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DANCE-O-RAMA ON APRIL 1ST --- AND NO FOOLIN'!

With the most spectacular dancing event of the year, our 1967 Dance-O-Rama, only a few weeks away, we will try to clarify some of our committees' activities.

We will print the entire program in this issue. Also, it was decided to fill the open time between 5 and 7:00 P.M. with volunteers calling in the gym. Callers may register on a "first come, first listed" basis at the Ticket and Reception Desk between the hours of 2 and 5:00 P.M. Depending on the number desiring to call, 15 minutes to 30 minutes will be available to each caller.

The decorating theme will be "Swing in the Spring". Burgundy will cater the dinner. The menu sounded excellent--consult your club ticket chairman if you wish to know the menu.

We will now brief you on callers John Hendron and Don Roberts:

John Hendron, and his Law, Bea, have been square dancing since 1952 back in Kankakee, Illinois. John's previous experience singing with an 11-piece band and earlier with a western band in the mid-west, was all the inspiration needed to begin his calling career. This began in 1958 and blossomed out to a mighty busy schedule in recent years. Presently, he calls for 8 clubs in the New England area and he calls regularly at Funstitute and Boyne Highlands Institutes. On staffs for week-ends throughout the country from the Midwest down to Florida, he calls at numerous festivals, Conventions plus touring twice each year. John has in the past recorded on Flip and Lore labels and is currently recording on Longhorn label.

His latest release is, "I Feel Better". John and Bea have two sons, Gary 19 and Greg 8.

By day, he is District Sales Manager for the A. O. Smith Corporation.

Don Roberts was a professional Dixieland jazz cornet player for several years, and he travelled the entire U. S. He took square dance lessons in 1956 and started calling in 1957.

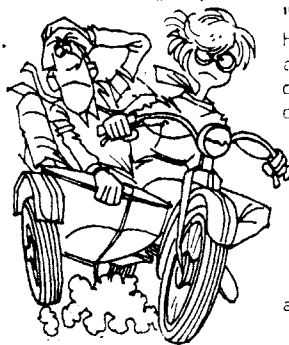
He was on the staff at Lighted Lantern Square

Dance Camp, Golden, Colorado with Johnny LeClair, Ray Smith, Vaughn Parrish, and others for three years.

He calls at festivals, national conventions, and for many other activities. He was named "caller of the month" for the state of Iowa. He is presently calling for five clubs in this area (Iowa) plus teaching square and round dancing for the Playground Commission in the city of Cedar Rapids.

His occupation is serving as Personnel Manager for the Turner Microphone Company, Cedar Rapids.

Don's trademark in square dancing is yellow shoes, which he started wearing about 8 years ago.



"NO MATTER
HOW WE
GOTTA TRAVEL . . .

Dance-O-Rama!



WE'LL MAKE
IT TO
DANCE-O-RAMA!"

friends and club level dancers are invited.

Admission at the door will be \$1.00 per person. The dance will start at 8:00 that evening.

Lincoln promised that Frank Mayerske, always a popular caller in this area, will call a "red hot" tip now and then during the evening for the benefit of the "hot shot" club dancers who attend this annual affair.

Thanks for the fine job and active interest shown by the entire Dance-O-Rama committee working under Ambrose and Dorothy Baker for one purpose--- The ENJOYMENT OF DANCE-O-RAMA by all, the novice and the seasoned veteran square dancers.

Remember, "Square Dancing is FUN for everyone".
...Ralph and Ellie Metherell

KPAA SCHEDULES ANNUAL "WARM-UP" DANCE TO PREP INSTRUCTION CLASSES FOR DANCE-O-RAMA . . .
Lincoln Osborne has advised that the annual dance, sponsored by Kodak Park Athletic Association for all friends but particularly for the new, graduating dancers will be held on Saturday, March 11 at Kodak Park Recreation Gym, 200 Ridge Road West.

Veteran caller, Frank Mayerske, will be at the mike for the third time for this annual event. All members of instruction classes, plus all other

DANCE-O-RAMA PROGRAM NOTES

THE PRESIDENTS' CORNER

When? . . . Saturday afternoon, April 1, 1967!
 Where? . . . Bishop Kearney High School
 125 King's Highway South
 Time? . . . 2:00 P.M. till Midnight

Square Dance Program:

Gymnasium -- Relaxed Dancing
 2:00 - 3:00 Jim Brower
 3:00 - 4:00 Don Roberts
 4:00 - 5:00 . . . Tuckers - Afternoon Round
 5:00 - 7:00 Open Calling
 7:00 - 8:00 Tuckers - Evening Round
 8:00 - 9:00 Red Bates
 9:00 - 10:00 John Hendron
 10:00 - 11:00 Don Roberts
 11:00 - 12:00 Jim Brower

Cafeteria -- Challenge Dancing
 2:00 - 3:00 Red Bates - Workshop
 3:00 - 4:00 John Hendron - Workshop
 4:00 - 4:45 Jim Brower/Don Roberts Workshop
 All levels
 7:15 - 8:00 John Hendron/Red Bates Workshop
 8:00 - 9:00 Don Roberts**
 9:00 - 10:00 Jim Brower**
 10:00 - 11:00 Red Bates**
 11:00 - 12:00 John Hendron**

** The last tip of each hour of the evening session in the challenge hall will be a "Caller's Choice" type of tip.

Dinner is served from 5:15 - 6:45.

Callers wishing to call during the open calling period of 5:00 - 7:00 in the Gym should register at the Reception Desk between 2:00 and 5:00.

There will be a Social Hour in the Lobby area from 4:00 to 5:30. Coffee and tea will be available at that time.

Round Dance Program:

Gymnasium
 2:00 - 3:00 Oh Yeah!
 Oh Boy! Peg Huss
 3:00 - 4:00 Build a Fence
 Yakity Axe. Howie DeGrave
 4:00 - 5:00 New Afternoon Round. . . Tuckers
 7:00 - 8:00 New Evening Round. . . Tuckers
 8:00 - 9:00 Oh Yeah!
 Left Footers
 Oh Boy!. Ernie Johnston
 9:00 - 10:00 Desert Blues
 New Afternoon Round
 Ain't She Sweet. Charlie Tucker
 10:00 - 11:00 Yakity Axe
 Build a Fence
 Suzette Ed Principe
 11:00 - 12:00 Velvet Glove
 Marie
 Mexicali Rose Mike Prado

Cafeteria
 2:00 - 3:00 Suzette
 Mexicali Rose . . Ernie Johnston
 3:00 - 4:00 Desert Blues
 Neapolitan. Mike Prado
 8:00 - 9:00 Yakity Axe. Peg Huss
 Marie
 Ain't She Sweet
 9:00 - 10:00 Hot Lips
 Suzette
 Desert Blues. . . . Ed Principe
 10:00 - 11:00 Lightning Bug
 New Evening Round
 Remember When . . Charlie Tucker
 11:00 - 12:00 Polonaise, Pearly Shells,
 Mexicali Rose . . Howie DeGrave 2



DON and LOU HAAG -- Presidents of Boots'n Slippers...have been square dancing since 1964...and the love it.

Married in 1948 and have 6 children...Carl, 15, and Martha, 16, dance with the Hilton Hill-billies while Donna, 13, is in a teen beginner group...Donny, 9; Mary Beth, 7; and Larry, 3, complete the family picture.

The Haags are members of St. Leo's Catholic Church where Lou sings in the choir...Lou attended Charlotte High and Don went to Spencerport High and to R.I.T.

Don has been with Kodak for 25 years...present in the research lab.

A world war vet...has been active in the Boy Scout movement for some time...participates in basketball and softball as a player and manager

Don and Lou reside at 507 North Avenue in Hilton, N. Y. 14468...the phone at 392-2225 is busy all the time.



OWEN and HELEN WHITEHEAD -- Presidents of EKC-O Squares... 70's in 1966...after 17 years of Eastern dancing, they took basics with the Bulles 'n Beaus in 1958 and joined the EKC-O's in 1962...also members of the Swingin' Eights and Fiddle A Rounds.

The round dance bug bit them good in '62. ...spend their vacations at round dance camps and week-ends...teach rounds at EKC-O Squares.



"THANK GOODNESS,
 WE HATCHED IN
 TIME FOR
 DANCE-O-RAMA!"

Helen was born in Moscow, Russia... came to the United States by way of Istanbul, Turkey and settled in Rochester...has many hobbies...sewing (real good, too)...horseback riding and, of course, dancing.

Owen is a native Rochesterian, has been with Kodak for 30 years in Graphic Arts...National Guard member...in earlier days played semi-pro football with the Culvers and Sellers...hunting and fishing take up his time when not dancing (whenever that might be!).

The Whiteheads have two daughter, Diane and Gail, and six grand-children.

Visit Owen and Helen at 109 Wheeldon Drive, Rochester, N. Y. 14616...phone 865-1490

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NEWS DEADLINE FOR APRIL ISSUE IS MARCH 15TH. PLEASE KEEP ON BEING SO WONDERFUL WITH YOUR PROMPTNESS. INCLUDE CLUB DANCE SCHEDULE FOR APRIL AND MAY IN FORMAT USED ON PAGE #3.

FEDERATION DANCE DATES IN THE ROCHESTER AREA

MARCH 1967

1	Wed	EKC-O Squares Guests: Friendship Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
2	Thu	Genesee Dancers Guests: Irondequoit Squares, Swingin' Eights	Don Duffin	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00
3	Fri	Boots'n Slippers	Art Harris	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
3	Fri	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Geneva YMCA, Geneva	8:00
3	Fri	Lima Grand Squares	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
4	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Tom Trainor	Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northf'ld	8:00
6	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00
6	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30
7	Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	English Village School, Sutorius Dr.	8:00
8	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Danny Dedo	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
9	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Art Harris	Wesley M. E. Church, 2009 Dewey Ave.	8:00
10	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Tom Trainor	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
10	Fri	Lima Grand Squares Class Graduation Night	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
10	Fri	*Rochester Rollaways	Dave Stevenson	Greece YMCA, 730 Long Pond Road	8:30
11	Sat	Country Twirlers	Gloria Rios	Washington Irving Sch., 2400 Chili	8:15
11	Sat	Friendship Squares Class Graduation	Don Pratt	Henrietta Town Hall, 475 Calkins Rd.	8:00
11	Sat	Irondequoit Squares	Don Kennedy	Pardee School, 220 Helendale	8:00
13	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Jim Brower	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00
13	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30
14	Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	English Village School, Sutorius Dr.	8:00
15	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Bob Page	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
16	Thu	+Genesee Dancers	Joe Heilly	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00
17	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Bob Brunshidle	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
17	Fri	Friendship Squares	Jim Schnabel	Sherrill Hall, Hobart College, Geneva	8:30
17	Fri	+Lima Grand Squares Pot Luck Supper	Don Stumbo/Gordie Cooper	Lima Town Hall, Lima	6:30
17	Fri	*Rochester Rollaways	Ken Anderson	Greece YMCA, 730 Long Pond Road	8:30
18	Sat	+Country Twirlers	Frank Davenport	Washington Irving Sch., 2400 Chili	8:15
18	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Al Brundage	Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northf'ld	8:00
20	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00
20	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30
21	Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	English Village School, Sutorius Dr.	8:00
22	Wed	No Dances			
28	Tue	No Dances			
29	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
30	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Don Duffin	Wesley M. E. Church, 2009 Dewey Ave.	8:00
31	Fri	Lima Grand Squares	No Dance		

APRIL 1967

1	Sat	9th ANNUAL DANCE-O-RAMA Staff: Red Bates, Jim Brower, John Hendron, Don Roberts			Bishop Kearney High School, King's Highway South	2:00
		Rounds by local instructors				
3	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00	
3	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30	
4	Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	English Village School, Sutorius Dr.	8:00	
5	Wed	EKC-O Squares Guests: Lima Grand Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00	
6	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Al Brundage	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00	
7	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Don Stumbo	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30	
7	Fri	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Geneva YMCA, Geneva	8:00	
7	Fri	Lima Grand Squares Guests: Batavia Twirlers	Mike Callahan	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30	
8	Sat	Country Twirlers	Jim McQuade	Washington Irving Sch., 2400 Chili	8:15	
8	Sat	Irondequoit Squares Guests: Genesee Dancers	Don Kennedy	Pardee School, 220 Helendale	8:00	
10	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00	
10	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30	
11	Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	English Village School, Sutorius Dr.	8:00	
12	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Frank Heddell	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00	
13	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Art Harris	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00	
14	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Bob Brunshidle	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30	
14	Fri	Lima Grand Squares Guests: Irondequoit Squares	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30	
14	Fri	*Rochester Rollaways	Dewey Berry	Greece YMCA, 730 Long Pond Road	8:30	
15	Sat	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Henrietta Youth Cabin, rear 475 Calkins	8:30	
15	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Tom Trainor	Iroquois School, Colebrook Drive	8:00	

+ St. Patrick's Party

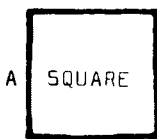
Space is limited, call 671-3976 for arrangements

* Dances are closed, out of town guests call 865-6022 for arrangements



CUES - CALLS

BY DON KENNEDY



If I may digress just a little from the purpose of this column, I would like to thank the many dancers in the area for their favorable comments. It is a pleasure to be associated with PROMENADER. Bouquets to Lew and Bill, these guys really do a job.

We are open to suggestions if you have any, as to the type of material you would like to find in this column. Bill also promises that altho the heading will remain the same, the writer will change from time to time to give you a variety.

Let's take a look at a new idea, which is both danceable and challenging, called "(Ends) Swing Chain Thru". This idea is from Duece Williams of Dearborn, Michigan.

Definition: From two ocean wave lines (either right or left hand waves), the ends swing half, the (new) centers swing 1/4, to form a new wave momentarily across the set in an "H" pattern, then these centers swing half to catch waiting end of this wave and then swing 1/4 to form the same two ocean wave lines again. This call can also be given to facing couples.

This call is rather difficult to picture. The end result is the same thing you would have if from the original ocean wave lines the call were to swing thru, men trade, and men (centers) circulate. As I said, it can be very challenging, but it is danceable.

Here's a couple of quickies:
PAIR, FEEL & BEND - Combination meaning to Pair Off, Peel Off and Bend the Line.

ROLL THE STAR - From an Allemande Thru, on the call, couples shoot the star full around, slip the clutch 3/4 (to third person) do a left allemande, and go forward two to form another star.

MAN THE LIFEBOATS - No workshop material available on this one, but from personal observation I would say it lies somewhere between a Quetch and a Yellow Rock. One caller called it Arky Style and when one fellow found another man in his lifeboat, he decided he'd rather drown.

SWING THRU DIXIE STYLE - (Also called Swing Thru once-and-a-half) From two couples facing or ocean wave, Swing Thru three hands.

ARKY ALLEMANDE - Two of the men in the set allemande left with their partner's corner, while the other two allemande left with their corner's partner.

That one should keep you thinking 'till next month.

Mike Foos says: Glenn Miller's famous tune, Pennsylvania 6-5000 would now have to be re-titled: "Area Code 212-807-5666".

Once you have climbed the ladder to stardom, it is very difficult to come down to earth again, but, being made of the finer stuff, and not being a bit snooty, I don't mind dancing with the peasants. Soooooo.....

I went to the Singin' Sam dance at the Swingin' Eights. I arrived early to avoid being mobbed by autograph hunters.

The Lewis', Bob and Lu, came up from Alfred, New York. They had seen me dance on TV and just couldn't believe what they had seen soooo they came up to dance with me in person. We formed a set right in front of Singin' Sam. There were the Lewis', MacCombers, Leonards, and Abbergers. A great set.

After dancing for a couple of minutes, Sam stopped calling and asked if our set would mind moving to the back of the hall. Our beautiful dancing was probably distracting to him. Several more minutes went by and Sam stopped again. It seems we were not in the same sequence as the other sets. He tried to straighten us out. Having a star in the set gave the set more individualism. Soooo, naturally, we were dancing a few different figures from what Sam was calling.

I don't know why Sam was frustrated. I slowed the set down several times and waited till he caught up to us.

I sat out the next tip. I thought this would be fair to Sam, and besides, I hate to see a crown caller cry.

Well, the Lewis' have gone back to Alfred, a little awed now that they have danced in a set with me. Before they left, they asked me to do them a favor and not dance in their area. They said I might give the members of their club an inferiority complex.

Now this makes me wonder if this is the reason some of the clubs in this area have hinted that they preferred I didn't attend their dances. This is certainly flattering. There is only one thing to do. I will deliberately goof. Sooooo, the next time you see me goof you will know I'm doing it on purpose.

Thanks, anyway,

Hal Abberger

TEEN TWIRLERS PRESENT TEEN-O-RAMA -- Saturday, March 18, Cutler Union at 560 University Ave. Calling staff: Bill Colby, Bill Ryan and Frank Gillig all from Buffalo; Myron Huss and Mike Callahan from Rochester. Dancing begins at 2:00 till 11:30 P.M. Offered are a variety of workshops plus a dance pageant, "Salute to Young America". Everyone is welcome, a day for the young and the young in heart!

Contact Jack Faragher, phone 544-6530, for additional information, tickets, etc.





EKC-O Squares

The "surprise of the month" was the housewarming party (masterminded by Jerry and Chuck Prister) for the Larry Bartletts in their beautiful, new home on Huntington Meadows. The expressions on Ann and Larry's faces when some forty odd (no pun intended) EKC-O Squares started pouring in, laden with casseroles, chairs and tables was really something. We only hope Howard Griffin, "unofficial" official photographer, was able to record them for posterity.

The motif for the party was Valentin's Day, and what more appropriate theme could have been found to express the love and warmth that marked that party! It ran with the smoothness and precision as to delight an engineer's heart. Their recreation room, hang on to your hats, folks, is sixty feet long! Five squares danced with the greatest of ease. If the Bartletts were popular before, just wait till word of that room gets around. Lots of luck and happiness in your new home, Ann and Larry, and a salute to the Pristers for a job well done.

Rita Leonard was receiving congratulations on her birthday--to all queries "Which one is it, Rita?", she coyly replied, "Would you believe 25?"

So glad to have John Welch back with us--a broken wrist can hold up an avid square dancer like John for just so long.

Lis and Jack Bacon hurried home from a skiing party to come to the Bartlett party. Now they are busily planning a ski trip to Switzerland. Some people really like the snow! (Ugh.)

We were to happy to have the Triggers as our guests. They are sure a "trigger-happy" group and a joy to dance with. Come again!

We were a goodly group that turned out for our "quest" evening with the Irondequoit Squares. They are such a hospitable club, it is always a pleasure to dance with them. Thank you, Irondequoiters, for a lovely time. Too bad the invitation to the Friendship Squares Fashion Show came on the same night. Please don't let it spoil our "friendship" and ask us again.

Sharpen up your dancing slippers--March 8th we have Danny Dedo from North Tonawanda and March 15th we have Bob Page from California. And, don't forget to get your reservations in early for our one and only (this year) Dance-O-Rama! It's gonna be a blast!!
...Mae and Harry Malley

SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS - - - The Garden State Square Dance Campers, New Jersey Chapter NSDCA will have a '67 Camporee at Lebanon State Park, New Jersey. Dates run from June 23-July 1, tie in with National at Philadelphia. Write to: Frank and Terry Cananaugh, 2 Weldon Road, Edison, New Jersey 08817.

Fiddle A Rounds

On Monday March 13, the "Twirl-A-Rounds", "taught" by Howie and Don DeGrave, will be the guests at a Round Dance Party hosted by the "Two Steppers", "instructed" by Mike and Mary Pardo and the "Fiddle A Rounds" "loined" by Charlie and Perkie Tucker. This shin-dig, do not take us literally, will take place at Hosea Rogers School from 8 till 11:00. Last year, the Fiddle A Rounds and the Two Steppers enjoyed the hospitality of the Twirl-A-Rounds at a round dance get-together.

We'd like to here and now, in the name of all round dancers, say "Thanks" to all the round dance teachers in our area. You enthusiastic, warm hearted people work long and hard and happily with us, your pupils, to bring joy and a feeling of satisfaction and accomplishment into our lives. So from the tip of our hearts to the bottom of our oft stepped-on dancing shoes, we say, "You're the tops".

At a recent meeting at Charlie and Perkie Tuckers, the round dance teachers of Rochester voted "Yakitty-Axe", demonstrated by the Tuckers, as the next square dancers' round to be taught in their square dance clubs. A square dancer's round is one that anyone can master who has learned the simple round dance basics. So come on everyone, put even more fun into your square dancing lives, learn a round dance!

Howie and Dot DeGrave, Ed and Helen Principe, Charlie and Perkie Tucker, Owen and Helen Whitehead spent the week-end of Feb. 17th in York, Pennsylvania at a Round-A-Cade. Here they had fun learning many new round dances. It is from these week-ends that our round dance teachers select some of the dances they teach us.

...Ray and Irene Callahan

Boots 'n Slippers

We are happy to welcome Kay and Don Platt as new members. Kay and Don, who now live in Brockport, formerly resided in Clarion, Penn. where they danced with the Fiddle-A-Rounds.

Marge Eichas has been recovering from an illness for quite some time but is back now, we're happy to say, and seems to be enjoying her dancing more than ever. Also glad to see Mary Kirvan back on the dance floor after a long convalescence.

We were pleased to have the area teen-age dancers as our guests on February 3. Mike Callahan called a very lively dance and he and the kids helped us all feel a few years younger.

"Whatever made George Blush?" is the question everyone's asking at Boots 'n Slippers these days. We've done a lot of digging, but still don't know the answer.

...Continued on next page.....

"WHO SAYS
DANCE-O-RAMA



IS FOR THE
BIRDS?"

BOOTS 'N SLIPPERS (Continued)

Was it the suddenness of Bob's "Kiss Your Partner" call? Was it the fact that the partner wasn't Peg? Or was he just in a blushing mood that night? Guess maybe we'll never know--but one thing's for sure--a blush is no substitute for a kiss, is it Ruth?

Next month is graduation and we're really proud of our beginners. They're doing so well and are such an enthusiastic group, we're looking forward to having them as full fledged club members.
...Irwin and Helen Davis

Our sincere apologies to Shirley Weishaupt for incorrectly reporting the death of her mother in last month's PROMENADER. We regret to learn of the death of her father. So very sorry, Shirley, To err is human.

The new reporters for the coming year are Irwin and Helen Davis. We hope her stay in the hospital is short and her recovery speedy.

We are planning a surprise Valentine's Day party for our class. Lesson night falls on the 14th, so we'll have a "fun night" too.

Many thanks to Bob and Dorothy Woodams for all their news items for last year.
...Don and Lou Haag

Rochester Rollaways

We had a festive Valentine's Party indeed. Thanks to Don and Mary Lou Mikel for the planning and decorations, George Jabbusch for calling such an enjoyable dance, and numerous bakers for numerous delicious cookies.

The travellers are off again. Jack and Lis Bacon went the farthest to avoid what's left of the Rochester winter--they're in Austria and Switzerland for three weeks of skiing. Next to go will be the Rollaways Florida delegation: Costiches, Smiths, Wildeys and Hudsons. Most of them are planning to go all the way to Key West, but the odds are 50 to 1 they'll never make it past the trailer park. Tip and Millie have located near Fort Lauderdale. At least no one will need to do much packing if they stay in that park. (The management discourages dressing for dinner, in fact, it discourages dressing, period)

The nominating committee has been nominated, and is hard at work securing nominees. The committee consists of Stearns, Pikes and Walshes.

We all miss Ronni Czerniak's smiling face. Hope she's feeling better and is back dancing soon.

Jean Muench hasn't let putting her arm through a storm door slow her down, though stopping to figure out which arm is in a sling and which isn't has slowed down some of the people in her sets. Dance with Jean to add that little extra touch of challenge to your tips.

That blank date on your original schedule has been filled--look forward to a St. Patrick's Day dance with Ken Anderson.
...Sue Wolfe

The four year old, trying to dress herself, complained, "The buttons are behind and I'm in front".

Irondequoit Sqs.

Silver Bells: Audree and Joe Brodner, Irondequoit Squares' "Old Timers", passed a major milestone in their lives on January 31--25 years of wedded bliss. Even tho some of the male club members have been heard to say that "25 years is too darn long to keep one woman," "Hats" Brodner claims there is still plenty of square dance mileage left in his jaw, and he has no plans to trade her in on a new model. We know that Joe and Audree's many Rochester square dancing friends join us in wishing for them many more happy years together.

Visiting Taws and Paws: A goodly contingent of club couples sashayed over to Hopsea Rogers School on February 4 to dance with the Swingin' Eights and guest caller, Singin' Sam Mitchell. It was a real lively, fun-filled evening. Heeding Horace Greely's admonition to "Go West" the Welchs and Bubbs journeyed to Buffalo to dance with Don Kennedy's Swing-Along Squares. After listening to the yodeling and guitar playing of guest caller, Reath Blickenderfer, Don Kennedy has promised to practice every waking moment until he can do the same.

Tip Topics: Bud Redmond's spirited calling, and his wife Mike's charming personality added up to a great evening for the club on February 10. We must admit, however, that some of us are still not completely convinced that you can allemande your corner after a "promenade your corner, heads stop, sides squeeze in between and cast off three-quarters".

The executive board will meet in emergency session to discuss alternate solutions to the Mary Alice Brooks noise problem. Seems like Mary Alice, caught up in the dreamy mood of Bud Redmond's smooth calling and the dimmed lights during the last dance of the evening whirled and knocked over a metal ash tray with her skirt. The dance continued after the clangor died away and Bud unswallowed four inches microphone. The most practical solution offered so far is to have Bill Bettina or Nita Smith design Mary Alice a square dance dress with a mini-skirt.

Remember to sign up for the Syracuse visit and to see Ken Bradley for your Dance-O-Rama tickets.

If you've a yen a learn round dancing, remember Ernie and Helen Johnston teach the basics on club night between 7:30 and 8:00. Participation has been good, but there is always room for more couples.

Club member in the service, Bob Hendel, has moved onto San Diego and to Saipan as part of his U. S. Coast Guard enlistment.
...Carole and Clive Bubb

Lima Grand Sqs.

Lima Grand Squares had a fine time at Friendship Squares in spite of the snow and the fashion show that did not show. We presented them with a little bouquet with which they can play, display and relay. Again,
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LIMA GRAND SQUARES (CONTINUED)

we had a fine time dancing to Don Pratt and the club's hospitality.

We will graduate our class on March 10 and they would like to express their thanks for the courtesy copies of PROMENADER.

A St. Pat's Pot Luck supper is planned for March 17 starting at 6:30 p.m. to 7:00. All are welcome. Gordie Cooper and Don Stumbo will do the calling. A big night is planned.

The Mayor and Boss are in Florida. We hope the sunny weather matches their sunny smiles and that they get back safe and soon.

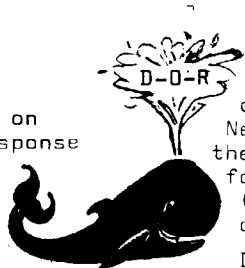
Lucky winners of the free dances so far were: Wings, Walkley's and Ernsts.

The summer schedule for "the Barn" is all worked out and it can't start too soon.

Come join us at "Lima" and the "Old Barn".
 ...Charles Kleeh

Triggers

That "people explosion" at EKC-O Squares on the 28th turned out to be Triggers in response to the "guest call". We were pleasantly started by the "waltzing troubador", quite a novel and effective method Owen Whitehead employs while conducting rounds. The warm feeling of the club, combined with Ken Anderson's sharp calling, resulted in a real enjoyable evening for the Triggers.



THAR SHE BLO-O-O-OWS!

What four would-be GO-GO girls (with Spouses) invaded the sedate atmosphere of Infantinos to celebrate a double wedding anniversary? Bargmans and Smiths! Congrats to the Lawsons and Tymkins also observing anniversaries.

The track was momentarily closed to commemorate one of the challengers. As the fillies circled round to exam Peg's trophies, the boys were off to a fast start in the oat bin. The fodder was provided by Marion, out of Mt. Read, the Holden stable. Seriously tho, many happy returns, Peg and Marion, the cake was lovely.

Shades of "A-Men-Ra" the mummy stalks again. Yes, the mischevious Triggers cut in and out of dancing sets to envelop Myron (faithfully calling throughout) with rolls of ghostly green toilet tissue in true Nile fashion. That's the "Mummy" badge.

We hope our wondering door has opened for many friendly gatherings. Where are you? Why don't you drop Mother a line?

The welcome mat is extended to Belles 'n Beaus who are invited to our Valentine dance.

Triggers are anticipating a Hullabaloo of a time as guests of the Irondequoit Squares on the 25th of February.

For Triggers, the "fun club",
 ...Bob and Rose Kausch

Genesee Dancers

Our sincere sympathy is sent to Charles and Sylvia Hendershott on the death of her father.

Betty and Dick Shraeder's eighteen year old son, Steve, on his way home, heard screams and discovered a four year old girl in water up to her chin. He pulled her out and she ran home.

Joe and Marie Zito shared their 31st wedding anniversary on January 24 with their class members by bringing refreshments. They said it was more enjoyable than some other ways they have celebrated.

Two of our members have great attractions. . . for dogs. Ruth Bonjorno and Oman Fosberg were bitten by dogs. Both are recovering nicely.

Our Valentine dance was a fine one amid the lovely decorations. Walter and Iris Griffiths with son Michael, from Whitney, Oxon, England enjoyed watching. They do not dance yet, but said they knew some of the calls.

Art Cocquyt has been sick with bursitis.

Two sets from our club will give a demonstration at St. Ann's home February 16

A very young lady with pretty red hair does not like Mom and Dad to square dance Nell found December PROMENADER hidden under the davenport, and January's has not been found. Don got the February issue first. (Editors' note: Replacement copies are on the mail to you, no charge).

Dance-O-Rama tickets are for sale by Ralph and Ellie Metherell. Be sure to pick them up soon!

...Thelma and Ray Springett

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