Two Step)

TWO STEPPIN ANGELS (Rov) GRENN 14298

Not yet published (R/S)

(Two Step)

2.A BEAUTIFUL TIME

(Dollar/Gilbreath)

ULL BE THE ONE (Jabour) (Cha Cha)

MERCURY 888 650-7 (Statler Bros)

(Flip of DE JA VU)

EPIC 34 05782 (Merle Haggard)

April 86 R/D Mag

Dec 87 R/D Mag

## (\*may be hard to get locally)

#### INTERMEDIATE (PHASE III+ & IV)

1. NOW OR NEVER (McCord) (Rhumba)

ESP 010

with record

SWEETHEART TREE WALTZ

(Wolcott) (Waltz)

Roper 141

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I'M IN LOVE (Cellipl) (Foxtrot)

SPEC Pressing CDC 11002

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(Bert Kemprett)

HI INTERMEDIATE (PHASE V)

1. SPANISH HARLEM (Colligi)

SPEC Pressing CDC 11003 (Ray Anthony)

Jan 88 Apt.Pt Mag (R/\$)

ኳ. YOU SAY THE SWEETEST THINGS (Wiseman)

MGM M 14712 (Ronnie Session/Patty Tiernen)

Not yet published (R/S)

(Foxtrot/Jive)

(Foxtrot)

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THAT'S YOU (Smardelli)

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## ROUND DANCE

#### LAIN'T GOT NOBODY

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RECORD: MGR044 (HH974)

Dance: Two Step

Level: Roundalab Phase II HIHAT Phase II Opposite, directions for M except as noted Footwark:

Sequence: Intro, A, B, A, B, ENDING

MEAS: INTRO

1-4 WAIT: WAIT: APT .- PT .-: TOG OP LOD .- TCH .-: 1-4 wait; wait; in open fcg apt L,-,pt R,-; tog R OP LOD,-,tch

L,-;

#### PART A

TWO FWD TWO STEPS:: OPEN REV BOX:: 1-4

> 1-4 in OP LOD fwd L,c! R,fwd L,-; fwd R,c! L,fwd R,-; sd L,ci R, bk L,-; sd R,cl L, fwd R,-;

VINE APT: VINE TOG OP RLOD: VINE APT: VINE TOG OP RLOD: 5-8

In OP LOD sd L, XRIB, sd L, -;

6 sd R, XLIB, sd R turn RF & on 4th ct by rising on ball of R changing sides to OP RLOD,-;

7 sd L, XRIB, sd L,-;

sd R,XLIB,sd R,-; NOTE: adjustment to be made on meas 6 В E 8 by W moving slightly fwd E ahead of M.

REPEAT MEASURES 1 THRU 8 9-16

### PARTB

WALK .- . Z -: SCIS BELY WALL: HITCH APT: SCIS THRU LOP RLOD: 1-4

in OP LOD fwd L,-,fwd R,-; sd L,cl R,XLIF to BFLY WALL,-; bk R,cl L,fwd R,-; sd L,cl R,XLIF to LOP RLOD,-;

5-8 WALK .- 2; SCIS BFLY WALL; HITCH APT; SCIS THRU SCP LOD;

In LOP RLOD fwd R,-,fwd L,-; sd R,cl L,XRIF to BFLY WALL,-; bk L,cl R,fwd L,-; sd R,cl L,thru R to SCP LOD,-;

9-12 TWO FWD TWO STEPS:: HALF BOX: SCIS THRU CP LOD:

In SCP LOD fwd L,cl R,fwd L,-; fwd R,cl L,fwd R,-; blend to 9 - 12CP WALL sd L.cl R.fwd L,-; sd R,cl L,thru R picking W up to CP LOD,-;

13-16 PROG SCIS:: TWO TURNING TWO STEPS OF LOD::

13-16 In CP LOD sd L,cl R,XLIF(W XR(B)to SCAR DLW,-; sd R,cl L, XRIF (W XLIB) to BJO, -; blend to CP WALL ad L, cl R, starting RF turn sd & bk L,-; cont RF turn sd R,cl L,sd & fwd R to OP LOD,-;

#### ENDING

1-4 TWO FWD TO STEPS:: SCIS BFLY WALL: BACK.CLOSE.POINT .-:

In OP LOD fwd L,cl R,fwd L,-; fwd R,cl L,fwd R,-; sd L,cl R, XLIF (W XRIF) to BFLY WALL, -; bk R,cl L,point R,-;

Tom Riding

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Before planning your clubs Special Event, be sure to call 617-452-3222 to make sure no other clubs are planning a dunce in your area that will conflict Y O U R Special Dance.

> - THE NORTHEAST SQUARE DANCER \* \* \*

JMMEN"



Milestone Award ince the May issue is usually available during the weekend of the New England Convention this is a timely issue. The Convention is a volunteer operation into which a lot of people put a lot of work. The work done by dancers is recognized by most people, I think. Nearly everyone knows that Committees work, sometimes hundreds of hours, in order to assure that those attending the Convention will have a great time. Even so, I have been bothered at times in the past by the criticisms that are leveled at Convention managements. Certainly they do not do everything perfectly but we should all remember when we complain that they have done it without compensation. Another group that volunteers their services so that everyone can have a good time is the calling and cueing staff. I have been surprised, in the past, to learn that many dancers think the callers and cuers are paid for their appearance at the Convention. Not true! No one is paid for the services to the Convention. We (the staff) pay our own way and all our own expenses. In addition, many of the staff give up a night's fee as well. You might say "50 what, dancers pay their own way too?" That's true but dancers get to decide whether they want to go and they also get to dance. Most callers ( and I suspect most cuers, too) find that the schedule is busy enough so that they do little more than meet the demands placed on them. I know that's true for me. If I dance, it will be a couple of tips in a hall I'm about to call in and I will be checking all the time to see whether there are problems I need to notice. I've also heard complaints that some of New England's "better" callers aren't calling at the Convention. That's certainly true but they apparently feel that the dancers who hire them for dances don't care whether they make this contribution to the New England square dance activity. Judging from the demand for their services I have to agree. I have called at all of the N.E. Conventions. I do it because I believe I owe that to the activity from which I have received enjoyment and income. I wish all callers felt the same obligation but I can not accept criticism of those who don't from the clubs that hire them.

The Northeast Square Dancer, May 1988



DID WE SAY THAT?

A new book, FAVORITE SAYINGS OF SQUARE DANCERS, is being put together by LEGACY, the leadership and communications organization of square dance leaders from around the world. Undertaken as a fund-raising project, sayings have been gathered from dancers, callers, and other sources in our activity. Published by Gordon Goss and Valerie Thornton, editors of NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY, the hundreds of sayings are a combination of humor, wit and some serious thoughts. Reading this book will bring hours of pleasure to dancers and non-dancers alike.

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## SEACOAST REGION S/D ASSOC. Dover, NH

Although summer seems a long way off, due to numerous inquiries, we are glad to report that some of the club members and representatives of the State Parks Dept. have been working on plans for the dance floor at Hampton Beach State Park. We hope to open our summer season there. Watch for further favorable information.

John and Ruth Buchanan Dover, NH

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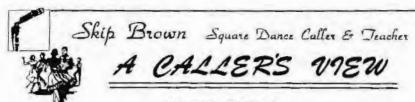
It was a nice feeling to be surrounded by our square dancer clubs, dancers, callers, cuers. All of them were winners at the D.S.A. awards. Winners were Springfield Convention Bureau, non-dancer award, Dale Seymour, new dancer, Swingles, club, Carole Landry cuer, Dan Guin caller, Dot Hamilton dancer of the year and Jean York D.S.A. The "Good Guys", Ron Reardon and Dick Caniff and Marge Headon cuer provided some fine dancing for the dancers attending. Congrats to all!

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The Square Dance Foundation of New England was founded in 1973. This dream of its founders and first Presidents, the late Charlie and Bertha Baldwin of establishing a New England Archive Center to house the memorabilia and collectibles of this region's dance heritage took a giant step forward in 1983 with the purchase of Kramer's Hayloft in So. Weymouth, MA. During the past five years we have been involved in a significant effort of fund raising and property development to a point where we are now ready to direct our energies to our Library, Museum and Educational Center. Our membership body consists of individuals, clubs and organizations interested in the preservation of the history of our social dance. We care about our dance heritage of the past and want to see it continue on as a living legacy for today's dancer and the future growth of the activity. All interested parties in this cause are urged to join our membership. thoughts turn grateful to those who have made our progress possible. Let us begin the development of this Archive Center together. For a brochure about the Foundation's goals and purpose along with membership information write Square Dance Foundation of New England, P.O. Box 329, Beverly, MA

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## "WEEKENDS"

I have just completed a "Weekend" in Fairhaven Massachusetts with Jane Carlson and Vernon Porter. Now those of you who have never attended one are probably wondering what I mean by "Weekend". We all know the everyday definition of a weekend — it's that period of time between the end of work on Friday and the beginning of work Monday. The Square Dancer version of a weekend is that same period of time but the hours are filled with friends and fun and food and lots of fantastic dancing. A typical "Weekend" goes something like this...

Friday afternoon, sometime after lunch, the dancers and callers and cuers arrive at the hotel (or resort) in groups of two or three or so, pick up their room keys and unpack. Around 5 PM everyone meets in the dance hall for an hour or so of renewing past friendships and making new ones; then comes dinner — it might be a sit down dinner, or a cafeteria style meal with several choices, or even an outdoor (weather permitting) barbeque. Whatever the arrangements are you can be sure you will get plenty of good food to eat. After supper there is sufficient time to visit, to change clothing, and to get back to the dance area in time for the Friday night dance — the callers and cuers usually have some surprises for you on the dance floor. And after the dance there might be an after party — right there in the dance area — with skits and songs and what not.

Saturday starts with Breakfast at Eight; Square and Round Workshops at Nine; a break at Eleven; Lunch at Noon and a free afternoon for those who want it; for those who don't, your callers and cuers will give you dancing. I've used our Saturday afternoon to give a boost to a couple of young callers by letting them call to one square of dancers and then gave them some pointers and advice and examples — (ask to hear my "Garbage" tip sometime)]. Saturday continues with Dinner at Six; Dancing at Eight; and Entertainment at Eleven.

Sunday begins with a light breakfast, continues with a farewell dance, and ends with a super brunch at Noon.

If you have never been on a "Weekend", Gang, think about attending one — ask your caller or cuer about it — or drop me a line and I'll tell you where they are.

Smooth Doncing,

Skip Brown 104 Brighton Avenue Portland, ME 04102

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#### Editor's Note:

We applicate for inadvertently omitting an important part of the title of last months article by Skip Brown. It should have read "An Open Letter to 5.A.S.O.M.E. or Congratulations".

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#### WWW GET WELL SOON

The many friends of Roger Whynol will be saidened to learn that he underwent a laryngectomy on Thursday, January 7th. Cards and letters can be sent to him at his home, 412 Hale St., Prides Crossing, MA 01965.



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## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION OF NEW ENGLAND HOME

IN SOUTH WEYMOUTH, MA

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While driving home from a recent work party, we suddenly realized that many members and dancers don't know what has been accomplished or is being done to improve the Square Dance Foundation of New England (SDFNE) property, formerty Kramers Hayloft, in South Weymouth, MA since its purchase in December of 1983.

Initially, a number of improvements were made such as painting the downstairs hall, refinishing the dance floors upstairs and down, putting up curtains in various areas, putting down new linoleum in the ladies! room, installing ceiting fans and a water cooler in the upstairs hall as well as completing many other maintenance projects.

As more funds became available, more major projects were started and accomplished. We have noted some of these below for your information:

The first undertaking was the complete renovation of the Long Barn. This small barn was the first building to be converted from a cow barn to a square dance hall by Sam Kramer and was used by Charlie Baldwin and other callers. Many years later Sam converted the big barn into a dance facility with dance floors both up and down. Unfortunately, the Long Barn (hay barn) caught fire and was damaged to the extent that Sam repaired it and then used it for storage. The Trustees recognized it as a potential meeting hall. With voluinteer help and donations of material such as insulation, sheet rock, doors, lights, curtains, a ventilating fan, etc., the Long Barn is in the process of being completed. There is still work to be done to finish the renovation but the Trustees and Directors hold their meetings in this building releasing the Dance Barn for other rentals. For a small donation to cover the cost of utilities, this hall may be reserved for other organizations to hold their meetings. No dancing or public meetings are allowed in this building. To all those who have helped with this project to date, a big THANKYOU.

The exterior of the Dance Barn has been painted along with its foundation and the silo. The two dancing couples on the front of the Barn have been repainted. This was accomplished from the money received from the 1987 raffle and supplemented by income from the property rentals. The long 'Creamery' building, housing our office and garages was painted white with green doors. Ernie Weldner, our manager, donated the paint and labor to complete this project.

New sewer lines were installed to the Dance Barn, the two-family house and the 'Creamery' building. A new two-inch water line was installed to the Dance Barn at the same time. This new water line increases the water pressure considerably as the original pipes came from the 'Creamery' building and across the property in an old galvanized pipe. The sewer connections have eliminated the use of the cesspool which had to be pumped out regularly. This capital expenditure was accomplished with funds received from the sale of the field beside the Dance Barn.

A section of the downstairs hall in the Dance Barn was badly worn in front of the caller's platform. This area has been repaired and refinished. The remainder of the floor will be refinished by volunteer help. (Is anyone available?)

The apartments in the two-family house have had several rooms papered and painted.

A number of security lights have been installed outside throughout the property.

New soap and towel dispensers have been installed in the restrooms as well as many other maintenance projects.

#### Plans for the future =

A lot of memorabilia has been donated for our Library/Museum, most of which is currently stored in the 'Creamery' building and its old refrigerator room. The 1988 Foundation Raffle this year is being conducted to raise funds to help pay for the beginning of a construction program towards our long awaited Library/Museum facility. Your support of the raffle will help the Foundation and the square dance community

#### SQUARE DANCE FOUNDATION OF NEW ENGLAND (continued)

provide a safe depository for square, round, folk, line, clogging and country dance memorabilia.

Help is needed to plan design and renovate the Library/Museum facility. We will undoubtedbly have to do this project in phases as funds become available. We must start now! If anyone has architectural or construction background and is willting to volunteer his or her services to assist in the planning of this project, please contact Ernie Chase, (617) 922-2422. We need your help!

Other projects under consideration for early action are the repair of the piazzas on the two-family house, the painting of the house, improvements to the parking lot, landscaping, improve the electrical service to the Dance Barn, redecorate the Dance Barn lobby and refinish the dance floors to name a few of them.

While much has been done to the Long Barn, additional work is needed both inside and out. We will be looking for volunteers to assist us. Work parties have been held on a number of Saturdays during March. If you or your club want to help, please call Ernie Chase for information at (617) 922-2422-

The Dance Barn is being used regularly by several clubs for their workshops and/or dances. Also, since we have discontinued our Saturday night dances, the hall has been rented for caller-run dances. The hall is being used for aerobic classes during the week. There are also reservations for weddings, parties and other affairs and it is expected there will be clambakes, picnics, etc., this summer.

The Foundation and the Board of Trustees want to thank all those dancers and individuals who have helped in the work parties, donated materials and have financially supported the Foundation. Thanks to the Gallers and Cuers who have donated their services at our Saturday night dances. Such support is helping the Foundation to be a better service to the square dance community.

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## Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

#### A STORY ABOUT KON TIKE

The increasing standardization in round dancing is generally a positive development, particularly as cueing becomes more reliable. However, one side effect of standardization seems to be dances which are more and more alike and interchangeable. While this may reduce gimmicky, non-standard cues and figures, it may also discourage the creation of the dances | like best -- those which follow the rules, but in idiosyncratic ways. These dances may be a bit harder to learn initially, but once the dancer has mastered them, they take on a unique individuality. I would hate to see these dances slowly dropped by non-use from the round dance repettoire.

Kon Tiki was written by Marge and Burt Glazier and first published in 1960. It is considered a classic, yet at Saturday night dances, I often fear it would be risky to include it. However, even if we let it slip away, it is ironic but comforting to know that somebody else likes it too.

Several years ago I was coeing rounds at a Tech Squares workshop. At that time, the workshop was held in the MIT Student Center and we often had many observers. A 40-ish couple came in to watch. They stayed longer and seemed more interested than most casual visitors. I greeted them and found out that they were visiting the US from Israel and had never seen American square and round dancing before, although they were active in several folk dance groups back home. They found our dancing very interesting and mimicked some of the round dance steps along the sidelines.

When I put Kon Tiki on, their eyes nearly popped out of their heads. A couple of measures into the dance they jumped into the circle and proceeded to dance Kon Tiki with the assurance of a well-known favorite. I couldn't wait to talk to them afterwards -- how did they know Kon Tiki?

I found out that one of their favorite dance groups back home was run by a man who travelled extensively. Wherever he went, he looked for local dances, dances he thought were worthwhile on their own, not necessarily as a sample of a type or nationality. He found Kon Tiki in his travels and took it to the folks back home. It seems to me a great compliment to the dance and its choreographers that someone who collects dances from many sources found Kon Tiki worth including in his collection. I hope we will always make room for dances which, like Kon Tiki, follow the rules but in no way are like other dances of the same rhythm. To paraphrase Dorothy Shaw, "Standardization, not homogenization."

Happy Dancing,

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ldeas for columns come to me at odd times. I was dubbing tapes of Ed Gilmore's Long Island dance, done over 30 years ago, and had the volume turned up as I was sewing a new 18th century frock coat in the dining room.

It was interesting as I could usually tell what the calls were, his diction being so good. I noticed the same thing with Ralph Page (even with his New Hampshire accent). I wonder if somebody would care to do a survey of callers of different levels of ability and see if the "top" callers are easily understood at the double speed. I'm curious, but have more important things to get at so that column Idea ends here.

At our March, third Saturday live music dance in Newtown, another thought came to me while calling Herbie Gaudreau's Needham Special. I had several "options" pencilled on the yellowed sheet and thought of those people that think all traditional style dances MUST be done only one way. That's basically true for most of the very old classics although Chorus Jig has changed since 1937 (see Toleman and Page, The Country Dance Book, reprinted in 1976).

There are times for changes so I thought I'd give Herbie's dance first and then some of the options available.

# NREDHAM SPECIAL

By: Herbie Gaudreau

Formation: Alternate duple contra

Music: 32-bar reel or jig

Al All Fwd & back; Swing your Corner. End facing down, man on L, lady on R in a line-of-4.

- A2 All down 4-in-line, turn as Couples: come back & face across the set (bend the line).
- BI Lanjes Chain (over & back).
- 82 All pass through & turn back alone; "Those who can" Half Right and Left across

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"Those who can" signifies those who are in a "normal", lady on the right, man on the left, couple.

The options? In Al a Balance and Swing with the corner could be used. Or, another Al could be DoSIDo Corner, Swing Corner, In B2 a Half Promenade across may be used to replace the Half Right and Left.

I used the Half Promenade that evening as a number of the newer dancers weren't spotting the new "normal" couple to Half Right and Left. In the Half Promenade the dancers take hold of one another and the odds are that, usually, one of the two will know where they're going and help the other along. In traditional dancing right hands aren't taken when doing Rights and Lefts.

IMPORTANT NOTE!! Ordinarily, in an alternate duple, the dancers at the ends cross over while waiting out one turn of the dance. Needham Special has the cross over built into the figure.

Chip Hendrickson Northeast Square Dancer May 1988

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# CHALLENGE RAMBLINGS

Ed Foote, Chairman of the Callerlab Challenge Committee, announced that his committee has reviewed the current C-2 program and voted to make the following changes. Calls added: None. Calls dropped: Cross Horseshoe Turn, Step and (Anything), and X Formation/X Circulate. The next balloting for the C-2 list will occur in late 1989. I will send you a copy of the new list if you send me a SASE.

What is the correct or true definition of a call? This issue seems to comes up all the time, especially at a dance or workshop when the caller has just taken advantage of some obscure part of the definition (e.g. using a concept that requires the call Square Thru to be divided into parts (it has 7 doesn't it?)).

There are several possible sources for the definition: The original author, the "official" Callerlab definition, your tope group leader, your caller, the caller at the dance, the best dancer you know, look in Burleson's Encyclopedia, or look in Galburt's Glossary.

Most discussions in which I have participated always get back to the author's original intent. If we only knew what he had wanted, the problem would be solved. I totally disagree with this.

When a choreographer invents a new call, he does his best to think about possible extensions, variations, and ambiguities. He should create a written definition including examples and teaching hints, and communicate this to the world (usually through callers note services).

Once the call has been given to the folks, it is up to them to learn it, dance it, misunderstand it, and possible "improve" it. Square dancing is a folk art and, as such, it is constantly changing and evolving. The original author can do his best to send his creation into the world the way he wants it but after that I believe he has lost control.

If the original author isn't the source for the correct definition of a call, then who is? If Callerlab has a definition (which it does up through the CI program), I would certainly consider it. Lots of time, effort, and the current thinking of many callers went into creating those definitions. However, the definitions were not always written to be technically precise and they often do not document the obscure corners of the calls. This is especially true in the MS and Plus programs. So, if the Callerlab definition for a particular call exists and clearly discusses the area of the definition in question, use it. If it doesn't, you are stuck with one of the other sources listed above. At some point, you come to realize that there may be no correct answer.

So, where does all of this leave us? There is no mathematically provably correct definition of a call. The best we can do is to consult Callerlab, the original author, several other written sources, and draw our own conclusions. If we are extending a call in a new area and we can convince other dancers and callers that this fits with the "intent" of the call then this new extension will probably become part of the current definition. At a dance, do what the caller wants (if you can figure that out) and discuss the proper definition with him later.

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## Ask Dr. Allemander

- By Glenn Ickler

OH! GREAT DR. ALLEMANDER: As our square dance guru, please tell us if the following square dance historical facts are really true:

-Is it true that Nero fiddled while Rome burned because he was playing for a square dance tip?

—Is it true that Stanley went looking for Doctor Livingstone because they needed one more mon to complete a square?

-is it true that the Queen of Shebu went visiting King Solomon's Court because she had heard that they were dancing A-1?

-Is it true that Queen Victoria said, "We are not amused" when her square broke down at a Buckingham Palace donce?

-Is it true that Mona Lisa's smile is due to the completion of another perfect tip?

Should only of these facts be false, they should be denied once and for all and only a man of your stature is in a position to do so. Please respond.

A SEEKER OF TRUTH

**DEAR SEEKER:** Apparently your PhD. was in history, not in square dancing. Dr. Allemander does detect one distortion of fact in this list of supposed truths. This pertains to Queen Victoria's supposed statement. Actually, the break down occurred many years earlier and it was Henry VIII who got upset and said, "Off with their heads!" This proved to be a serious mistake, however, as it left the squares with only their sides.

The famous legend of the ghost of Anne Boleyn walking the Tower of London "with her head tucked underneath her arm" arose from a class tip, when all the new dancers were required to dance with this handicap.

Some other lesser-known historical facts are these:

-Judge Crater has never been found because he is still at an after-party.

-Amelia Earhart, the long lost aviator, is expected to turn up at the next dance to claim her Royer Badge.

"The man and woman in Grant Wood's famous painting "American Gothic" are just standing there waiting for the cuer to put on a round dance that they know.

-Thomas Jefferson's original draft of the Declaration of Independence began with the words "All join hands and circle left" but Benjamin Franklin edited them out.

(Dr. A.L. "Lefty" Allemander, PhD., gives advice to the dancelorn and history lessons to the unlearned every month in this space.)

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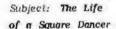


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# LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT .....





This history is based on the average Square Dancer. If you do not fit in this category, not to worry.

You decide to take up Square Dancing. The first night the lady takes (drags) the man. The second night the man takes the lady. The third night they both go together and from then on.

The end of the first year you go to your first convention. You travel from hall to hall more than you dance. It is like picking blueberries. There is always better ones just ahead.

2nd year - You discover how much more there is to learning about Square Dancing. You may even enjoy being angels.

3rd year - You come to a cross road. One road leads to Round Dancing, the other to Level A on up Square Dancing. If you take the Round Dance road you could go all the way to super advance in which case you will no longer have any time for Square Dancing. If you are average you will learn as far as intermediate and enjoy 2+2 dancing. If you take the other fork you may decide to climb to C Level in which case you will have no time for Rounds.

For the next several years you will find your slot and enjoy what you are doing. The only time a problem arises is when both partners do not agree on which road to take. Time to compromise. There are banner raids and weekends to enjoy. This will continue until retirement.

At retirement you will have time to go on Square Dance safaris, get more involved in club work. Hopefully you will find time to entertain at hospitals and nursing homes. You may enjoy helping out in a Senior Citizen class.

If you are lucky in health and have taken good care of yourself you can enjoy Square Dancing into your 80's even though your level will diminish through choice.

In the meantime keep smiling, keep dancing and enjoy.

Happy dancing,

Bob Morsh

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# Ge GALLERS' GORNER

- By Jack Lasry

THE ADVANCED O.S. PROGRAM...NEW SELECTION..ANYTHING & CROSS.

The advanced Q.S. committee announces that the selection for the quarter starting with March the 1st is Anything & Cross.... The call is an old one but a Good One!. The call Curty Cross stands alone and the curlique action continues to fall deeper into disfavor so this action should provide alot of variety to the "cross" action and much more choreo value....

ANYTHING & CROSS ... Author Unknown.

STARTING FORMATION: Right or Left handed Scoot Back Box formations including adjacent boxes or Parallel Waves, centers of waves & Two Faced Lines.

THE ACTION: After any call that ends with the dancers in a Scoot Back Box, the dancers facing into the box will with their outside hands pull by on a diagonal...

THE ENDING FORMATION: Back to Back Couples.

To give you a simple idea of the action think about a TOUCH 1/4 & Cross...A SCOUT BACK & CROSS or a SPLIT CIRCULATE & CROSS ETC ....

I suggest starting with a Touch 1/4 & Cross as it relates to the Curty Cross and build into some of the other simple actions, after the simple Anything & Cross calls work easily then expand.....The Call is rather easy BUT EXPECT SOME PROBLEMS with the infacing dancer reaction...Help out with queing the infacing action....Girls cross or Boys cross.....

ZERO BOX TOUCH 1/4...SCOOT & CROSS...PARTNER TRADE.. PASS THE OCEAN...RECYCLE...LEFT ALLE...zero box...

ZERO BOX.. TOUCH 1/4... SPLIT CIRCULATE & CROSS... PARTNER TRADE...SLIDE THRU..LEFT ALLE...zero box...

Working With the Centers of Waves or Two Faced Lines to end in 3 6 1 Lines: ZERO BOX...RIGHT & LEFT THRU..VEER LEFT,..GIRLS CIRCULATE & CROSS...

STEP & SLIDE..BOYS SCOOT BACK & CROSS...

CENTERS IN...CAST OFF 3/4...1/2 BREED THRU.. (zero line)

SLIDE THRU, SOUARE THRU 3/4...LEFT ALLE...

ZERO LINE...RIGHT & LEFT THRU..DIXIE STYLE TO A WAVE... BOYS \$COOT & CROSS...BOYS RUN,...BOYS LOAD THE BOAT... GIRLS BOX COUNTER ROTATE & CROSS...ALL TOUCH 1/4... BOYS TRADE..BOYS RUN..BEND THE LINE..SLIDE THRU..LEFT ALLE...zero box..

Working with Parallel wave Boxes!

ZERO BOX..TOUCH 1/4...Balance...ALL 8 CIRCULATE & CROSS (girls pull by) GIRLS TRADE..... 1/4 THRU...RECYCLE...LEFT ALLE...zero box...

ZERO BOX..TOUCH 1/4...SCOOT BACK..(point) TRADE CIRCULATE & CROSS (boys pull by)...BOYS RUN...& CROSS...(boys cross) BOYS TRADE... SCOOT & CROSS... PARTNER TRADE... PASS THE OCEAN..GIRLS TRADE..RECYCLE...LEFT ALLE...zero box

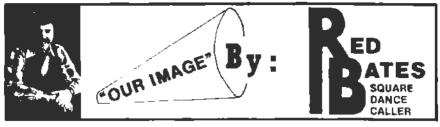
DON'T OVER LOOK ANYTHING & CROSS... I feel that while it is not a new exciting Idea, it has long lasting qualities and will provide the variety that Curly Cross does not... You may be slow to accept this call but keep working with it and you will find the call is a good one.....

Jack Lasry

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- 1. Some think Square Dancing is Clogging like they see on TV.
- Some think that Square Dancers are exhibition dancers, and "that's too difficult for me."
- Some think Square Dancing is "barn" dancing with sawdust floors a drunken brawl.
- 4. Some think Square Dancing is for retired people.
- 5. Some have a negative attitude towards Square Dancing from talking with dissatisfied dancers who have dropped out of the activity, for one reason or another.
- 6. Many have a complete lack of knowledge about the activity.
- 7. Many remember their gym class and want no part of it.

It is apparent from the above that we have not done a very good job of informing the general public as to what Modern Square Dancing is all about. It is no mystery to me that our classes are small when compared to the classes of twenty years ago — when square dancing was booming. We have all kept our activity a big secret from the general public. Most of our publicity is directed at those who are already enjoying Square Dancing through publications for Square Dancers. We are inbred! We are all aware of what happens when there is too much inbreeding and not enough new blood coming in to any group.

I pick up all kinds of magazines, newspapers, etc., and see ads for every activity except Square Dancing. On TV, we are constantly exposed to ads for aerobic classes, weight reducing classes, exercise machines, and other health related activities—why not Square Dancing? Certainly Square Dancing is an excellent form of exercise, especially for older people. I would like to drive down the highway and see a billboard advertising Square Dancing and its virtues.

Maybe it's time we got some professional advice on how to market our great form of recreation — to let "John Q. Public" know the truth about Modern Square Dancing.

Your comments always welcome! Have Fun!!

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Four ladies chain that ring, turn that girl and then
You chain 'em back and promenade
You've been too gone for too long
Now it's too late to come back home



#### MIDDLE BREAK:

Four ladies chain that ring, you turn that girl and then You rollaway and circle left around Four ladies rollaway you circle once more You do a left allemande and weave around that old floor I had a good cry when you said good-bye Swing and promenade on home You've been too gone for too long Now it's too late to come back home

#### FIGURE:

Heads (sides) Square thru four hands around you do
Then make a right hand star
The heads (sides) star left and turn it one time you go
To the same outside two right and left thru you know
Rollaway and then, turn thru my friend
Left allemande and promenade
You've been too gone for too long
Now it's too late to come back home

### CLOSER:

End last figure for sides with: So why don't you just sides face Grand Square

You came a long way goin' the wrong way Don't even set your suitcase down You wanted to roam, now you're paying the bill You're an old rolling stone who rolled over the hill Four ladies chain that ring turn that girl and then You chain 'em back and promenade You've been too gone for too long Now it's too late to come back home

Tag: Now it's too late to come back home



Jack O'Leary The Northeast Square Dancer, May 1988



# RECORD REVIEW



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RATING CODE: \*\*\*\*\*-Excellent; \*\*\*\*-Good; \*\*\*-Average; \*\*-O.K.(may not be suitable for all callers)

BLUE STAR 2353 - CLOSE TO MY HEART - W/C by Johnnie Wykoff - Key of B flat. Heads Promenade %, Square Thru 4, Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Ladies Trade, Bend The Line, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade, A nice change of pace tune. Grand Square break allows for singing. Good music. Rating \*\*\*\*

EACLE 2013 - BLOWING IN THE WIND - W/C by Little Joe Goins - Key of A. Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do to a wave, Fan the Top, Recycle, Pass The Ocean, Swing Thru, Boys Trade, Turn Thru, Allemande Left & Promenade. A good version of this folk song. Rating \*\*\*

4-BAR-B 6087 - TOO GONE, TOO LONG - W/C by Bob Fisk - Key of D. Entire call for this dance may be found in our DANCE OF THE MONTH column. Rating\*\*\*\*

QUADRILLE 855 - JUST LOVIN' YOU - W/C by Bob Huff - Key of C. Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Ferris Wheel, R & L Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Corner Swing & Promenade. A good release of a newer country tune by the O'Kanes. Bob does a nice job on the flip. Rating \*\*\*\*

BLUE STAR 2356 - JUST A WAITIN' FOR A TRAIN - W/C by Pat Barbour - Key of E. Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Ferris Wheel, Pass Thru, Star Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. Opportunity for a 16 count piano vodel, if you want. Good music. Dancers like it and will sing along. Rating \*\*\*\*

DANCE RANCH 696 - DON'T FIGHT THE FEELIN' of LOVE - W/C by Frank Lane - Key of G. Heads Square Thru 4, Swing Thru, Box the Gnat, Fan the Top, R & L Thru, Star Thru, Pass to the Center, Square Thru 3/4, Corner Swing & Promenade. A good offering by Frank this month. Different choreography. Rating \*\*\*

E.S.P. 149 — AM I BLUE - W/C by Elmer Sheffield — Key of D.

Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do. Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Tag the Line, Face In. Girls Load the Boat, Boys Square Thru 4, Corner Swing and Promenade.

An interesting Choreo pattern using a split Load The Boat. Music is good and Elmer does his usual great job on the vocal. Rating \*\*\*\*

E.S.P. 515 — CRAWDAD SONG - W/C by Bob Newman — Key of D.

Heads Square thru 4, R & L Thru, Veer Left, Couples Circulate, Girls Trade, Bend the Line, Pass the Ocean, Eight Circulate, Swing Corner Promenade.

This is an excellent instrumental for patter. A nice country sound with a familiar tune makes this number a good bet. Smooth arrangement and good dancer reaction. Rating \*\*\*\*

MASON DIXON LINE 5 - BUNDLE OF SOUTHERN SUNSHINE - W/C by Ralph Trout Heads Promenade 1/2, Sides R & L Thru, Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Eight Chain Four, Corner Swing, and Promenade. Average music. Figure is smooth and well delivered. Rating \*\*\*

QUADRILLE 841 - SHOOT LOW SHERIFF (patter) by Bob Huff - Key of G. If you missed this one about a year back take note. This is a solid hoedown-the type most callers have little trouble getting into. Good guitar and banjo stuff!! Rating \*\*\*\* The Northeast Square Dancer, May 1988

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Dear Editor:

Enclosed is a check for our renewal to The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine for another year. Also please send the magazine starting with the May issue to our Wilmington, MA address.

Whee! Your magazine has so many newsy items. You cover so much more news about square dancing and items that really help than ever before.

Your February issue had the interesting article by Bob Osgood concerning the introduction to China of more American Square Dance callers by Nita Page, etc. We have known Nita and her late husband, Bob, from two trips to Hawaii we took with them and now we'll go with her group in June to New Zealand and Australia.

Hope to see you two at the conventions in Portland, Maine and Anaheim, California.

Thanks for getting your magazine to us in Florida so promptly — it makes us feel more at home to have it in our living room here.

Hope you and your family are well and stay that way.

Sincerely,

Ernie and Dora Ardolino

Dear Editor:

The information on Tom and Jeannette Jolly's activities for the commemoration

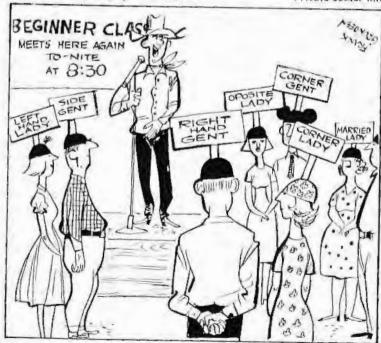


of the Bicentennial of the Constitution is exciting. They are the magic in the events that will make them memorable to the students of Heard Street School and the Heard Street District Area Improvement Society. If every neighborhood had a Thomas and Jeannette Jolly, all our neighborhoods would be better places.

The Jolly Trippers Square Dancers must be a wonderful club. I'm a student in a square dance class, and I know the love that is transmitted in square dancing. It is a "fun" activity and one I know you all enjoy.

Congratulations on a job well done!

Sincerely, Elizabeth J. Rohn Coordinator Private Sector Initiatives



# In Memoriam

RUSS MOORHOUSE Springfield, MA Died: March 24, 1988

The Square Dance activity and the Moorhouse family has suffered a great loss with the death of Russ Moorhouse. The staff here at the "Square Dancer" office will also feel the loss of a good friend and supporter. He was always eager to help us, keep us advised about Square Dance happenings in his area, and always made sure we were invited to any function he was involved in. Our sympathy to Roberta and family. We hope your pain is eased somewhat knowing that so many others share your loss.

The following "living" tribute was written and submitted to us and it was to be printed in this issue, then we received the news of Russ'death. We decided to print it "as is."

- Your Editor

## A Tribute

Dear Ray:

I am writing this letter to pay tribute to a couple of people who contribute significantly to our square dancing activity. These individuals participate in several clubs and organizations in Western Mass, and Conn. and they do a great job but they do not get the recognition they deserve. They don't even ask for any, so I wanted to write and express my thoughts to show some appreciation in a formal way, even though it is very small.

Russ and Roberta Moorhouse write monthly to the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine for several clubs in Western Mass, and Conn. and also for prominent events in both areas. They devote an incredible amount of time and effort promoting these clubs, events and callers in their writings and attendance of those organizations' respective dances and meetings. Russ and Roberta manage to find the time for all they do because they love the activity and the interpersonal relationships. They have not been this active for a short time. Their degree of involvement goes back many years, past the point of today's dancer longevity and past the number of years the majority of today's dancers have been in the activity.

One very important thing about Russ' and Roberta's participation is that they have been this active consistently through the years and not just once in a while. That is very rare and impressive. They have dedicated themselves to an impressive degree but with the length of time of their involvement, it is hard to compare their participation with the average dancer and caller.

Russ and Roberta attend functions, evening and weekend meetings and never ask for a thank you. They are taken for granted, not on purpose, of course, but nevertheless they are really not appreciated as much as they should be.

Everyone can think of selfless individuals like Russ and Roberta Moorhouse. People like them are everywhere but do we really recognize their efforts in the proportion of their involvements? I am sure not. It works that way in all walks of life. I can, however, express to them and by way of my letter that I recognize their efforts and believe they help the activity greatly.

I think we all should think of the people we know who do more than their share and publicly thank them in formal and personal ways. Exceptional people like Russ and Roberts should not be taken for granted. I urge everyone to recognize their own "Russ and Roberts" and that way all can appreciate what effort takes place to promote our activity.

Sincerely, Dave Muller

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## Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

While the Morris dance was a young man's dance, the beautiful maypole dance featured women dancers and yards of colored ribbon. Once associated with pagan fertility rites, the May dance became a ritual to welcome Spring. It is only one of many English country dances that have been passed down to us. Village greens and fields provided perfect settings for the English country dance. Light, skipping movements propelled the dancers into a variety of entwining figures similar to vining flowers caught up in a breeze. The rural folk were born to their dances and knew them by heart, so it was for the aristocracy that John Playford's "English Dancing Master" was published. The joyful steps were as welcome in the staid drawing rooms as the fresh country lass who charms the jaded sophisticates with her innocence. But, once the happy dance was accepted by society, improvements were attempted upon the very freshness that made it fun. Dancing masters in London, and soon Paris added complicated step patterns and mannerisms. The dance was refined beyond the skills of the untutored rural dancer who had brought it to life and was still ignorantly enjoying the unimproved version. The English country dance in all its rustic and refined forms sailed across the Atlantic with Colonial settlers. As in England, the colonial dancing masters offered the standardized lessons to the more densely populated areas of Boston, Philadelphia and New York, while the dances of the countryside sprang from memory and spontaneous invention. Today, the English Folk Dance and Song Society in London, and the Country Dance and Song Society of America offer a variety of material on the English Country Dance, including recorded music, sheet music and dance manuals. Festivals, weekends and dance camps abound, spreading the spontaneous joy of a village green. In New Hampshire there is a newly formed organization called the New Hampshire English Country Dance Society whose purpose It is to organize and run English Country Dances on a regular basis and to develop NH English Country Dance callers and musicians. For further information contact NHEDCS, 78 WILEY RD., LONDONDERRY, NH 03053.

> Dick and Judy Severance The Northeast Square Dancer, May 1988

## $\cdot A$ Tribute

With the untimely death of Francie Heiniz, we have lost a great friend, a great leader, and a wonderful human being.

It was my privilege to know the great and the near-great in the Square Dance field, but Francie stood alone. How often you would hear a dancer say of another caller. "He sounds like 'so-and-so'; but no one ever said that of Francie. He was unique, both as a caller and as a person. His joy of living, his love for the dance, as well as for his fellow man, and his matchless sense of humor made him special to us all.

I first met him at a Caller's Camp at Square Acres, when a very humble Francis said "I have been told that my humor will not be good for square dancing." I well remember the late Edith Murphy telling him that he had a talent that no one else had, and to go ahead and use it. A couple of years later, he called the Saturday night dance in Loy Hall and brought down the house.

I have always been grateful that he called the last dance over held at Square Acres. As always, he put his heart and soul into his calling, and made that fast Saturday night a very special and memorable occasion for usuali.

Francic had no peer. He stood alone; and all of us who knew him will ever be grateful for the many hours of pleasure he gave us. May his star ever shine bright in the galaxy of square dancing, and his memory never grow dim.

"Hogre" Howard Hogue 1017 10th St., Holly Hill, FL 32017 Eastern
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## NEWSLETTER NEW ENGLAND SQUARE DANCE DIRECTORY

Did you get your copy last year? Was your Club listed?

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If your answer is no to any of the above questions, perhaps you would like to read the following and turn the negative into a positive in 1989.

The 1989 directory will be published this summer and will be sent out as a centerfold in "The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine". August issue. In the past few years, the directory was released in the October issue of the magazine. This earlier date will permit the directory to be out before the beginning of the dance season.

The directory is published and financed as a service to all dancers, callers, cuers, in New England, by the CO-OP Committee. CO-OP means cooperation between EDSARDA (Eastern District Square and Round Dance Association), the New England organization representing the dancer population, NECCA (New England Council of Callers Association) representing the callers, and NECDRTA, (New England Council of Round Dance Teachers Associations) representing the cuers. The directory contains a list of square dance clubs, round dance clubs, teen clubs, singleton clubs, and clogging clubs. The listing includes the location where each club dances, giving the town/city/state, the contact person(s), their addresses and telephone numbers and the day(s) of the week/month a club dances. The listing is alphabetical first by state then by dance location. If a club is a member club of EDSARDA to be listed in the directory.

The catters and cuers are listed alphabetically, giving their addresses and telephone numbers, and association affiliations. Callers and cuers who donate their tatents to the New England Square and Round Dance Convention are further identified by an asterisk. They should be given special consideration when booking callers and cuers for club dances.

The three sponsoring organizations list their current officers by position, names, addresses and telephone numbers. Meeting dates are also included. Other features include information on,

- the Square Dance Foundation of New England, its goals, its purpose, history and future.
- the single most special award given to anyone in the square dance movement, THE YANKEE CLIPPER AWARD with special instructions on how to nominate someone for this award.
- the CO-OP approved catter/quer contract offered by EDSARDA.
- · other pertinent information regarding the New England square dance activity.

THE DIRECTORY has proven over and over again to be an invaluable tool to Program Chairmen who hire callers and cuers, to clubs who plan mystery rides, knothead trips, banner raids, etc., and to callers, cuers and dancers who need to contact others in the square dance movement.

To get your 1989 copy, it will be in the August issue of "The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine", at EDSARDA meetings, through NECCA and NECORTA, at the EDSARDA booth at the Convention, or by sending a request to: Pauline and Conrad Cote, Directory Chairmen, 58 Kimball Street, Manchester, NH 03102.

<u>Fo get your Club listed</u>, it is automatic with your membership in EDSARDA, or you may submit the form printed on the following page and send it to the Cotes, prior to May 20. Because the directory is being published earlier this year, it is imperative that we make May 20 an absolute deadline. No information will be accepted after that date.

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If you have suggestions on how to improve this publication, we would be happy to hear from you.

Pouline and Conrad Cole Directory Chairmen

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#### GET ON BOARD - CALLERLAB FUND RAISING DANCE - Anabeim, CA

One of our biggest potential fund raising dances yet has been scheduled immediately following the 37th National Square Dance Convention in Anaheim. The convention committee has graciously allowed us to use the main arena and sound equipment as set up in the Anaheim Convention Center on Sunday, June 26, 1988, from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. The idea for a Foundation dance at a National convention was originally brought up at our CALLERLAB Convention in Baltimore by Gary Shoemake and the Record Producers Committee. Bob and Rita Byram, Assistant General Chairmen for the 37th National, have been instrumental in working with CALLERLAB on this project.

The biggest potential for this project lies with you, the members of CALLERLAB. Every CALLERLAB caller will be issued ten (10) tickets (and flyers for use and copy), to promote this Foundation project. Whether you or your dancers plan to attend the National in Anaheim or not, donations for the preservation and promotion of square dancing will help the CALLERLAB Foundation on projects in which you have a direct voice. Projects such as the development of commercials for square dance promotion, updated teaching packages for school dancing and the like are already being considered. Your energy and ideas for future projects will be instrumental in the CALLERLAB Foundation reaching its true potential.

Many record companies have already agreed to award top ticket sellers with complimentary copies of their next ten releases. Although prizes can be a great incentive, if every member pulls his or her own weight, the Foundation will be off to a terrific start.

Tickets (and flyers for use and copy), will be mailed to <u>ALL CALLERLAB</u> members, subscribers, associates and apprentices. Sell your tickets and request more when you return your initial ten sold to qualify for prizes. GET DN BOARD — more information to come!

🧸 🔹 Mike Seastrom, Project Chairman

Mona Cannell, Chairman of the CALLERLAB Contra & Traditional Committee, announces the <u>Contra Dance of the Quarter</u> for the 2nd quarter of 1988 is NEEDHAM SPECIAL. This double progression dance finds the participants moving up or down the set TWO positions during each repetition of the figure.

#### **NEEDHAM SPECIAL**

By Herbie Gaudreau

Formation: Contra lines, couples 1, 3, 5, etc., crossed over & active. Double progression.

Music: Needham Special - Lloyd Shaw 301/302

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#### Counts:

Intro	Everybody forward and back
1 - B	Corner swing
	, Put her on right go down in fours
17 - 24	Wheel turn, Come back to place
25 - 32	Bend the line Ladies chain
33 - 40	Chain them back
	, All pass thru and turn alone*
49 - 56	, With lady on RIGHT promenade home
57 - 64	, In long lines, forward and back

\*At this time, every time through the dance, a crossover occurs automatically and a separate crossover should not be called.

As this is a double progression dance, it works easiest if each set has an even number of couples.

#### CALLERLAB (Continued)

Mona Cannell, Chairman of the Contra & Traditional Committee of CALLERLAB, announces the <u>Traditional Dance of the Quarter</u> for the second quarter of 1988 — "ON THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE". This dance has roots which extend into New England traditional dancing and has maintained a consistent popularity ever since it was introduced to western style dancers in the 1950's. An interesting feature for variety is that the figure is danced "on the bias". Its contents are also consistent with use in the Community Dance Program.

#### ON THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE

By Don Armstrong

Formation: Singing Square

Music: Windsor 4814, LS 506, Scope SC-546

Opener, Middle Break and Closer:

Well, you walk around your corner, then bow to your own

Join your hands and around the ring you roam

Allemande your corner lady, then w-e-a-v-e that ring

Weave it around til you meet again Dosado, then you take her and swing

Yes, swing + promenade her and sing (All sing) "In the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia

On the Trail of the Lonesome Pine"

#### Figure:

ure:
Two head gents take your corners to the middle and back
Same old four circle left around the track
Left hand star, go home, allemande right your own
Left hand round your corner, then go back home
Dosado, then your corners you'll swing
Yes, swing - promenade her and sing

(All sing) "In the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia On the Trail of the Lonesome Pine"

Repeat Figure with head gents active again

Repeat Opener for Middle Break

Repeat Figure with side gents active

Repeat Figure with side gents active again

Repeat Opener for Closer

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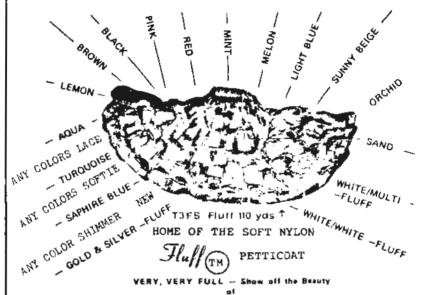
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	_	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	
THE	3	Jim Dandies	Needham, MA	Purcell	A2
WED	4	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Pulaski	A2
		Happy Squares	Stoughton, MA	Purcell	Grad
		Great Plain Sqs	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	
		Scrambled 8's	Norwood, MA	Bean/Sargents	Plus
THU	5	Cape Cod Ocean Wvs	S. Yarmouth, MA	Paisson/Gregoires	Plus
		K of C	Concord, NH	D. Graves/J. Graves	1 A
		Diamond Jims	Needham, MA	Purcell	C1
FRI	6	Spares 'N Sqs	Canton, MA	Schell/Gregoire	Plus
		Jumptown Twirlers	Orange, MA	R. Carignan/J. Carigna	n Plus
		Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	King/Simmons	Plus
		Hickory Hills	Hudson, MA	McGowan/Farrar	Grad
		Green Mountain 5qs	W.Brattleboro, VT	Eastman/Willard	MS/Plus
		Norwood Sqs	Norwood, MA	Aldridge/Yakimowski	Plus
		Single Sqs	Woburn, MA	B,McGee/C.McGee	M\$
		Fun Time Sqs	Pawtucket, RI	Dufault/Lauzons	Plus
		Wolfboro Wranglers	Wolfeboro, NH	Frechette/Ploof	MS
		Bay Path Proms	Boylston, MA	Rinker/Hartmann	Plus
		Litchfield Swingers	Litchfield, NH	SDS/Porter	MS
SAT	7	Skirts 'N Flirts	Wilmington, MA	King/N.Silva	Pius
		Skirts 'N Flirts	Wilmington, MA	B.Silva/	Grad
		Merry Jesters	So, Attleboro, MA	Arruda/Bullock	Plus
		Cosmopolitans	Wakefield, MA	Wedge/Chadwick	Plus
		Sunshine Twirlers	Jaffrey, NH	Leslie/Carignan	
		Sea Shell Steppers	Acushnet, MA	Schell	
		Down East Westn SDC	-	Zeno/Floyd	MS
		Cape Cod Chowder Clu		Mackin/Mathieu	Plus
		Sea Shell Steppers	Acushnet, MA	Schell/MacDougall	
		Spencer Grand Sqs	Spencer, MA	Brodeur/Reardon	Plus
		Montachusett Twirlers		Benoit/Boudreau	MS
		Madhatters	Danbury, CT	Johnston & Hanks/	Plus
		Circle 8 SDC	Claremont, NH	J. Courtois/L. Courtois	
		Concord Coach	Concord, NH	Purcel!/Porter	Plus
		Arnold Trail Sqs	Skownegan, ME	Long	
		CCRC	Portland, ME	Mayo	Plus
		Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, ME	Brozek/Maguire	Plus
		Manchester SDC	Manchester, CT	Provini/Daviau	Plus
		Heel & Toe SDC	Manchester, NH	Hendrickson/Mess	MS
		Fair-Town Sqs	Topsfield, MA	Beck/Toth	Plus
		Friendly Mixers	Cranston, RI	/Medeiros	
		MacColl Twirlers	Lincoln, RI	Dufault/	
		Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Rinker/Hartmann	A2
SUN	8	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	Plus
		Littleton Sqs	Littleton, NH	Penna's/LaValley's	MS/Plus
MON	9	Rorder City Sqs	Nashua, NH	Mayali	Grad
TUE		Jim Dandies	Needham, MA	Purcell	A2
WED		Single Sqs	Cahoes, NY	Brodeur	
		Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Hendron	A2
		Great Plain Sqs	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	
THU	12	Cape Cod Ocean Wvs	S. Yarmouth, MA	Bright/Gregoires	Plus
	_	Diamond Jims	Needham, MA	Purcell	C1
		Norwood Sqs	Norwood, MA	Aldridge/Yakimowski	'
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	Allemande 81s	Manchester, NH	Cameron/Porter	MS
	Nautical Twirlers	Falmouth, MA	Schell/	
	Barnstormers	Georgetown, MA	B.Silva/Potts	Plus
	B-Sharp Sqs	Lenox, MA	Brodeur/	
	Weedbury Two & Cnty Mox-Nix SDC	Woodbridge, CT	Johnstone/ Leger/	
	Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	H.Parker/B.Parker	Plus
	Riverside	Danvers, MA	Purcell/Toth	Plus
	Fun Time Sqs	Pawtucket, RI	Dumas/Lauzons	Plus
	Surfside B	Westerly, RI	Mackin/	Plus
	Bay Path Proms	Boylston, MA	Rinker/Hartmann	Plus
SAT 14	Woodstock City Dors	Woodstock, CT	Johnston/Maguire	Plus
	Cloudbusters	Peterborough, NH	LeBlanc	MS
	Town Travelers	Lowell, MA	Cuddy/Toth	MS
	Lakeside Swingers	Meredith, NH	Cameron/Carter	MS
	Firesiders	Kingston, NH	Upham/Upham	MS
	Sutton Country Sqs	Shrewsbury, MA	\$chell/Farrar	Plus
	Two Hearts As One Twin State Sqs	Gardner, MA White River Jct., VT	R.Carignan/J.Carignan Runyan/Prudhomme	MS/Plus
	Fairs 'N Sqs	Framingham, MA	McLean/Trudeau	Plus
	Lancers	Salem, MA	O'Leary/Strong	MS
	Sidesplitters	No. Attleboro, MA	Bright/McClure	Plus
	Yankee Twirlers	Woburn, MA	Brodeur	
	Baldwin Apple 5gs	Woburn, MA	Purcell/Courtois	Plus
	Fourmost 5qs	N. Bellingham, MA	Reardon/Nurse	MS/Plus
	Great Plain Sqs	Newton, MA	/N.Silva	
	Bow Sa Do	Bow, NH	Leger/Leger	
	Queen City Prom	Manchester, NH	Portelance, Moran	MS
	Ould Towne Sqs	Newburyport, MA		
	Caribou Hoofers	Caribou, ME	Long 8,McGee/C.McGee	MS
	Single 8's Monadnock Sqs	Haverhill, MA Keene, NH	McLeod/Ogent	Plus
	Great Plain Sqs	Newton, Ma	Dixon/Silva	MS
	Seacoast Reg	Hampton, NH	Beck/Lennox	MS
	Bay Path Prom	Boylston, MA	Poisson/Hartmann	A2
SUN 15	Sithouette Sqs	Rochester, NH	Pulaski/Ploof	Plus
	B-Sharp	Dalton, MA	Rendron/Mindlin	
	Border City 5qs	Nashua, NH	/N. Silva	
	Ponderosa Hall	Scotia, NY	Leger	
	Lake Shore Farm	Northwood, NH	Zeno/Pettee	M5 Plus
	Barnstompers Circle 8 SDC	Norton, MA Claremont, NH	Howell/Howell Many/Many	Fius
MON 16	Spinning Wheels	Wayne, NJ	Johnstone	Plus
1011	Fair-town Sqs	Topsfield, MA	Mayo& Courtois/Courtoi	
	Scrambled 8's	Medfield, MA	Bean/Sargent	Grad
<b>TUE 17</b>	Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	Mayall/	Grad
	Jim Dandies	Needham, MA	Purcell	ΑŽ
WED 18		Nashua, NH	Mayall/	MS
	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Pulaski	A 2
	Great Plain 5qs	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	
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T11U 19		Wakefield, MA	Leger/Gregoires	A1
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FRI 20	Alpine Sqs	Chelmsford, MA	McLean/Strong	M5
	Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	Mayall/Boudreau	WZ
	Jumptown Twirlers	Orange, MA	Choquette/Carignan	Plus
	Tech Sqs	Cambridge, MA	Mayo/Toth	Plus
	Hickory Hills	Hudson, MA	McGowan/Farrar	MS
	Green Mountain Sqs	W. Brattleboro, VT	Le8lanc/Smith	MS/Plus
	Single Sqs	Woburn, MA	Casey/Maguire	Plus
	Fun Time Sqs	Pawtucket, RI	8arone/Lauzons	Plus
	Wolfeboro Wranglers	Wolfeboro, NH	Adams/Lennox Rinker/	Plus A I
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	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Pulaski/Hartmann	Plus
SAT 21	Triple C 5qs	Shrewsbury, MA	Perrault/Ogert	
	Village Sqs	Worcester, MA	Hendrickson/Bryant	
	M & M Sqs	Webster, MA	Pulaski/Reardon	
	Sixteen Footers	Littleton, MA	Thompson/McClure	
	Sunshine Twirlers	Jaffrey, NH	Leslie/Carignan	
	Apple Sqs	Londonderry, NH	Maurice/McGee	M5
	Smokey Sqs	Cumberland, R1	Phaneuf/Barry	
	Jesters SDC	Somersworth, NH	Trott/Carter	M5/Plus
	Cape Cod Chowder Cl		Arruda/Mathieu	
	Pittsfield Sqs	Pittsfield, MA	Brodeur	_
	Montachusett Twirlers		Dumas/Boudreau	MS
	Spares 'N Sqs	Canton, MA	Dufault/Maguire	Plus
	Westmoreland School		Leger/	
	Grand Sqs	Sandwich, NH	Peacock/TBA	MS/Plus
	Minutemen Sqs	Waltham, MA	Smith 6 O'Leary/Lauz	
	Circle 8's \$DC	Claremont, NH	G.Andersen/S.Anderse	
	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Purcell/Hartmann	A 2
	Spud Shufflers	Presque Isle, ME	Long	
	Heel & Toe SDC	Manchester, NH	Mayo/Lennox	MS
	Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, MA	Aldridge/Landry	Plus
	Manchester SDC	Manchester, CT	Johnston/Provini	Plus
	Red Hot Sqs	Burlington, MA	King/Chadwick	Plus
	Concord Coach Sqs	Concord, NII	Parker/Pettee	MS
	Effengy	New Gloucester, ME	Casey	
	Friendly Mixers	Cranston, RI	/Medeiros	
	Pelham Partners	Windham, NH	Frechette/Porter	MS
SUN 22		Scotia, NY	Brodeur	
	Methodist Church	Clarks Summit, PA	Leger	
	Barnstompers	Norton, MA	Howell/Howell	Plus
	Single 8's	Lawrence, MA	Many/Many	<i>c</i> (
TUE 24	Alpine Sqs	Chelmsford, MA	Aubut	Grad
	Nausets	Orleans, MA	Mackin	Plus
WED 25	2 I'	Cahoes, NY	Brodeur	
	Seaside Steppers	Wakefield, MA	Hendron	A2
	W. Haven Sqs	W. Haven, CT	Barr	Plus
	Great Plain Sqs	Needham, MA	Nurse/Yakimowski	Dive
THU 26		S. Yarmouth, MA	King/Gregoire	Plus
	Diamond Jims	Needham, MA	Purce!(	C1
	Norwood Sqs	Norwood, MA	Aldridge/Yakimowski	Disco
FRI 27	Spares 'N Sqs	Canton, MA	Schell/Campbell	Plus
	Queensbury Elem	Clens Falls, NY	Leger	Plus
	Fun Time Sqs	Pawtucket, RI	Pulaski/Lauzons	Plus
	Happy Homesteaders	Shrewsbury, MA	Morrill/Ogert	C 1
DAT DE	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Rinker/	MS/Plus
SAT 28	Twin State Squares	White River Jct., VT	Bright/Prudhomme A.Roberts/H.Roberts	(V) 5/ F (US
	Mt. Wshngth Vly Stmp:		Schell	
	Scusset Sqs	N. Sagamore, MA		
	Silver City Twirlers	Taunton, MA	Pulaski/Barry	Plus
	Sidesplitters	N. Attleboro, MA	Nurse/Medeiros	Plus
	Northeast Reg. Sqs	Wakefield, MA	B.Silva/N.Silva	Plus
	Queen City Proms	Manchester, NH	King/Carter	F1U5
	Wolf Rockers	Mason, NH	Long/	MS
	Turkey Town Trotters		Kandrut / Huse	Plus
	Monadnock Sqs	Keene, NH	Blain/Carignan	FIUS
	Shindiggers	Topsfield, MA	Cameron/Toth	A2
CUN 26	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Rinker/Hartmann Russell & Hondron/Ma	

Rhumba: A dance where the front of you goes along nice and smooth like a Codillac and the buck of you makes like a jeep.

Northwood, NH

Norton, MA

Cape Cod Chowder Club W. Yarmouth, MA

Lake Shore Farm

Barnstompers

SUN 29

MS

Plus

Purcel) & Hendron/Mathieu Plus

Portelance/Ward

Howell/Howell

### **SQUARE DANCE WORKSHOPS**

SUNDAYS				
1-8-15-22	Quincy Sqs	Quincy, MA	Lyons/	
15	Twin State Sqs	White River Jct, VT	Prudhomme/	Plus
1	Littleton \$qs	Littleton, NH	Prudhomme/	Plus
22	Hayloft Steppers	Sturbridge, MA	Pulaski/	A2
1-8-15-22-29	Heel & Toe SDC	Manchester, NH	J.Courtois/L.Courtois	Plus
1-8-15-22		W.Dennis, MA	Mackin/	Αt
MONDAYS				
2	Border City Sqs	Nashua, NH	Mayati/	Plus
2-9-16-23-30	Sixteen Footers	Littleton, MA	Thompson	Plus
<del>9-16-</del> 23	Temple Beth	Needham, MA	Purcell	A2
2	Village Club	Needham, MA	Purceli	A 2
2-9-16-23-30	Fairtown 5qs	Topsfield, MA	Mayo/Courtois	A1
16-23-30	Single 8's	Haverhill, MA	B.McGee/C.McGee	PHD
2 <del>-9-</del> 16-23-30	Fairtown Sqs	Topsfield, MA	Courtols	Plus
2~16	Friendly Mixers	Cranston, RI	/Medelros	
23	Scrambled 8's	Medfield, MA	Bean	PHD
TUESDAYS	Course Wheelers	A - 4	Marratt	Dive
3-10-24-31	Square Wheelers	Acton, MA	Mayall	Plus
	Town Travelers	Lowell, MA	Frechette Schell	
	Sea Shell Steppers Down East Wath SDC	Fairhaven	Franklin/Pettee	Plus
3-10-17-24-31		Salem, MA	Kandrut	PHD
	Silhouette Sqs	Somersworth, NH		Plus/A1
	Chestnut St Church		Zeno	C1-C2
29-31	Village Club	Needham, MA	Purceli	Grads
3-17	Collipi's	Haverhill, MA	Mayo	A1
10-24	Collipi's	Haverhill, MA	Mayo	A2
24-31	Temple Beth	Needham, MA	Purcell	PHD
3-10-17-24-31	Happy Homesteaders	=	Morrill/Ogert	Plus
10-17-24-31	<b>Howard Rogers Post</b>		Roberts & Hendrickson	n Plus
17-24	Riverside \$qs	Danvers, MA	Pulaski/Toth	Plus
WEDNESDAYS	·			
4-11-18-25	SD Foundation Barn	So. Weymouth, MA	Lyons/	
4-18	Skirts 'N Flirts	WilmIngton, MA	Portelance/	
4-11-18-25	Village Sqs	Worcester, MA	Hendrickson	Plus
<b>4</b> −18		Pittsfield, MA	Brodeur	A2
4-11-18-25	Balwin Apple Sqs	Waburn, MA	Wedge/Courtois	A1
11-18-25	Merrymakers	Riverside, RI	Leger	
4-11-18-25	Fairfield Seniors		Barr	MS
4-11-18-25	Queen City Prom	Manchester, NH	_	Plus
4-11-18-2S	Ould Towne Sqs	Newburyport, MA	Casey	
4-11-18-25		Portland, ME	Zeno	A2
4-11-18-25	Single Sqs	Woburn, MA	Maurice Dufault	PHD
25 4	German Hall	Pawtucket, RI	Davis/Toth	Plus Plus
11	Shindiggers Shindiggers	Danvers, MA Danvers, MA	Pulaski/Toth	Plus
18	Shindiggers	Danvers, MA	Beck/Toth	Plus
11-25	Scrambled 0's	Medfield, MA	Bean/Sargent	A1
4-11-18-25	Bay Path Barn	Boylston, MA	Death 3ar gent	Plus
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5-12-19-26	Firesiders	Kingston, NH	Upham	
5-12-19-26	Silver City Twirlers		Pulaski/Barry	
5	Fairs 'N Squares	Framingham, MA	Cuddy	PHD
12-19-26	Fairs 'N Squares	Framingham, MA	Pulaski	PHD
19		Wakefield, MA	B.Silva/N.Sílva	
5-12-19-26	Littleton 5qs	Littleton, NH	Taylor	
5-12-19-26	Litchfield Swingers	Litchfield, NH	Peacock	Pius
12-26	KofC	Concord, NH	D.Graves/J.Graves	A1
12	Collipi's	Haverhill, MA	Mayo	Plus

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FRIDAYS Salem, MA Wedge/Courtois Plus 20 Lancers Cape Cod Chdr Clb W.Dennis, MA Arruda/ A1-A2 13-27 6-20-27 Barnstormers Rowley, MA Potts/Potts Horse Pond Nashua, NH Mavo A1 13 6-20-27 Seacoast Rea Dover, NH Sprague Red Hot Sas Burlington, MA King Plus/A1 13

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WEDNESDAYS THURSDAYS

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Down East Wstn SDC Eliot, ME Pettee's

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Northeast Reg Voc Wakefield, MA

Silva

T-Bow

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Tewksbury, MA

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B - Basic Program

Summer Rounds

M5 - Mainstream Program

PLUS - Plus Program A1 - Advanced one

A2 - Advanced two Non-Callerlab Dance Descriptions:

> CL + Class Level MS/Plus = Alternating Tips

C1 - Challenge one C2 - Challenge two

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PHD - New grad, workshop

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#### GAINING THE ADVANTAGE

There are several ways to gain the advantage and become a better oriented dancer. Here are a few:

- 1. If you don't know the call, listen harder. With luck, the caller may cue it. Don't give up and go home too quickly.
- 2. Don't just stand, keep your head up and move, watching the others and moving accordingly sometimes saves the Square.
- 3. Always touch and hold hands whenever possible. You will be better oriented and besides, it feels more like dancing.
- 4. Really know your basics, from mainstream and what ever.
- 5. Remember, terms with men on the left and women on the right don't always apply when you leave the mainstream level.
- 6. A left hand wave will always extend to form another left hand wave.
- 7. Most importantly SMILE, it doesn't hurt!

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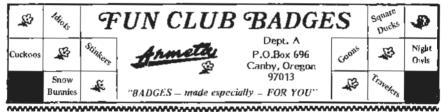
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### FOR BETTER INFORMED DANCERS



s Carole and I travel to fostivals and conventions all over the Northeast, we are approached repeatedly by readers of this magazine telling us how much they enjoy it and how they read it from cover to cover and they don't know what they would do without it. It is, of course, nice to hear but not really surprising to us because we used to tell Charlie Buldwin the same things when he was Editor. Some of those same people go on to say how amazed they are to meet avid Square Dancers who are not subscribers.

We too are amazed and, of course, disappointed that those are true facts. Our disappointment doesn't just come from the fact that we would like to see the magazine become a stronger vehicle in our activity and that we have been working night and day for six years to make it happen, but we truly feel that dancers who don't receive it are being deprived of a raft of useful, interesting and educational information they deserve to have.

One of the strengths of the circulation of this magazine over the years has been the aggressive support given by members of clibs all over New England. They promoted this magazine to others in their clubs, especially the beginners coming along each year referring to it as "The Bible For Square Dancers" and then offered to include them in a bulk subscription at a considerable savings to them.

That sort of thing is not happening as much today and it hurts our efforts to serve you in all the ways we would like to, because it limits our resources and thereby stifles our growth.

I suspect that we are adversely affected by some club presidents who don't set the right example because they are not subscribers themselves, are not l'amilian with what our magazine offers, or are just not concerned enough about the future of their club members to appoint someone to head up a "subscription committee", I have heard of some club members who tell their newer members "You don't need any

magazine except the focal magazine that tells you where the dances are. With all due respect to the area publications, as they certainly do provide a useful service, listing dances is usually their primary purpose, which is not enough to produce well informed Square Dancers.

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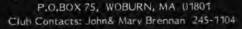
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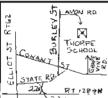
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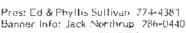
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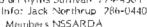
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Travelling to other clubs is always fun. This year Fatrs 'n Squares raided

the following clubs: Square Riggers. Norwood Squares, SEMCA King & Queen Ball, Hayloft Steppers, M & M Squares, Happy Squares, Marlborough Country Squares, Do - Si - Doers. The Skirts in Flirts are on our schedule for this month. We want to thank them all for their warmth and hospitality and all that yummy food. Thanks also for the many happy hours of dancing-



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made at a local square dance club.

Many people outside the square dance movement have also benefited Square Wheeler activities. Twenty-four young men and women have been helped with their education Square Wheeler scholarships. by Countless shut-ins and elderly have enjoyed the demonstration dances put on by Square Wheelers at hospitals. and homes nursing retirement communities. Yes - it's a wonderful activity! Aren't you glad you're part of it?

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- June 3 Rainbow Strollers, M, Lou Taddia, JFK Jr. High, Raffia Rd., Enfield Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/G. King, Stanley Park, Westfield > 7:15-10:15 PM
  - 4 Chic-Mares, S, Rufus Aldridge/Case, Ma S & R/D Ctr, Willimansett DAD'S DAY WMSARDA Benefit, M, For Bobbi Moorehouse, Stanley Park, Westfield J. 30-10:30
  - 10 Happy Squares, M, Jerry Benoit, C. Landry, Easthampton Cong. Ch., Rte. 141 & 10 Wilbraham Wheel-C, M, Norm Allard/The Roys, Mile Tree Sr. Ctr. Main St., Wilbr.
  - 11 Dancing Shadows, 2, Roger Carignan/Daviaus, St. Pat's Soc. Ctr., South Hadley Hampden Prom., 2, Red Bates/Meyer, Brunton Sch., 1801 Parker St., Spfld. Vagabonds, M, Lou Taddia/Gene King, Mass S & R/D Ctr., Williamsnett
  - 17 Swingles, M, Jerry Benoit/Daviau, Stanley Park, Westfield > 7:15-10:15 PM
  - 18 SACA, Plus, SACA Callers/TBA, Stanley Park, Westfield >7:30-10:30 PM Chic-Mates, S, Ed Blain/Benoit, Ma 5 & R/D Ctr., Williamsett > 5-BERRY
  - 24 Happy Squares, M, Jerry Benoit/Landry, Stanley Park, Westfield 37:30-10:30 PM
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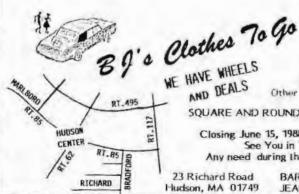
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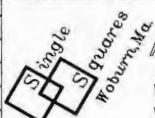




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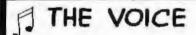




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Unfortunately, in 1973, Ag passed away. Her wish to continue the club prompted Bob to carry on the program at Hickory Hills Squares, Rita and the late Leon Mallette picked up the round dance program.

At the end of the 1984-1985 season, Rita Mallette retired from cueing and Jackie and Clayton Farrar took over

the round dance program.

We enjoy the Fun Club, which is active and progressive in supporting square dance activities and community activities in surrounding communities. We are proud to say that we have sponsored square dance lessons every year for the past 25 years.

We are looking forward to having all of our friends from neighboring clubs and former members come to join us in celebrating our anniversary. We are also looking forward to having those of you who have Bob to thank for starting you on your square dancing career to join us on this festive occasion.

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#### Date Correction for Norwood Squares:

Please note the 25th Anniversary Ball will be held at Moseleys Ballroom in Dedham with Red Bates calling and

Jo Yakimowski cueing on Sunday The 23rd of October NOT SEPTEMBER as stated previously.

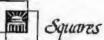


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Tech Squares just held elections. Our new officers are Irene Tobolsky, Wolf. Treasurer: President: Michael Dan Sorano, Publicity Coordinator, Susan Rigby, Class Coordinator; Linda Kasten. Secretary: Ron Hoffmann. Archivist; Phil King, Booking Director; Linda Samson, Banner Raids; Sharon Hospitality: Theresa Pothier, Minkel, Refreshments: and Michael Lauer, Rooming Director.

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In March we rolled out the red carpet for the Norwood Squares when they retrieved their banner. In April we rolled it out again for the Do-Si-Doers, who came and took our banner, and again in May for the Great Plain Squares' retrieval. We retrieved our banner in May, and now it's time to rest for the summer and get in shape for another busy year. See you in September. Have a happy summer.

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NEEDHAM, MA. . . By Ruth & Bill Tracy. . . From September enrollment to Graduation, April 13th, our enthusiastic class has been "super". They have been our "raidingest" class yet! Graduation was a great evening with gourmet casseroles for starters on through the ceremony and the cake. Thanks to Tom and Jeanne Flynn, Class Coordinators (who retired to receive Tom's new kidney), Gerry and Betty Anderson, Volunteer Coordinators. Howard. Paul Treasurer and final Coordinator, and Mil Dixon, teacher/caller-

Our "April Fools" dance Saturday, April 9th, was lots of fun with Jim Purcell and Jo Yakimowski - both at their very best! We thank the Hickory Hills and Minutemen for visiting. Thanks Clark, Ed and Ro Dance and Frank and Lillian Chairpersons,

Wasson, the Volunteers and the Culinary Arts contributors. Ruth Scheafe's hand made clown door prize drew many "Ahs",

We will have a new E-Board as you read this. Our past Board has guided the club well and successfully this past year - our appreciation to them. In particular, Leslie and Bill, our first two term Presidents can now relax. We hope not for long!

This is the end of our 15th year. We are young but enthusiastic! have made many friends in our collective field of fun and friendship.

'Tis time to say "so-long" until September. Keep dancing - don't get rusty.

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By the time you have read this, we will have elected a new president and executive board. And so we express our sincere thanks to our presidents, Dick and Louise and to their great staff: Jim and Cathy Black, Bill and Allison Shaw, Joe and Jeanette Denisi, John Mandigo, George and Carol Robinson, Howie and Dottie Kane, The Fitzies and Bev and Bill Armstrong. These people have given so generously of their time and effort for the good of the club. Many have served for three years. Many have served in spite of illness and catastrophic injuries. them all, there was beautiful harmony in this group.

Our new grads showed their stuff at the Class Ball. Their dancing skills are a tribute to their mentor, Bill Bean. Then they treated us with a delicious spread. Welcome aboard, you and many happy years of happy dancing.

The following gem has nothing to do with square dancing but I like it so much that I want to share it. Oliver Wendell Holmes, asked by his friends why he was reading Plato at age ninety, replied, "I do it to improve my mind."

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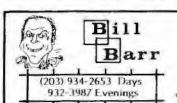
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DANBURY, CT. . . By Marilou and Parkhurst. . . Club Presidents Betty & Ev DeRevere report plans are being finalized for the Mad Hatters' Annual Dinner & Business Meeting to be held this month. The election of officers and executive board members for the year starting July 1 will be conducted. The Mad Hatters wrap up the 1987-88 season with one dance

in June. Our thanks to all who attended and otherwise supported our dances our club this year!

The Mad Hatters held a successful New Graduate Level dance in April. Michael Johnstone was Club Caller at the microphone, along with Howard & Jan who cued the rounds for the evening.

See you in September!

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"Some plants," and the teacher, "have the prefix dog. For instance, there is a dogrow, the dogwood, the dogwools. Who can name another plant prefixed

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SECOND ROW: Roger Dufault, (27-28-29th Pres.), Art Anthony, Bob Gray, Bob Linden (22nd Pres.), Gloria Linden, Nancy Watson, Austin Watson (present 35th Pres. as well as 11th Pres.), Amy Morrill, Bob Morrill, Harriet Varin, Frank Varin, Joe Frisella, Ray Fregeau (20-21st Pres.). Behind Ray...to the left of Ray is...Elaine Kent, Bob Kent (8th Pres.), Steve Falk, Babe Postle (standing behind Pearl).

THIRD ROW: John Mogel, Sonja Mogel, Rufus Aldridge, Laurel Aldridge, Rube Alexander (33-34th Pres.), Norma Alexander, Arline Mackin, Everett Mackin (24th Pres.), Cecile Phaneuf, Norm Phaneuf, Pat Juaire, Ed Juaire, Marion Howell, Archie Howell, Jr., Francis Mallon, Barney Mallon, Helen Roberts, Al Roberts (25th Pres.).



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April was particularly busy for us with two dances plus Graduation. Our AMATEUR NITE (April 2nd) was as usual a very enjoyable evening. This is one evening we really look forward to each year because not only can you enjoy the dancing but if there is a little

bit (??) of the Ham in you then you can also be on stage strutting your stuff.

A good time was had by all as we welcomed in the new members of the club at Graduation ceremonies on the 10th of April. An outstanding job was done by the advisors and officers in setting up the evening's activities. We feel we have a great class this year and hope to see them at future dances.

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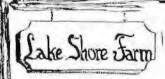
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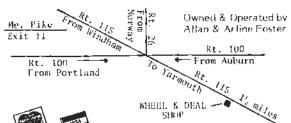
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## 1988 King & Queen Ball

By Jean Stahl Walpole, MA

Once again the SEMCA (Southeastern Massachusetts Coordinating Association of Square and Round Dance Clubs) King and Queen Ball was held at the South East Regional Technical School in Easton, Massachusetts. This was the 12th Annual Ball for SEMCA. February 7, 1988 was the big day. Luckily it was a great day weatherwise, this helps in having a record breaking crowd of happy dancers attend.

This year Marge Reynolds of Medford, and George Severance of Rockland became the new SEMCA King and Queen for 1988. They are members of the Lofty Squares Square Dance Club.

Marge attended three club's classes at the same time. She went to the Lofty's classes, Buckaroos' classes, and the Singles Squares' classes too. She enjoys combining square dancing with camping and belongs to the NAFCA Squares.

George has been square dancing for many years, you might say about 35 to be precise. As a NAFCA member too, he also enjoys mixing square dancing with camping.

Usually the King and Queen Ball is held in January, but by choosing February as the King and Queen Ball month, the Super Bowl is all over and there is no chance of it interfering with attendance.

Once again many callers and cuers generously donated their time and talents for this event. There were four halls for dancers to attend. They included beginner level, mainstream plus, A-1, and rounds. A silent auction, refreshments, Pot of Gold, door prizes, and the King and Queen Ceremonies provided for a very full evening of activity.

President Walter Egan welcomed everyone and introduced Jean Stahl as Mistress of Ceremonies, to conduct the King and Queen Coronation. Before proceeding with the ceremonies a demonstration of the Massachusetts Costume consisting of a gold vest with the Massachusetts outline patch on the back, with a white shirt or bloise, and a navy blue pair of pants or skirt was presented for all to see. Following this the Grand March of all the SEMCA Clubs' Kings and Queens was led by SEMCA's 1987 King and Queen, Frank and Louise Persice of the C-Arounds. Jean Stahl introduced the participating Kings and Queens. Jean was assisted by Lorraine Gonya and Dianne Murphy, with the details of the ceremony, all three are from the Side Splitters' Square Dance Club. The Kings and Queens were presented with scrolls, corsages and boutineers, and key chains commemorating the 1988 King and Queen Rall.

Frank and Louise Persille, the 1987 King and Queen, greeted the crowd, and recapped a few of their experiences that they had during their reign. They had a wonderful time during the year and were able to visit almost every SEMCA club.

The selecting of a SEMCA King and Queen is strictly by chance. The couple who gets the envelope that has a card with King and Queen written on it become the new King and Queen.

The final results of the 1988 King and Queen coronation are:

King and Queen - Marge Reynolds and George Severance, Lofty Squares
1st runner-up - Tammy Cessar and Russ Minute, Swinging Squares, RI
2nd runner-up - Mike Ratner and Sandy Haley, Jim Dandees
3rd runner-up - Bill and Ruth Tracy, Great Plain Squares
4th runner-up - Ray and Pat LeBlanc, Charlies Rhythm Ramblers

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#### DRESSING FOR SQUARE DANCING

You've read the title. Your eyes glaze over and you get ready to turn the page. Please don't! Things are happening today that are not good for square dancing. I am hearing about classes where many of the women are wearing pants, not just once in a while, but all through class. This has a very negative affect on the group they are with; they are actually downgrading their group. They are eliminating the essence of the dance; a man and a woman moving together to music. To me this doesn't seem like the occasion for the unisex approach.

Many of us women wear pants working around the house, for outdoor sports, and to keep warm in cold weather. It's practical and comfortable, but sometimes it just doesn't look so wonderful. Arrange two mirrors so that you can get a good look at yourself in the rear. It can be very disappointing. Now try a side view - those of us who are adding on the years may be adding on the pounds also. You would be happily surprised to see what a full skirt and a petticoat can do to hide the lumps.

Some of you say you don't want to look like a ballerina in those big full petticoats - no problem, don't wear them. Wear a smaller petticoat with just enough fullness to keep your dress or skirt from tangling in your legs. Some women who are really slender prefer the longer, semi-full type skirt. Why not? If it moves nicely and makes the wearer look graceful then it should be acceptable.

I would like to urge the new dancers to visit a good square dance shop and see (and try on) some of the very well designed dresses and skirts available. The shop will have a petticoat available that you can borrow while you are trying these on. You can now see what style is becoming to you. If you sew, go home and make one in a similar style. Patterns? All square dance shops have them and if you were at the Convention in Portland you had wonderful opportunities to see lots of clothes and lots of patterns in the exhibitors area. I hope, also, that you were able to locate the Pattern Exchange Room where programs on sewing are offered, and where you can always pick up a new idea.

I would like you to read the following excerpt from the Forward in The NEEDLE NOTES Book first published in 1971. It was true then and it is just as true today.

"....We want to make square dancing as attractive as possible to the greatest number of people. Square dancing is a wonderful activity. We want it to look wonderful.

Dressing well is a form of compliment to the people whom you are with. One dresses well out of consideration for these people. It indicates a desire on your part to contribute to the attractiveness of their surroundings and a desire to please. In your desire to please, you are expressing an interest in the others on the dance floor, and isn't this what square dancing is all about?

To dress well does not mean that you must wear the most expensive or the most elaborate clothes. Simplicity in dress is as appropriate to the dance floor as any other place, but it is good to consider your clothes in relation to the group. Do they contribute to the excitement and fun and the all-over picture of the dance, or are they the dull spot that needs a lift? Light bright colors enhance the look of the dance floor, with occasional dark colors to make an accent. Square dance clothes should be considered as rostumes, worn especially for this one activity. That's why they are fun to wear. Square dance clothes make you feel like a dancer. When you feel like a dancer, you are one!!"

Q.E.D.

# Needle Notes (Continued)

MORE ON DRESSING....I have sketched a couple of NO-NOs here to give you a little idea of how slacks can look from the side lines at a dance. I don't think it's a very pretty sight.

I have also sketched four outfits from a dress catalog I received recently as I thought they were quite appropriate for square dancing for those who are not ready to wear the fluffy S/D dresses.

A is an interestingly tiered skirt of woven cotton and comes in chambray blue, green or yellow. The striped skirt is matched in color and fabric and is loose fitting. The skirt, \$32, and shirt, \$24.

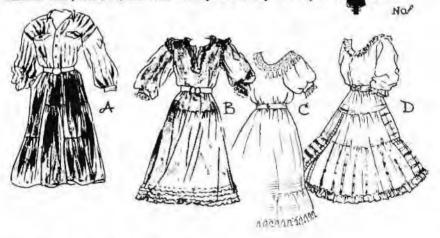
B is a blouse and skirt of coral cotton gauze. Cool and soft and washable. The pair, \$39.95.

C is a cream blouse and skirt set with a hand -crucheted neckline and interesting fringe on neckline, sleeves and hemline. Washable.

The set of blouse and skirt costs \$42.

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#### "A CALLER'S DREAM"

One late winter afternoon, while nursing a broken wrist;

I tried to relax in my easy chair but my nerves were doing the twist.

But the sun shone in so nice and warm, my cyclids soon grew heavy:

I thought of the class I would teach that night, it would soon be time to get ready.

The class had mastered Weave the Ring, Four Ladles Chain, and Square Thru Four; Tonight we would learn Allemande Thar and maybe even Eight Chain Four. This year's class was really nice, maybe heaven-sent; Then came my dream, that awful dream, and this is how it went.

Once there were some brand new dancers, happy as could be; Attending class, they smiled and laughed, a pleasure just to see. They came each night so tired and worn, then caught up in the rhythm Moved in time, from seven to nine, didn't know they had it in'em.

The caller planned each lesson well, he didn't rush or hurry; They had review, then something new, but never had to worry. They moved their feet right to the beat and danced with happy faces, Each made new friends, learned each step and waltzed right through their paces.

That great, great night at last did come, the night of graduation; The class arrived in bright new clothes, full of jubilation. They knew just how to Do Si Do, to Swing and do Grand Square; They o Do Passoed and Traded By, their heads were in the air.

Some were brave, some were meek, a few were even shaking; But, then they saw their Angel Friends, so what was the use in quaking? The angels were so friendly, so helpful at each class, Surely tonight would be the same; graduation was here at last!

The caller walked up onto the stage and standing straight and tall, Put on the disc, dropped the needle and bogan the patter call.

"Get a little boy ——get a little girl——
Square your sets, get ready to whirl!"

The angels rushed up to the front and squared up in a burry. They'd had enough of dancing slow and now it's time to scurry. The brand new folks were slightly shocked, but squared up in the corner. After all they'd studied hard; they'd dance with one another.

The caller gave this little speach, "While teaching you in class I took it easy week by week, but that is done at last.

We've danced so slow and to the beat, but now you're done with that.

Square your set, don't be slow and HANG ONTO YOUR HAT!"

With those words the dance began, the dance of graduation.

The calls were fast, the calls were hard; no time for jubilation.

The caller started showing off, he pulled out all the stops.

While the angels laughed and whooped it up - - their caller still was tops.

In the front of the hall, the angels all, smiled with great relief; Thank goodness my friend, that class did end. I was bored beyond belief. We did our job, we were such Saints, we holped enother class. Thank goodness they graduate tonight and we can have a blast.

With looks of gloom, in the back of the room the new people did huddle; They'd tried their best to keep up with the rost but were in an awful muddle. They looked at each other and shook their heads; each felt like such a fool. If this is Club bancing there was no use in attending square dance school.

If this happened to you, please tell me true, what exactly would you go? Would you grit your teeth and go back next week or say, "Thank heavens I'm through!"

Then I woke with a start and a happy heart; twas only a dream not true. That never happened to me at all, and certainly not to you.









s Spring is fast approaching (It's hard to tell with cold this weather) are all looking to find a few easy tricks to take off a few pounds before bathing suit time. I have found a few tips that

> may work for all of us. 1. Buy polyunsaturated salad oils or margarine for seasoning, cooking and baking. Use them in place shortenings, butter or animal fats.

2. Leave the sall shaker off your table. Forget the ritual

that many people go through of dumping salt on their meats and vegetables without even tasting them first.

- Turn down such snack items potato chips, pretzels, salted popcorn and saited nots and crackers. of these snacks are available sall-free H check your supermarket you. health-food store.
- If you have high-calorie foods in your refrigerator, put them in the back. Keep your low-calorie foods front.

If you use the hidden powers of your mind you'll eat less and enjoy eating more. Never try to achieve your ideal weight in a week

or two. It takes patience and effort to undo the harm that has been done over a period of years.

You can make your own low-calorie French dressing. Just mix one cup of tomato juice and a quarter of a cup of vinegar or lemon juice. Add chopped onion, garlic, pepper, or any desired seasoning such as mustard, green pepper, celery seed, hay leaf, chili pepper or

Worcestershire or Tabasco sauce. can prepare a dressing that



is even lower in calories by mixing equal portions vinegar lemon of OF Juice and evaporated Stir until skim milk. smooth and let it stand to thicken. This dressing can be used on fruit. tuna salad, or colesiaw.

Now a bit of humor:

#### A Child's Bright Sayings

While passing the demolition of a house a young child remarked "Look Mommy, they're building that house down!"

A little girl brought an apple to her grandmother and said, "Would you peel this for me and take the pills out too."

A first-grader during "Show and Tell" time told about a visit to a museum where she had a ride on an old steam When her mother asked her what she liked best about the ride she said, "Seeing all the air pollution come out of the smoke stack."

#### MY NEW SHOES

When I was but a little child My happiness just drove me wild, When Mom and Dad would break the news

That I must have some brand new shoes, I loved the bright and shiny look Of patent leather on my foot.

I tried so hard to make them squeak So folks would look down at my feet. Lalso cried with all my might That I might keep them on all night. And now I am ashamed to say They sometimes let me have my way.

But with my pride and selfish whim I knew not how to care for them, For when the morning came at last I walked around out in wet arass. Oh, foolish child, had I but knew That water spoils most any shoe.

My selfish pride had made me gain. For now my pride and juy is gone, They look so dull and all sagged down. Still, I must wear them while they lost And hope the time will go by fast,

"Till they wear out and hurt my feet; "They never did look very neat." I learned my lesson when real small That pride will always take a fall. And wait with patience for the news That I must have some more new shoes,

— Author Unknown

Hill next month,

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#### 25th ANNIVERSARY Franklin School, Andover Street No. Andover, MA

In October 1963, Square Dance Caller Stan Kandrut and Americ Lanni began instructing a group of interested, eager neophytes at the Grange Hall in North Andover-With help from the Town Travelers of Lowell, the group formed a new club and graduated 37 dancers in March 1964.

The club's chosen name. Turkey Town Troffers, came from North Andover's nickname "Turkey Town" - a name acquired early in the town's history because a large turkey farm was its most conspicuous landmark.

For len years the Turkey Town Trotters held both their dances and classes at the North Andover Grange Hall. Then they moved their dances to the Franklin School on Andover Street in North Andover, where the monthly dances are still held. Classes were moved to the Stevens Hall Convalescent Home on Park Street for many years, and later moved to their present site at the North Andover Community Center on Johnson

During the Club's twenty-five years, its members have worked to maintain and advance their club. Its success has stemmed, in large measure, from the capable assistance and support of Stan Kandrut - the club's caller from day one. Final responsibility for the club's success, however, always rests on the shoulders of its president and executive board. These dedicated people meet monthly, rotating the meetings among their homes.

Like any square dance club, the Turkey Town Trotters' membership has alternately grown and shrunk through the years. Currently the membership is on the upswing for several reasons: successful classes, members who have transferred from other clubs. and the enthusiastic support of long-time TTT members,

Each fall the Turkey Town Trotters look forward to a large class comprised of people who are learning square dancing for the first time, people who are returning after an absence of several years, and recent graduates who wish to build confidence white helping new dancers. During class sessions, there are brief workshops to enhance the interest of people already familiar with square dancing and also degionstrate the basic calls to the new dancers.

The Turkey Town Trotters' watchword has always been enjoyment -- enjoyment of square dancing, enjoyment of its associated activities, and enjoyment of new friendships. Although not the largest club, the richest club, or the most competent square dance club in the area, the Furkey Town Trotters have as much fun as any club and more than many. Typically the club holds its dances on the fourth Saturday of each month, omitting December, July, and August.

On June 18, 1988, the Turkey Town Trotters will hold a dinner-dance at the Franklin School in North Andover to celebrate their 25 years of square dancing. The occasion promises to be a memorable one with Phil Kandrut from Virginia calting and John Moran cueing. This 25th Anniversary evening will honor both the legacy of the first Turkey Town Trotters class and the continued dedication of the club's first-and-only club catter. Stan Kandrut.

> Pey Wolf Turkey Town Trotters Club



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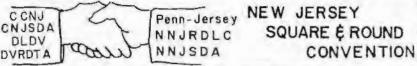
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#### SQUARE DANCE COUNCIL OF NEW JERSEY

More than 1,900 dancers attended the second New Jersey State Square & Round Dance Convention, held at Trenton State College, in Ewing, on Saturday, March 19, 1988. This was an Increase of more than 200 dancers over last year's Convention.

While most of the dancers were from New Jersey, eastern Pennsylvania and the metropolitan New York areas, there were participants from as far north as New Hampshire, from as far west as lowa, and from Florida.

The Convention, sponsored by the Square Dance Council of New Jersey (SDCNJ), ran from 10:00 AM until 10:30 PM, with a full program of square and round dancing, clogging, contra and line dancing. In addition to calling the varied dances, the sixty square dance callers and dance leaders ran workshops and teaching sessions.

Many of the square dance clubs hung their colorful banners in the Student Center, and there were displays set up by the seven organizations that comprise the SDCNJ. During the day, there were several clinics and workshops, dealing with such topics as "So You Want To Be A Square Dance Caller", to "Gags, Games & Gimmicks", a fun program for after-dance parties. Since many women make the colorful outfits for themselves and their partners, the Sewing Clinic was well attended. Fourteen vendors were on hand, displaying and selling square dance clothing and related goods and services.

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Milustone Award

Milust n the mid-1950's I was a young caller trained in the traditional square dance by Ralph Page. I had left New Hampshire and the "old" ways and gone off to college in the south (New Haven, CT) where I fell under the influence of another caffer, Al Brundage, who was also young (by Ralph Page's standard.) I learned about "Western" square dancing (which I prefer to call "modern" because it is widely done in the East as well as the West.) The principle difference between the two then - and now - was the constantly changing dance patterns in the modern version. Traditional dances used patterns that were done as complete units with only minor changes, if any. Modern square dancing prized constantly changing choreography, full of surprises, changed by the caller even as the dance was being called. In the mid-fifties the changes were not major because we were still memorizing dance routines and the memory has limits. The best of callers used three or four different dance routines in a single tip. The rest of us were pleased when we could use two - and still got through the evening without repeating. Ralph Page knew about these changes that were happening in the square dance world and did not approve. I had the chance to discuss the matter with him, occasionally, and I knew that he felt the modern way wasn't really dancing. I grudgingly granted that the surprises made for some scrambling or extra hesitations by the dancers. Sometimes, too, the patierns that we "created" while we were calling weren't as smooth and comfortable to dance as the old tried and true routines of the traditional dances. I remember these concerns and I remember thinking that Ralph really was too conservative -I might even have thought he was a stick-in-the-mud old timer. The funny thing is that, as I look out on the floor today while I call, I find some of those conservative attitudes in my own head. I see dancers taught by callers who believe total program variety is the goal of the activity. I see dancers who have never felt a Grand Square that took 32 steps and started on the musical phrase. I see dancers who grab and yark, who run and take short cuts. I see the women duck every time Star Thru is called because the men have not been taught to raise their arms high enough. I don't blame all of this on the dancers. Rather, I think, many of today's callers have never experienced real DANCING, the kind that fits the music and moves with rhythm and style through patterns that do not stretch the dancer's intellectual ability so far that they have no attention left for the way they move or the courtesy that should be part of any form of dancing. I used to think Ralph Page was unwilling to accept progress. Now, when I look in the mirror, I understand better what he was trying to tell me.

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An exciting feature of the Convention was the Grand March, in the evening, when all the clubs marched around the main dance hall, with the dancers resplendent in their colorful, matching outfits.

At the Convention, more than 400 dancers registered for next year's affair, which will be held at Trenton State College on Saturday, March 11, 1989.

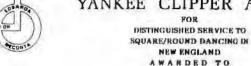
There are square dance clubs in almost every community in New Jersey. For information on classes, and dances, in Square, Round or Contra dancing, and clogging, please contact the Chairmen of SDCNJ, Doc & Peg Tirrell, 3 Churchill Road, Cressklli, New Jersey 07626.

Burt Captan

Publicity Director, 2nd 5.D. Convention

### New England Square and Round Dance CO-OPeration Committee







### JOHN AND HELEN PAGE Providence, R1

Mr. and Mrs. Friendly Mixers certainly applies to John and Helen Page. Since they started Square Dancing in 1965 and Round Dancing in 1970 their participation in our activity has been one of total commitment. As Angels for each class and part of Square Dance Demos and Fun Nites their efforts are unbounded and have been rewarded by the number of friends they have made.

John was President of the Friendly Mixers from 1966 to 1969 and Helen was Secretary in 1969-1970. John and Helen were elected Mr. and Mrs. Friendly Mixers by the club in 1973. John was President of the Rhode Island Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs in 1974-1975 and they were Halls Chairpersons of the New England Square and Round Dance Convention held in Providence in the years 1973-1974 and also in 1985-1986. They have been delegates to EDSARDA for the Rhode Island Federation since 1972. For the past ten years they have been Banner Chairpersons for their club.

During the 1976 Bicentennial Celebration they were Chairpersons of the Rhode Island Federation - sponsored entry in the Marching and Dancing Division. Their duties included helping design and build the award-winning float and coordinating the members who danced and marched in front and behind the float as well as dancing on it.

John served his country on two tours of duty with the United States Navy. One from 1941 to 1945 and again during the Korean war in 1950 receiving many medals and commendations for his mitstanding military service.

John and Helen have been married for 39 years, have two children and two grandchildren and have also found time for community service. They have been active in the Washington Park Citizens Association and Helen is a volunteer for the Republican Party and an election official. She has served as President of the Parent Teachers Association of both the Broad Street School and the Roger Williams Junior High School, For ten years Helen has taught Sunday School at the Cathedral of Saint John in Providence.

After working for Drake's Bakeries for 42 years and receiving many sales and safety awards, John retired in December 1987.

Friendly Mixers, is that not what our activity is all about? Being friendly and mixing and making friends with other dancers.

John and Helen Page are deserving of the Yankee Clipper Award for their enthusiasm, friendliness and friendship in promoting Square and Round Dancing.

> JOHN & HELEN (right) AS THEY RECEIVE THE YANKEE CLIPPER AWARD.



# CHALLENGE RAMBLINGS

I would like to ramble on about the ability of dancers to dance the level. Take the C2 hall at last years National Advanced and Challenge Convention as an example, it seemed to me that most callers were delivering a very weak C2. In case it isn't clear what a weak version of a level is, here are my thought on that.

A level can be made weak in several ways. An overuse of any of these techniques indicates that the caller believes he can't call the specified level. 1) Cueing, or telling the dancer the call followed by its definition. 2) Separating each use of a call on the level with several calls from lower levels (i.e. seldom using the calls on the level). 3) Keeping everything from standard positions (e.g. right-hand ocean waves). 4) Choreography in which much of the time some of the dancers are standing still (giving them time to check their opposites and formations and correct mistakes) 5) Stop and go delivery of material that could have been delivered without any dancer pauses. I believe that all of these devices detract from the enjoyment of the dance derived from actually dancing (i.e. moving to music). They may increase the enjoyment derived from succeeding in solving the puzzle (i.e. not breaking down).

So, why did callers in the C2 hall feel that they had to call a weak C27 One guess is that they felt that the dancer success rate would have been unacceptably low if they called any harder. Dancers were in the hall who didn't belong there and the callers reduced their level to accommodate those dancers. Maybe the dancers who did this are new to the C2 level and didn't expect a high success rate but wanted to give the C2 hall a try. It often seems to be a chicken and egg problem. I sometimes wonder why the level in a hall doesn't spiral down further than it does. However, I know one thing. At a weekend with multiple halls (like NACC) a marginal C2 dancer who is blown out of the C2 hall because the callers are calling the level can always dance in the C1 hall (where hopefully the callers are also calling the level).

It seems clear to me that one of the roles played by the C2 hall at NACC is to strongly assert to the country that this is what C2 is all about. The tapes are distributed and danced many places and people assume that if they can dance C2 to the staff of the NACC then they can really dance C2. The same goes for all of the other levels at NACC.

Well. I rambled away from my initial topic and will have to continue it next time.

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Round dance teachers from the United States, Canada and New Zealand will be meeting Sunday, Monday and Tuesday in Anaheim, CA prior to the 37th Notional Square Dance Convention at the Grand Hotel for ROUNDALAB's 13th Annual meeting.

Leaders will combine their experience and expertise in conducting the business of ROUNDALAB which includes, among other items, continuing to define and place figures in the Six Phases of Round Dancing and developing a Teaching Progression for the various rhythms.

The Sunday Evening Education Program will feature round robin discussions on Video Comeras, After Parties and Burn Out. After the Awards Banquet on Monday evening, Bitl & Carol Goss of Wilmette, IL will introduce and discuss new rhythms and figures and provide practical application. Swap & Exchange Sessions will include information on Teachers' Schools, Publicity and How to Conduct a Weekend or Festival. The many facets of a ROUNDALAB Annual Meeting will keep the attendees busy from Orientation on Sunday noon to the Closing Session on Tuesday morning.

Even though the ROUNDALAB Convention is a very full two days, most of the teachers will attend the day long ROUNDALAB Teachers Seminar/Clinic on Wednesday and stay on to participate in the 37th National Square Dance Convention.

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Then there was the chap who went to the horse roces, made a "mental bet" and last his mind.



Should square dancing officially be recognized as the Folk Dance of the United States? That question will be debated before a Congressional Committee in Washington, D.C. on Tuesday, June 28, 1988.

What is the significance of such a bill and, if passed, how will it affect those of

us who enjoy square dancing today? For one thing, an "official" recognition by our government will bring this activity in all its phases more vividly into the public eye. It will encourage more men and women of all ages to share with others a slice of their true American cultural heritage.

Representing those in favor of the proposition (Bill II.R. 2067) will be dancers, callers and teachers - leading representatives of the many facets of square dancing - the squares, rounds, contras, clogging, the traditional we well as the contemporary.

Opposing will be those who feel that their regional interest groups will be lost in the shuffle. They, too, will be heard.

Interest in this movement has reached beyond just the dance fraternity. Here is a portion of what U.S. Congressman Leon Panetta has said in support of the action,

"We are talking about a dance that has been a vital American tradition since 1651 and it has evolved into the most popular participatory dance in the United States today. This is reflected by the number of square dance clubs and the number of people who are a part of it. 8,500 square dance clubs exist throughout the United States and something like 6 million dancers are part of those clubs, not to mention obviously the millions of school children who participate in square dancing in their schools.

"It celebrates some important ideals of this country in the sense that it is really a dance which includes people of all ages, all races, all colors, all creeds. It includes the handicapped, and the healthy. It includes all of those who are part of the broad spectrum of American Life. Square dancing is the one dance which incorporates the folk dance traditions of a large number of ethnic and cultural groups in this country..."

Also lending support to the action is U.S. Congressman Norman Mineta who says:

"We are long overdue for a national folk dance in which we can all take pride. The square dance is indeed uniquely American. It has been in our repertory of dances for over 300 years from the first colonies on into the formation of the Union and to present day America. Square dancing has brought all Americans together in an activity which all groups in our society can participate.

"Square dancing is an integral part of most school curricula. It is one of the unifying activities in our schools where all children are equal in their participation. Square dancing does not require special abilities or talents. Social barriers are broken down as students join hands and move to the music.

"Our textbooks are filled with stories of the founding of our country, and its political and social history. But we often come up short in teaching children our cultural history. If the square dance is formally made our national folk dance, it will become even more visible in our society, and will give schools and other institutions further impetus to teach this rewarding activity. A national folk dance will instill greater appreciation for the art of dancing in general.

"A national folk dance shows that dance should be taken seriously as an important component of human artistic expression, and has a definite place in the Nation's cultural heritage. The square dance should be designated as this national folk dance because it is uniquely American. I can think of no better dance to be our national folk dance, and no better dance to carry to other countries as a representation of American tradition. Surely, it is time to recognize the important place of the square dance in our folk culture."

There may still be time to lend a hand by writing to your representative in Congress in support of Bill H.R. 2067. For additional information write or phone: Frank and Nan Habersberger, 8490 N.W. 14th Street, Pembroke Pines, FL 33024; (305) 435-2531. The Habersbergers are officers in the United Square Dancers of America, and are heading up this current drive to recognize square dancing as our country's official folk dance.

Bob Osgood The Northeast Square Dancer, June 1988

# RECORD REVIEW



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RATING CODE: \*\*\*\*-Excellent; \*\*\*-Good; \*\*\*-Average; \*\*-O.K.(may not be suitable for all callers)

CHINOOK 090

IT'S A SIN TO TELL A LIE - W/C by Bob Stutevoss. Key of G. Heads Square Thru 4, Right & Left Thru, Veer Left, Ferris Wheel. Pass Thru, Touch 1/4, Scoot Back, Boys Run, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. An average version of this old classic. Should get the crowd singing along.

Rating \*\*\*

HI HAT 5100

SEND MY BODY HOME W/C by Bobby Lepard key of E.

Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Bend The Line, Right & Left Thru, Ladies Lead Dixie Style to a Wave, Girls Circulate, Left Allemande & Promenade. An woeful tune with a hillbilly feeling--could be effective in the right setting. Music is good. Rating \*\*\*

BLUE STAR 2357

BE GLAD - W/C by Johnnie Wykoff. Key of C.

Heads Promenade 1/2, Right & Left Thru, Rollaway, Go Forward Star Thru, Pass The Ocean, Same Ladies Trade, Recycle, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. Typical lively Blue Star music with a solid, well timed dance by Johnnie. Rating \*\*\*\*

ROYAL 105

LOUISIANA FAIS DO DO - W/C by Jerry Story key of A. Entire call for this dance may be found in our Dance of the Month Column. Rating: \*\*\*\*\*

E.S.P. 151

TWINKLE, IWINKLE LUCKY STAR - W/C by Elmer Sheffield Jr.
Le. of E. Heads Promenade Half, Square Thru 4.
Right & Left Thru, Pass Thru, Trade By, Touch 1/4,
Scoot Back two times, Swing Corner & Promenade.
A very good offering of this tune which is also
a popular Round Dance. Elmer does a super job on
the flip side. Rating \*\*\*\*

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If you don't try, you can't fail,

### RECORD REVIEW (continued)

KED BOOT STAR

1303

SMILE - W/C by Drew Scearce. Key of E flat.
Heads Square Thru 4, Do-Sa-Do, Swing Thru. Boys
Run Right, Bend The Line, Right & Left Thru.
Flutter Wheel, Slide Thru, Corner Swing & Promenade.
I liked this one. It is easy to call to and a real
smooth dance. Great Red Boot music. Rating \*\*\*\*

### RED BOOT STAR

1307

GONE AT LAST - W/C by Ron Dunbar. Key of E. Heads Promenade 1/2, Sides Right & Left Thru, Flutter Wheel, Sweep 1/4 more, Double Pass Thru, Track Two, Swing Thru, Boys Trade, Turn Thru, Left Allemande & Promenade. The background vocal on the instrumental side bothered me and tends to overpower some real good Red Boot music. This is a good tune and can be effective in rounding out your program. Rating \*\*\*

#### ROYAL 205

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE ALONE - W/C by Tony Oxendine. Key of  $\boldsymbol{G}_{\star}$ 

Heads Square Thru 4, Make a Right Hand Star, Sides Star Left, Right & Left Thru with Outsides, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Half Tag, Swing & Promenade. Excellent music. This is a nice change of pace during the evening. Rating \*\*\*\*

#### COUNTY LINE 6

ALL MY EX'S LIVE IN TEXAS. W/C by Leo "Morgan" Dumas. Key of A.

Heads Promenade 1/2, Square Thru 4, Swing Thru, Boys Run Right, Ferris Wheel, Square Thru 3/4, Swing Corner & Promenade. I brought the speed up slighly on this one. It is a good instrumental and Led does a nice job on the flip side. Rating \*\*\*\*

### NICKEL 55

OH YOU BEAUTIFUL DOLL W/C by Tony Deleo. Key of E. Heads Promenade 1/2, Right & Left Thru, Flutter Wheel, Sweep 1/4 more. Pass Thru, Right & Left Thru. Swing Thru, Boys Run, Half Tag, Swing & Promenade. A good version of a classic sing-along tune. Rating \*\*\*

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4 ladies promenade inside of the ring
Get back and give your boy a swing
Join hands and circle left you go
Left allemande and weave the ring
Well, it's Saturday night and let the good times roll
Swing a little girl and promenade
There ain't nothin' half as crazy
As a Louisiana Fais Do Do



#### FIGURE:

Heads (sides) square thru go dancing around All the way then do a right and left thru Veer left and couples circulate one time Ladies trade, bend the line, and do a right and left thru Square thru to four go dancing around Trade by, swing, and promenade the town There ain't nothin' half as crazy

As a Louisiana Fais Do Do



#### SWING

There ain't nothin' half as crazy As a Louisiana Pais Do Do

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#### REGARDING THE PORTLAND CONVENTION

### REQUEST:

If you or anyone you know took a video recording of the Danvers demonstration at the Portland convention celebrity hour, please contact Jo Yakimowski at (617) 326-3312.

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## TIME TO GET MINI-LEGACIES ROLLING

ing must have a continuing supply of and direction good leaders. Square dancing is no universal importance of good leadership, this begins to happen. Local organizawhy is it that so many square dance pro- tions must develop their own supply of grams suffer for lack of it? Classes bring trained leaders, and well-planned and exin a stream of energetic people who ecuted leader training exercises offer demonstrate that they can quickly learn, valuable opportunities to do just that And, at least in the early stages, they want. Leader development seminars draw peoto be part of the team. Yet we do not seem, ple together in pursuit of desired common to move effectively towards recognizing, goals. They enlighten, develop and attracting, encouraging, developing and strengthen personal feelings of "Can Do" using the resource talents that are so and "Willing to try," Believe it or not, they readily available to us.

are made, not born. And Mini-Legacies boot. We say-try one! are designed to help make good leaders Our activity needs an on-going and con- Augusta GA 30909. tinuing supply of good, willing, knowledgeable leaders. They are there, but

t is well known that every undertak- they need encouragement, training, help

Leadership training programs, someexception. So, if we recognize the times called Mini-Legacies, are where all don't hurt a bit! Fact is, these experiences Let's set the record straight! Leaders can be great fun, with good fellowship to

For more information about Minifor square dancing. Plenty of friendly folks Legacy Leadership Development proout there on the floor are willing to be grams, contact A! and Vera Schreiner, used in responsible positions. And square LEGACY Executive. Secretaries, 1100 dancing needs them. These persons Revere Dr., Oconomowoo Wt 53066, or must be found, motivated and molded. Dan and Mary Martin, 422 Kemp Drive,

> Dan & Mary Martin LEGACY Mini-Legacy Chairmen

### SOUARE DANCING IS FOR EVERYONE

For information on classes anywhere in New England, call:

Fun Good Exercise Friendly It was a month and some weeks ago that I left my Danbury Senior Center country dance class and headed northwest to Cortland, New York to give my Colonial Experience program at a number of schools in the area.

I was working on a grant and performed at two elementary schools, a high school and did a lecture/demonstration at the State University College at Cortland.

I was ably assisted at all these programs by the College Baliroom Dance Team which is under the direction of Bess Koval. Bess has been a dance instructor at the college for many years and was my contact, guide, hostess, helper and is a wonderful person to know. She has energy in abundance.

Working with my reenactor dance group in Newtown, we made a video tape of a number of early American country dances. This was sent, along with written instructions, to Bess. She, in turn, took all the information to her dancers and the final results were excellent. The eight dancers performed as though they had been doing country dances for years.

Normally, when I do my Colonial Experience in public schools, I have the children take part in the learning of honors, foot positions and a number of the steps (footwork) that go with 18th century country dances. In New England class sizes run from 50 to 100 students. On this trip we performed to groups ranging in size from 200 to over 400 children.

The team danced for me in place of the group participation. The dances done included: The Irish Wash Woman, George Washington's Favourite, Maid of the Oaks, St. Patrick's Day in the Morning and a Three Hand Reel in which had a chance to dance.

All this took place on a Thursday and Friday. The early Saturday leave taking I'd planned didn't happen as the van's voltage regulator decided to stop working. Once I'd fixed that and gotten a jump start I headed for Sandy Hook.

Arriving much later than placed I had little opportunity to rest before our third Saturday live music open dance that evening.

Set up takes a while as we also supply refreshments for this affair. Our good friend Dick Wexelblat handles the door for us and it was with some surprise that we noticed, just at 8:00 that there was a line of people waiting to get in! This is unusual as we've been dancing five to seven sets for the last few months.

That night we wound up with 100 dancers, most of whom were beginners. It seems that my persistence in announcing and giving out flyers at all the father/daughter, and other, open dances finally bore fruit.

Of course, my ideas of what I'd be calling that night went out the window. There was a lot of basic teaching to be done while keeping the evening a social event and not a class.

When it came to doing a contra 1 "wrote" the following on the spot. I say "wrote" as it may be in print somewhere by some other name, it's so basic.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

THE TOWN HALL FANCY Formation: Alternate duple Music: 32-bar reel or jig

- A1 All Fwd & back; Do Si Do your Corner.
- AZ Swing the Corner, ending facing across the set, man on L, lady on R (progression) & all join hands along the long lines. All Fwd & back
- B1 Ladies Chain (over & back).
- B2 The same four Circle to the L & R.

There's nothing astounding about this plece, it's just another of many I've written that serve a teaching purpose while being a dance at the same time.

The laddes Chain was the new figure while progression and crossing over were also taught. The two Forward and backs are to add stability to the dance. People are holding on to one another and the experienced help the inexperienced without appearing to do so.

if a swinging couple doesn't rome out right, in side to side relationship, the Ladies Chain will get them corrected as you can start the figure with the ladies on the "wrong" side of the men, as you may know from contras written that way.

Chip Hendrickson The Northeast Square Doncer, June 1988

# The GALLERS' GORNER

### CALLERLAB CONVENTION COMMENT

There appeared to me to be a strong feeling by the Mainstream callers that the Mainstream program is theirs and they don't want any one to "Mess" with it,

Any attempt to detete calls from the Mainstream program met with fierce resistance!! Callers from the Mainstream program were very upset that the Plus or Advanced callers were trying to change their program....My opinion of all this is as follows.....

The Mainstream program belongs to Square Dancing and to all the callers as it is the foundation of our activity. The attempt to delete calls that are marginal in use created alot of strong feelings. I would only ask the catters who only call Mainstream to look at their program as the MOST IMPORTANT PROGRAM WE HAVE ..... Without a Mainstream program we have NO program,... At a time when learn to dance classes are at an extreme low and all of Square Dancing's programs are suffering with fewer and fewer dancers we MUST look at our Mainstream program, the entry program, as the program that we must shorten. We all keep saying "It takes too long to learn to dance, too much to learn", etc.,.... feel it really does not take alot of vision to see that if we are to shorten the number of weeks in class then we must reduce the amount there is to learn!!! I feel that this can be done by eliminating some of the duplication and calls that are really not used very much which will shorten the list and the learning time all without any real harm to the Mainstream Program. The Heart of the program and the intent or purpose of a Mainstream program will not be harmed in any way....Mainstream Callers who oppose strongly the dropping of calls like Alle, right, Couples Hinge, 1/2 sashay (not rollaway) etc., are really very shortsighted in view of what is happening with our recruitment and retention of new dancers....

### WORKING WITH "DIVIDE" AS A MAINSTREAM BASIC:

Divide is a call that the Mainstream callers wish to have on the Mainstream program but it has fallen out of popularity with most callers....Here are a few ideas to get you thinking. Recall the action of a Divide, the designated dancers turn their back to each other and move around the outside of the set 1/4, then accept the next call... Example...Boys divide 8 Touch 1/4.....

ZERO LINE...PASS THRU...WHEEL & DEAL..DOUBLE PASS THRU... LEAD COUPLE DIVIDE & STAR THRU...CENTERS PARTNER TRADE & SQUARE THRU FOUR...CENTERS IN...CAST OFF 3/4.. ENDS...STAR THRU...CTRS...TOUCH 1/4 & WALK & DDDGE,, PASS TO THE CENTER...SQUARE THRU 3/4...LEFT ALLE...zero box...

ZERO LINE..PASS THRU, WHEEL & DEAL, DOUBLE PASS THRU.. CENTERS IN..CAST OFF 3/4...TOUCH 1/4...ALL & CIRCULATE.. CIRLS DIVIDE & TOUCH 1/4...BOYS SINGLE HINGE.. CENTER BOYS TRADE...BOYS SWING THRU..GIRLS FACING OUT... U TURN BACK..BOYS STEP AHEAD TO MAKE A WAVE..(extend) BOYS RUN..RIGHT & LEFT THRU..SLIDE THRU..LEFT ALLE...zero box..

ZÉRO LINE...PASS THRU...WHEEL & DEAL...CENTERS PASS THE UCCAN & RECYCLE...OUTSIDES DIVIDE & STAR THRU... ZOOM...SQUARE THRU 3/4...LEFT ALLE... Zero Box..

HEADS PASS THRU...CLOVERLEAF...DOUBLE PASS THRU.. LEAD COUPLE PARTNER TRADE...PASS THRU.. OUTSIDES DIVIDE & TDUCH 1/4....CENTERS TOUCH 1/4.. ALL BOYS RUN RIGHT...LEFT ALLE...zero box..

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The Northeast Square Dancer, June 1988

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# Square Beat



By Dick and Judy Severance

Square Dancers are known to have a high level of enthusiasm. Enthusiastic people can turn a boring evening into an enjoyable adventure, extra work into opportunity, and a city of strangers into a city of friends. It is that stick-to-itivenes that helps them to hang in there when the going gets lough. It is that inner voice that says I can do it, I will do it...when those all around are not believers. When an activity such as square dancing is of such great pleasure one does not want to stop. Enthusiasm is that state of mind of a person engaged in a great adventure. WE DON'T ACQUIRE IT, WE DISCOVER IT. It is that childish wonder that gives enthusiastic people such a youthful air and such fun to be around. It is an elixir that makes life itself a never ending adventure. It is that which puts a sparkle in our eye, a lift in our step, youthfulness in our voice, and smooths out wrinkles of the sout. It seems that enthusiastic people love what they do regardless of money, title or power. There is a need on the part of people to discover what it is they love to do. For us it happens to be the activity of square dancing. Enthusiasm builds when you develon the ability to look forward not back. Do not dwell on what might have been but rather on what can be. It doubles when we appreciate the small pleasures in life. Although we've heard it said many limes before, under many varying circumstances, to get the most out of life one must pause to smell the roses. When one can appreciate where they've been, through involvement and participation, they can rediscover with enthusiasm where they are going. As it is in life, so it is in any activity that you get involved in. It is no surprise that the square dance activity is one of those that attracts enthusiastic people, every year, from all walks of life. It provides an opportunity of rediscovery about oneself that is worth gotting excited about. We have not met a square dancer who does not dance with an air of enthusiasm that doesn't spill over into their personal lifestyle, who doesn't have a sense of appreciation for the little things in life and who is not willing to share that great feeling with others. Yes indeed, enthusiasm is contageous. The excitement and fun created on the square dance floor is clearly visible and invites others to a rediscovery of themselves. For a new burst of enthusiasm in your life discover square dancing. You too, can catch the spirit.

> Dick and Judy Severance The Northwast Square Dancer, June 1988

# LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT .....

Subject: I Hope My Ears

Deceived Me



On page 71 of the April magazine, Jim Mayo commented on the square dance exhibition at the Olympic Games at Calgary. I agree with him 100%. It was the most beautiful sight of square dancing that I have ever witnessed. It was a tremendous accomplishment that required endless hours of preparation.

At the completion of the square dancing the T.V. announcer spoke briefly to one of the callers. I am sure that I was listening most intently as I was that interested. I may not be able to quote the exact words but the jist was so: Announcer; That looks like a lot of fun. Caller; It can be real frustrating, too. Announcer; (seemingly trying to save the day); I still think it would be a lot of fun. Perhaps someone has a tape of this and if so please correct me if I am wrong, which I hope. If I am wrong I apologize. However, this brings up an excellent point.

If you are bowling and throw a ball down the alley incorrectly there is no way that you can retrieve it. Likewise, if you say something over the mike there is no way you can cancel it. Politicians have learned this lesson the hard way. I have known of callers who have ruined their career by poor judgment. I believe it was Charlie Baldwin who said "If you offend one couple in the hall by what you have said it is too much". This is so important when trying to promote square dancing.

The Calgary exhibition could give square dancing publicity that thousands of dollars could not buy. If I heard correctly all that publicity could go straight down the drain. That could be a disaster. Doesn't someone have a tape? I hope I can be found to be wrong.

Happy Dancing,

Bob Morsh

The Northeast Square Doncer, June 1988

Editor's Note: We have been lucky enough to have a tape of the Square Dancing at Calgary given to us. After going over the tape twice I can't find any negatives in this piece. When I talked to Bob he said it was in the interview with the Caller or Callers. Maybe a reader can clear this up. We owe the Winter Olympics a big thank you for including Square Dancing as part of this great event.

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# Musings On Dance

By Veronica Ann McClure

### HOW TO GET "THE PLEASURE"

Some months ago I wrote reviews on several books the average person is most likely to encounter in starting a search for information about dance history. These books are likely to be in general libraries and/or have made such an impression on me that I thought I should tell you about them. The book I like the best as a general introduction to dance history is called May I Have the Pleasure? Its subtitle is A History of Popular Dance. It was originally published by the British Broadcusting Corporation to accompany a dance history television series. I included it in the book reviews and have often mentioned it to folks who ask me to suggest a book.

However, several people have told me that they have been unable to find the book and that bookstores have told them it is out of print. I am happy to say that I have found a source for the book. Here's how to get it:

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If you are interested in a good book on dance history, this is it. You could order it for yourself, or perhaps suggest it to your local library as a new acquisition. Libraries like to have suggestions from their readers and this would increase the amount of good information about dance in our communities.

Happy reading and dancing!

Veronica Ann McClure 22 wagner Rd., Medjord, MA 02155 (617) 391-8070 or 495-8693 The Northcast Square Duncer, June 1988

### New England Square and Round Dance CO-OPeration Committee



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## ➤ BUILDING A BETTER CLUB IMAGE

### STEP # 2

(If your club institutes these simple steps to be introduced one per month over the next twelve months you can be assured of an improved image in your local community. By putting into place each monthly step it will work like building blocks. Once developed, continuation of these public relations approaches will help to enhance your club's future success.)

Let it be known that your club welcomes non-dancing guests to your dances just to watch at no charge. Such a policy can create unlimited opportunities. On all of your club's schedule cards, newsletters, flyers, posters and articles submitted to the news media always include at the bottom the words: "PUBLIC INVITED TO WATCH WITHOUT CHARGE". Do this on printed matter you put out and tell your members of your club's policy.

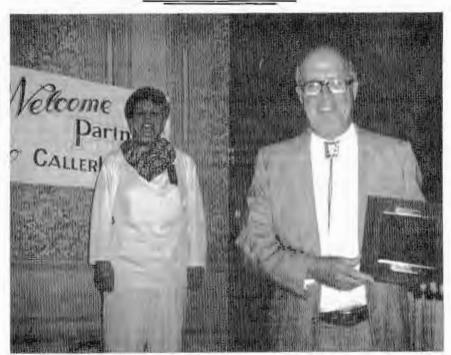
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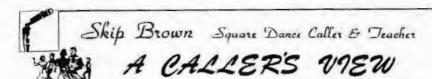
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Anna Dixon as she presented the partners session at CallerLab "88".

Jim Mayo receiving special award that was given to Jay King.



CALLERLAB '88

The International Association of Professional Square Dance Callers held their 1988 Convention in Reno, Nevada this past March with nearly 800 active callers attending Including II from my own callers association - Tri-State. An impressive representation considering the costs and distance involved.

My prime focus was on the "thawing" of the Mainstream Program after a four year "freeze". Indications were that the Program was ripe for some major changes. During many Mainstream Committee meetings the entire program was discussed, movement by movement, step by step, beat by beat, and an overwhelming majority of the 200+ Committee members indicated their collective desire to leave the Program alone. This collective desire was introduced as a resolution at the general membership meeting and, with only a couple of modifications, was adopted. Those modifications included the dropping of "Split the Ring", "Divide", "Curlique", and "Partner Hinge" and the addition [to the "Chain" Family] of "Chain Down the Line". The general concessus was — "the Mainstream Program is working and working well - leave it alone!!!"

The PLUS Program had two minor changes - "Extend the Tag" was changed to simply "Extend" and the call "Triple Trade" was dropped.

After all the meetings and voting and seminars and talks and conferences had finished for the day there were smaller gatherings; some in rooms, or the corner of a lounge and once, around a solitary slot machine. It was in these smaller gatherings that one could meet some of the "stars" or "legends". I remember one gathering in a fourth floor suite where I drifted from one group to another first listening to Ray Aubut and Stan Burdick discuss the publishing business, picking up a comment about Jerry Helt's latest release, hearing the story of the [only] time a [well known] caller missed a Grand Square, meeting Gary Shoemake - a maker of records - most of which I carry in my record case, and finally, somewhere after 2 AM sitting at the bar listening to Jim Mayo, Dick Leger, and Bill Peters discuss choreography, timing, and next year's convention in Nashville. I can't wait.

Smooth Dancing,

The Northeast Square Dancer, June 1988

## CALLERLAB 1988



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# Line/Solo DANCE CORNER

By Dr. Grant Longley

n apology is needed. So I will procede. I am very sorry that I missed my deadline last month. You see, the end of March is the end of the Winter season in Florida. Instead of everything slowly grinding down to a stop, there is a maddening of social activity. My neighbor across the street has to have a farewell party; the folks down at Church must wish everyone bon voyage with a party; the Line Dance Club must get in one last dance party; the Yacht Club/the Bowling League/even the Weight-Loss Clinic must throw a party. You know the results! But I especially apologize to the folks who subscribe to this magazine for Line/Solo dance reasons only.

Did y'all notice how "All My Ex's Live in Texas" was not only the Line Dance of the Month in April, but it was also the Square Dance of the Month? And the two editors did not pre-decide it that way. Actually, that dance here in the Venice area of Southwest Florida was "the hit" of the Jo Bridges' dance exhibition and then it continued on as the top favorite dance of the Spring Season. Connie McDonald of Lynn, Massachusetts did a good job of choreography.

There are several other matters I wish to discuss but space does not permit me at this time to indulge. Will catch up on them in July. Maybe I will see many of you when I make a scheduled trip in June to the Springfield Cotlege and Dean Junior College campuses.

> Dr. Grant Lonaley 1236 Grenodine Way Venice, Ft 34292

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# LINE DANCE

-Dr. Grant Longley

### WALK RIGHT BACK

Origin: Music: Peter J. Corsi, Line Dance Instructor, Springfield, MA

Position:

RCA Victor APBO - 0096, Perry Como, "Walk Right Back" Solo, all facing Head of Hall

Intro:

Start with vocal

### -- DANCE --

#### Measures:

Im 1/4 TURN R. STRUT 4

- -Turn Right to face Right Wall and walk RF, LF, RF, LF while swinging arms fwd and back;
- 2m STRUT 4 turn 1/2 L.
- -Continue walk RF, LF, RF, then rise on both toes to make 1/2 pivot Left as step LF;

3m STRUT 4

- Walk forward RF, LF, RF, LF swinging arms;
- 4m STRUT 4 TURN 1/2 R.
- —Walk fwd RF, LF, RF, rise up turn 1/4R. as step LF;
- 5m CHARLESTON RIGHT
- Point RF fwd, step RF bwd, touch LF to Left rear, step LF in place;
- 6m CHARLESTON RIGHT
- Repeat Measure FIVE;
- 7m TURN TWO TRIPLETS
- Turn 1/4 Right and step RF/LF/RF, , then LF/RF/LF,;
- 8m TURN TWO TRIPLETS
  TURN 1/2 LEFT
- Turn 1/2 Left then step RF/LF/RF, , then LF/RF/LF and at same time pivot 1/4 Left, .

### Dr. Longley's Comment:

I have not been able to locate Perry Como's "Walk Right Back" so I have used Scott Ludwig's TNT 1768, "Walk Right Back 81"

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# Round Dancer 1988 Classics and 10 Runners-Up March 1988

Kank, Title & Composer	Record Label	A Number	Orig. Publ. U	ate Votes Rec'd
1 POP GOES THE MOVIES (Raye)	Arista	AS0660	7-82	10,901
2 COULD ! HAVE THIS DANCE (Eddins)	Capitol	4920	12-80	10,018
3 A TASTE OF THE WIND (Eddins)	MCA	52076	12-87	9,438
4 CRAZY EYES (Eddins)	Millennium	YB11519	1-82	6.998
S STREET FAIR (Merola)	Ranwood	R916	5-17	6,746
6 APRES L'ETREINTE (Dahi)	Fpic	8-59270	1-80	6,628
7 LAZY SUGARFOOT (Procter)	Roper	309	4-81	CA (A+ 6,409
B I WANTA QUICKSTEP (Palmquist)	GRENN	14261	12-67	6,165
9 PRIMROSE LANE (Wilder)	Goldisk G304	9 or Eric 270	11-81	5.803
ID BEGIN THE BEGUINE (Wolcott)	Roper	104	6 H	7 4,410
11 HALLELUJAH (Reeder)		Curb WBS4877	4-B0	A75.4 371
12 TIL TOMORROW (Palmquist)	Windsor BR	4-537	3-41	4,207
13 GAMES THAT LOVERS PLAY (Wolcott)	Roper	176	9-17	3,569
14 HUSH (Croft/de Zordo)	ASM	85965	17-82	3,559
15 GAZPACHO CHA (Lawson)	Dance Along	P6108	17-84	3,240

NEW Classics this year are: HUSH and GAZPACHO CHA NEW ALL-TIME Classic is: COULD I HAVE THIS DANCE

#### First 10 Runners-Up

(These Runners-Up do not carry the 1988 Classic Rating, however they do warrant your consideration for Tearning, teaching and programming.)

1	JACALYN'S WALTZ (Wilhoit)	RED ROOT RESGR	12-82	3,170
5	SHELK OF ARABY (Roberts)	HI HAT INIESS OF 978	3-71	3.066
3	DISTANT DRUMS (Foxcroft)	RCA 447-0785	3-B4	2.915
4	HAWATTAN WEDDING SONG (Lovelace)	Columbia NOF 1-33085 or 4-33085	5-79	2,734
5	PARA ESTO (Roberts)	TELEMARK 916	1-19	2,667
6	DON'T CAY FOR ME AMGENTINA (Palmquist)	1DTA 54	12-82	2,535
7	RAINBOW FOXIROT (Blackford)	TELEMARK 912	12-83	2,401
8	PIANO ROLL WALTZ (Green)	GRENN 14297	6-81	2,350
9	ADIOS (Norman)	RCA Victor 447-0716	11 74	5,4114
10	PAGAN LOVE SONG (Pierce)	Sydney Thompson EP615	4-84	1,898

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ROUND DANCES TAUGHT 30th NEW ENGLAND SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE CONVENTION PORTLAND, MAINE, April 22 - 23rd, 1988

### (RECORD)

### EASY:-

"A TIME FOR LOVE" (Gray)

GRENN 17108 (14094)

(Two Step)

Taught by: CAROLE & DAVE STEWART (Augusta, ME)

"F(SHIN' IN THE DARK" (Raybuck) WARNER BROS 7-28311-A (Wendy Waldman & Jim

Photoglo)

(Two Step)

Taught by:- DORIS & ART T-BOW

(Dover, NII)

### EASY/INTERMEDIATE: -

"DO YA" (BROWN) Two Step) RCA 5239-7-R "DO YA"

K.T. Oslin

BIRGIT & RICHARD MAGUIRE (Brockton, MA) Taught by:-

"THE SONG WE FELL IN LOVE TO" (Collipi)

(Two Step)

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Taught by: MARIETTA BULLOCK & MATT DECHIRICO (Warren, RI)

### ADVANCED:-

"PEANUT BUTTER" (McGee) (Quick Step)

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(Billy Vera & the Beaters)

Taught by: JO YAKIMOWSKI & SHAWN CUDDY (Dedham, MA)

"SPANISH FLOWER" (Meyer) (Pasa Doble)

ROPER 247 - B "Clavelis"

Taught by:- TOM 6 DONNA MEYER

Note: Cue Sheets were available at the Convention.

Tom Riding, NECORTA Education Committee The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine, June 1988

(Enfield, CT)

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# ROUND DANCE

### " A TIME FOR LOVE "

COMPOSER: George Gray, 27 Garrison Street, Fairhaven, MA (617) 996-5783 RECORD: Grenn 14094 Sweet & Hot POSITION: OP fcg diag ptr & wall FOOTWORK: Opposite throughout SEQUENCE: INTRO - A - B - A - B - ENDING MEAS: INTRO 1-4 WAIT: WAIT: APT. -. PT. -: TOG(SCP). -. Tch.-; 1-2 In diag OP fcg ptr & wall wait 2 meas;; 3-4 Step apt L,-; pt R toe twd ptr,-; tog to SCP LDD R,-, tch L to R, -; PART A 1-4 FWD TWO-STEP: FWD TWO-STEP: SCIS THRU/CHECK,-: REC,SD. THRU,-In SCP fcg LOD do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L,-;R,L,R,-; 1-2 3-4 CP fcg side L, cl R to L, cross L IF R (W XIF also) to LOP pos fcg RLOD checking on L,-;rec on R, side L, thru R,-to SCP LOD; FWD TWO-STEP; FWD TWO-STEP; VINE 4; WALK, -, PICK-UP, -; 5-8 In SCP fcg LOD do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-; 7-8 CP fcg side L, XRIBL, side L, XRIFL, to SCP LOD; walk fwd L,-, R,- picking W up to CP fcg LOD; 9-12 PROG SCIS TO SCAR: PROG SCIS TO BJO; FWD LOCK 4; WALK, - FC -Sd L, clo R, LXIF (WXIB) to scar fcg LOD & wall, -; sd R, 9-10 clo L, RXIF (WXIB) to bjo fcg LOD, -; 11-12 Fwd L, lock R, fwd L, lock R; fwd L,-, fwd R blend CP wall,-; FULL BOX:: DIP BK. -. REC. -: TWIRL GIRL. -. 2 .-: 13-16 13-14 Sd L, cl R, fwd L, -; sd R, cl L, bk R,-; 15-16 Dip bk L,-,rec R,-; sd L,-,XRIB blending to SCP,-;(W twirls RF under joined lead hands R,-,L,-;) PART B FWD TWO-STEP; FWD TWO-STEP; SD, CLO; SD, CLO; SD, -, STEP THRU, -; 1-4 1-2 In SCP fcg LOD do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L,-;R,L,R,-; 3-4 CP fcg side L, cl R to L, side L, cl R to L; side L,-, step thru R, -blending to OP; BASKETBALL TURN 4 TO SCP .: FULL HITCH 6 .: 7-# Lunge LOD L,-, rec RLOD R turn RF to face RLOD,-;Lunge RLOD L,-, rec LOD R turn to SCP LOD,-; In SCP fwd L,cl R, bk L,-; bk R, cl L,fwd R,-; 7-8 SCOOT 4: WALK .- FACE .-: 1/2 BOX: SCIS THRU: 9-12 In SCP fwd L, clo R, fwd L, clo R; walk L,-, face R,-; 11-12 In EP sd L,cl R,fwd L,-; sd R,cl L, thru LOD R,-; 2 TURNING TWO-STEPS:SLOW TWIRLVINE .-. , 2,-; WALK ,-. , 2,-; 13-15 13-14 CP fcg wall 2 RF trng 2-steps L,R, L,-; R,L,R,- end fcg wall; 15-16 Sd L,-, XRIB blending to SCP,-;fwd L,-, R,-; (W twirls RF under joined lead hands R,-,L,- to SCP;fwd R,-,L,-; ENDING SD, CLO. SD, CLO: APT .- . PT .-. 1-2 Blending to CP side L, c| R to L, side L, c| R to L;apt L, -, pt R twd ptr,--, NOTE: Roundalab difficulty rating is Phase II

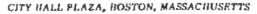
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The Square Dance Awareness Day Steering Committee is hard at work to ensure that everything will go smoothly for you. The following officers and committee chairpersons have been selected:

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For more information phone Ray 6 Carole Aubut of the NORTHEAST SQUARE DANCER MAGAZINE at {617} 958-9800, or write Ron 6 Goldie Clifford, 4 Rutledge Lane, Natick, MA 01760 (617) 653-9501.

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> > Sincerely,

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- By Glenn lekter

**DEAR OR. ALLEMANDER:** I have been simply appalled to find that there are no square dance entries in the Guinness Book of Records. How could this be? You should encourage all clubs to become competitive and strive to remedy this grave omission. Lan suggest some categories and turn sure you can suggest others. For instance.

LARGIST SQUARE DANCE - NESARDA could rent Modison Square Garden and hold a real dilly!

-MOST SQUARES IN A CERTAIN AREA - such as a dance in a matel room.

MARATHON DANCE - langest lip either with or without substitutions. This would depend on the endurance factor of the dancers, caller and record player.

-DANCING IN ODD PLACES - such as a moving (reight elevator. The vertical motion would udd a whole new dimension to dancing.

-DANCING ACROSS BOUNDARIES – such as half the square in the USA and half in Canada.

UNUSUAL DANCES - such as an roller skotes, stilts or unicycles.

And which club will be the first to hold a square donce in a audist colony?

Campetitively yours, BLUE RIBBON BILL

DEAR BLUE: You sound like a super competitive person and a prime candidate for (a) ulcers and (b) C-4 level square dancing, although not necessarily in that order. Dr. Allemander is more interested in dancing for relaxation than in attempting to establish meaningless records that will only be broken by some future idiots ... er, square dancers ... but he does have some suggestions for persons so inclined;

-LIVELIEST DANCE - how about dancing barefoot on an ant hill?

-SPLASHIEST DANCE - a tip in a swimming pool would give new meaning to the call "dive through."

-LENGTHIEST DANCE - get a square together and dance continuously while riding the Trans-Siberia Railroad.

-LONGEST YELLOW ROCK - the caller could open with that call at 8:00 and just play music until he says "bow to your partner" at 11:00.

As for dancing nude, this presents a couple of practical problems: (1) Where does one pin one's badges; (2) Does the caller dare call "touch a quarter"?

(Dr. A.L. "Lefty" Atlemander, PhD, who always dances properly dressed, gives advice to the dancelorn in this space every month.)

Glenn ickler

150 Laurelwood Drive, Hopedale, MA 01747 The Northeast Square Dancer, June 1988

# In Memoriam

CORRECTION —

MARIE S. ARNDT
Square Riggers
Date of death should have been
1 December 1987

Interesting - You'll never witness a more exciting and unpredictable race than the human.



# SQUARE DANCE COUNCIL OF NEW JERSEY NJ Square & Round Dance Convention

DATE CHANGED FOR THIRD NJ STATE CONVENTION. The Square Dance Council of New Jersey has announced that the date of the third NJ State Square and Round Convention has been changed from March 11, 1989 to Saturday, April 1, 1989 at Trenton State College in Ewing Township.

Doc and Peg Tirrell, chairmen of the Square Dance Council of NJ; and Tex and Margaret Shipman, general chairmen of the 1989 Convention, explained that changes in availability of facilities at the college resulted in the Council rescheduling this successful event; which attracted 1925 participants in 1988.

Over 400 dancers have already registered for the 1989 Convention. They will receive individual notification of this change from the Registrars and may request refunds if necessary. Additional registration information is available from Don and Pat Stephens, 674 Clifton Avenue, Toms River, NJ 08753. Additional Convention information may be obtained from Ken and Helena Robinson, Publicity Directors, 614 Van Llew Court, Neshanic Station, NJ 08853.

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can mail to prospective dancers or distribute as they so desire.

By having these tools available early it is hoped that the people who may have just taken on the responsibility of setting up and running the classes in the Fall will be able to get a head start on advertising square dance lessons and the square dance movement in their town or city.

Joyce R. Fagan CASDC PUBLICITY

### CENTRAL MASS. CALLERS ASSOC.

During our April meeting a rather lengthy discussion was held regarding the availability of "Mainstream" dances for our new graduates through the summer months. Very few, if any, clubs hold dances during summer months, so in an effort to help the new dancers remain in touch with square dancing this summer the Central Mass. Callers Association has decided to sponsor at least two "Mainstream" dances, the first to be held in June with the other to follow in July.

Both of these dances will be on Sunday evenings from 7 PM to 9:30 PM to allow for campers and other dancers who go away for the weekend to attend. Each of these dances will be called by 2-3 of our association callers, so not ony will you be able to dance mainstream, but you will be able to hear several of your local callers.

See our ad in this month's magazine for more complete details on the time and place of these dances.

During our April meeting, election of officers was also held with the following results: Pres. Ray Mullins, V-Pres. Dennis Reardon, Secretary Jerry Porter, Treasurer Al Hendrickson. We hope in the future to bring you up to date on our association activities on a monthly basis.

Keep a smile in your square,

Ray Mullins Pres. C.M.C.A.

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Once you have checked in at your hotel or motel, lhopefully by Monday of Convention week), there will be many places to go and things to see within easy driving distance of your lodgings. Information regarding the tours available to square dance conventioneers has been sent to all Convention registrants and you can pick up your tickets at the Anaheim Convention Center all day Monday, June 20th. On Tuesday, June 21st there will be a very special Trail in Dance in Riverside, California, on the site of the 1st National Square Dance Convention of 1952. Trail End Dances at Knott's Berry Farm will be held on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of Convention Week, Advance tickets are available on the Convention registration form.

### - CONVENTION SINGLES -

We'come to Anaheim from the Singles Program Committee. We're planning a lot of special activities for singles at the National Square Dance Convention in Anaheim, California in 1988. We have a LARGE half big enough to dance 250 squares! We're programming our own callers and all other activities including after parties lafter-after parties), singles hotel (Inn at the Park), and plans are pending for a Champagne Brunch and/or Beach Party. For those of you who are interested, there will be plenty of sight seeing tours available either through the Convention Committee or from your hotel. You might enjoy the short drive to Knott's Berry Farm, Universal Studios, or other Southern California tourist attractions.

There will be many trall end dances during the week prior to the Convention in the Los Angeles and Orange County areas. As plans for these dances are completed, we will keep you advised.

We have contacted many local and national calters and are planning to have such good callers and after parties that all the dancers at the Convention will be flocking to the Singles Hall.

A special badge has been designed to identify Singles at the 37th National Convention. It's called 'SOLO BELLE' or 'SOLO BEAU'. We wear them to any dances that we attend and find them easy to see.

The most destructive criticism is indifference.



Mr. Ray Aubut The Northeast Square Dancer Lowell, MA 01853

Dear Mr. Aubut,

In the March, 1988, issue of "The Northeast Square Dancer Magazine," you asked us readers for our thoughts on your article, "Are We Too Affordable?". Here are some.

I am a homemaker who has been on the fringes of square dancing for some 30 years - since my folks started. My husband makes about \$25,000 a year. We have 2 children - 1 preschooler E 1 teenager. Our home is 20° X 20°, I room. Our dream is 1 more child and a "regular" house. We own everything we have and no family could be happier.

God sent "Happy" Harry Trott when he opened his store in the Lilac Plaza. We finally had someplace to buy gifts for my folks, who still square dance at least 5 times a week. Harry took my name. My husband was fair enough to try it.

We were couch polatoes, mostly because we can't alford other forms of entertainment. We have been square dancing since September, and have never been happier or had more fun in our lives. The only drawback is the expense of the clothes, which has kept up with inflation. I have been fortunate enough to pick up some used clothes at our club, but my husband is too tall to fit used things.

Square dancing may have even saved our family. My beloved husband is a Stage 1 alchoholic. He hasn't drunk a drop for months. He is comfortable, relaxed and self-assured socially while he is sober, only at church and at square dances.

In my opinion, maybe it is time to look at the way "we" market square dancing, but hy actively recruiting-with PBS programming, more demonstrations, entering high schools and colleges, more family activities year-round, and/or "quest nights" at

clubs when each couple invites an "outsider" couple to experience our fun first-hand. The answer is NOT to make it "affordable" only to yuppies. "Traditionat" couples need square dancing more than anybody else. Where else are those of us who will never in our lives shell out \$80 on a dinner for 2, or buy any vehicle new, going to go for an evening of good, clean fun with good, clean, wonderful people?

If you're still with me, you must really care about this. Perhaps it would be fitting and fair to print some sort of rebuttal soon. It might be composed of exerpts from this and other responses I'm sure you must be receiving. Some that we're in class with still don't have even one "outfit" — 7 months after starting and 2½ months after Christmas. You're the professional writer, so go ahead and use anything I've written any way you want to. I just think the point ought to be made.

I hope mine isn't the only "can o' beans" you opened.

> Very sincerely, Second-generation "fanatic"

Thank God for square dancing!

Editor's Note: I am always delighted to hear how much "Square Dancing" has enriched people's lives and even saved some marriages. It's one of the wonderful things about our activity. However, this is the real world and if we want "Square Dancing" to be around in the years to come for couples like this one and others, we need to be planning for the luture.

I believe this couple probably represents about 5 k of our Square Dance population as fur as resources are concerned. The other 95% could afford to pay what it costs, at today's prices to support this activity and to ensure its future.

I pose a question to you: If your club was taking in enough in admissions to be financially comfortable, wouldn't you be willing to let this couple pay 'whatever they could afford" at the door? I think you would.

P.S. The only editing done to this letter was this couple's name, address and club name to save any possible emburrassment to these scemingly nice people.

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### READERS' FORUM (CONTINUED)

Editor's Note: This letter was sent to us by Alice and Henry Fenner of Florida. We thought some of the people dancing back then could reminisce a bit...

Thank you for giving me the opportunity of looking over the April issue of the Northeast Square Dancer Magazine. I have looked at practically every page, hunting for familiar names of places where I have square-danced in years past. I found a few in Connecticut — Danbury, Woodstock, Branford, for instance.

Back in the 1920's I used to visit my mother and step-father in their summer home at the foot of Bull Mountain in Litchfield County, CT near the little town of Kent, 30 miles north of Danbury. This little magazine brought back a of almost-forgotten memories of the "barn dances" | used to attend and enjoyed so much. Many a night I've driven over dirt roads through the Berkshires of western Connecticut and Massachusetts to various farms and hamlets where a Saturday night hoe-down would be held in someone's big barn. We young mothers would park our babies up in the hayloft where a couple of grandmothers would keep watch over our sleeping youngsters, and believe me, they really would sleep in spite of the noise of the dancers and the fiddles down below. We used to shave candles on the wood floors of the barns. We used to start out doing the Virginia Reel and then progressed into figure patterns that, years later, evolved into square dancing. We didn't have cuers and callers such as we have today. The fiddlers sort of sang out the figures as they saw fit. Very different from today's mainstream, believe me! We loved it, even though at times you might have called it "organized confusion".

My father, a westerner, in the 1930's lived in Nogales, AZ and I used to attend dances out near Fort Huachucka after a rodeo. And believe it or not, I once was a spectator at a square dance on horseback! It took place in a large

flat area in sparsely settled Cochise County, AZ. That was the only such dance I ever saw. If there were other square darces on horseback, I missed 'em!

Thanks for the memories. I feel 70 years younger tonight!

- Dot Bernhardt

Dear Editor:

Thank you, thank you.

Your comments on page 3 of the most recent magazine about your concern for no realistic plan for beginners to be able to dance with their clubs, was an affirmation of our feelings this entire year.

We took lessons last year and graduated. Our club does not dance during the summer. They said be sure and dance during the summer. Where???

This year we went to workshop without fail each week (the only survivors from our graduation class) and learned calls with others who had been dancing for years and years. We always felt like we were inept and the cause of a square breaking even though I am sure this was not always the case.

Now, at the end of our second year of square dancing we still do not have a comfortable place to go.

We came to square dancing with so much enthusiasm and delight but, I would not be honest if I did not say we are feeling discouraged and frustrated and losing interest.

The paradox here is that the club keeps talking about attracting new members and building the club - if you do not take care of those you have attracted, you are only talking about building and attracting new members to hear yourself talk.

Our comments have fallen on deaf ears. To see your comments gave us hope that someone cared.

Again, thank you.

A.P. Brockton, MA

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	Spares 'n Sqs	Canton, MA		Schell/MacDougall	Plus
	Fun Time Sqs	Pawtucket,	RI	Dufault/Lauzon	Plus
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	Bay Path Proms	Boylston, M.	A	Hair/Hartmann	Plus
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6-13-20-27	Fairtown Sqs	Topsfield, MA	Mayo/L.Courtois	A1
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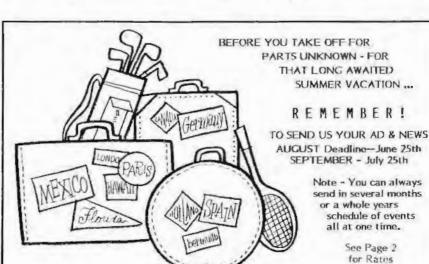
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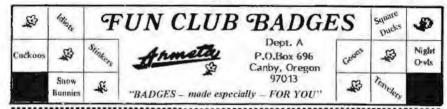
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