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"CHICK" WOLFE SETS GOALS FOR DELEGATES

Presiding as Executive Secretary, "Chick" Wolfe, Swingin' Eights, lost no time in outlining his goals for the present Federation Board of Delegates at the first, organizational meeting held on September 26 at the Echo Club.

In answer to the question: "What does the Federation do?", Chick pointed out that it sponsors the Dance-O-Rama and PROMENADER, both significant contributions to Rochester square dancing, and both of invariable high quality. But, it was added, both of these are done outside the Federation framework and little else of significance has been done by the Federation itself.

"I feel that we can and should take a much more active part in support of the purposes of this organization as stated in our constitution, the primary purpose being to 'promote interest in Western style round and square dance'."

An effective Federation has been hampered by several things. The concern that it would destroy the autonomy of the member clubs is not a small one. Such concern is quite evident in the constitution statement that, "the Federation shall have no voice in the internal affairs of a member club". An unnatural apprehension about such domination has been only to our detriment.

Contributing further has been the reluctance of delegates to commit themselves to a position without first consulting with their sponsoring clubs. Such may be in order from time to time on issues of major consequence, but, continued delaying of decisions leads to lack of positive action. Complete rapport between delegates and their clubs is a prerequisite.

Indifference, particularly of club officers, toward the Federation contributes to a "do-nothing" Federation.

In order to give the Federation more time to think and act on important issues, I plan to establish standing committees as follows, whose responsibility will be to study issues in detail, present proposals and to take action where necessary: 1) a constitution committee, 2) a publicity committee, 3) a finance committee, 4) a club coordination and relations committee, 5) a dancer retention committee and 6) a social committee.

These committees will give us the capabilities of studying problems in depth on a continuing basis to enable us to have motions concerning major policies or actions presented as the result of some previous serious study of the question. It should be our goal to be an effective force serving Rochester's square dancers.

AND THEN THERE WERE **13**
WELCOME TO THE GENEVA FRIENDSHIP SQUARES!

The Rochester Federation Board of Delegates, in their meeting on September 26, voted unanimously to accept the request for membership from the Geneva Friendship Squares.

This action boosts the total of club members to the magical number of 13!

The present board of officers running the club in Geneva are:

- President - Hy and Helen Emerson
14 DeLancy Drive
Geneva, N. Y. 14456
315/789-1351
- Vice-Pres - Harrison and Tommie Jahn
- Secretary - Art and Lucy Mastellar
- Treasurer - Ross and Larita Hackler
- Publicity - Bill and Joan Newman

Club delegates who will be attending the Federation meetings are:

- Bob and June Ellis (1 year)
RD #1,
Stanley, N. Y. 14561
315/596-3059
- Milt and Caroline Neeb (2 year)
21 Douglas Drive
Canandaigua, N. Y. 14424
315/394-2474

A more detailed account of the history of the Geneva Friendship Squares will be printed in a future issue of PROMENADER. The club has been operating as a "semi-independent" portion of the Friendship Squares of Henrietta for several years with their own officers and now is set up separate and distinct on their own merits. Don Pratt calls for both clubs.

IT WAS **13** NOW IT'S **14!**
LATE FLASH AS THE PRESSES ROLL!

Club membership in the Federation now stands at 14 clubs following action of the Delegates at their meeting on October 24.

At that time, voting was unanimous to accept the application of the Batavia Twirlers for Federation membership.

Welcome to our good dancing neighbors from the west. We'll have more about their club, their officers and their delegates in a future issue. It's a healthy feeling to see square dancing grow and prosper in our area!



CUES - CALLS

Mike and Mary Prado

Round Dancing for the Square Dancer . . . For the past four years, the round dance leaders of our area, with the help of dancer couples from different clubs, have selected four rounds a season, primarily for the square dance clubs. These are simple rounds that most folks can do who have had some introduction to the basic round dance steps.

We, as a part of this movement, feel that simple basics, perhaps by a mixer introduced to a dancer at his square dance lessons, gives him a chance to feel what this part of the program is all about. The clubs who do this have their dancers participate in this at an earlier date.

Our belief is that these dances should be cued so as not to discourage the dancer by his feeling that he has to memorize each routine. Some disagree, but it is only because our memories are short, and we tend to forget how we felt when we first started to round dance.

From our experience, if we know the dance we shut out the cues, and hear them not; but they should be there if needed and most dancers do need them.

All of us do not have the time to practice the dances except at the clubs and we feel that cueing here is "a must". No one wants to make this activity a memory test if it is to be a pleasure.

. . . . Fwd two-step and happy dancing.

A NEWS DEADLINE is important to any publication. Most of the club reporters are very prompt most of the time. Those who are late delay the preparation of this paper which is published for all the dancers. P-L-E-A-S-E, do be prompt!

News for December issue is due November 15.

ADVANCED SQUARE DANCE LESSONS -- on tape, with top caller Jack Lasry of Florida are being offered Rochester dancers courtesy of arrangements made by Rochester Rollaways.

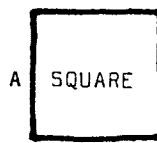
Sessions will be 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:00 at Greece Y, 730 Long Pond Road, \$1.00 or less per couple. This is an extremely valuable series for dancers of 1 year or more who wish to "polish" their dancing habits a bit. Two November nights are still open but list will close after that. Contact Bill Fitzgerald, 663-8252.

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Well, howdy! By now the season is in full swing, with everybody dancin' and goofin'! Can't forget "goofin'" cause that's mah trade. Ah don't do many things well, but when it comes to "goofin'", just call me "Big Daddy", cause ah is tops.

Where did the summer go? Seems only yesterday that I was at the EXPO. Oh, I must tell you. I saw President Charles DeGaulle in Montreal. His motorcade came down Rue Notre Dame. He was in an open car, waving his hands to the crowd on the curb. When his car came to where I was standing, it slowed down and he motioned to me. I went to his car and he whispered, "Here's four francs, stay out of my set." Son of a gun I didn't even know he danced.

It was a summer of hippies and Twiggy. Speaking of Twiggy, the poor man's Sophia Loren, how would you dance with a girl with two backs? Easy to "do sa do"!

And how about hippies, with their long hair. If they squared up, it would look like eight girls in a set and "who turns who". At the end of a tip you would hear them exclaim, "Like man, what a trip!"

Well, back to our own crowd. I danced to Al Schmidt's calling at the Irondequoit Squares. Al is from Chicago. He is tall, thin, and has a large brush type mustache. This is the first time I have ever danced to filtered sound. Welcome to Rochester, Al!

Quote hanger: Funny how a teacher can be easy on the eyes but hard on the pupils.

Thanks anyway,

Hal Abberger

SNAP-O-GRAPH AL AND MARCIA SCHMIDT

New to the Rochester square dance scene are Al and Marcia Schmidt. . . Al, born and reared in the Chicago area. . . graduate of Illinois Institute of Technology with B.S. in Mechanical Engineering. . . now employed at Kodak. . . Marcia born in Indiana, graduated from Otterbein College in Ohio, worked in Chicago prior to coming to Eastman Kodak Research Labs as a chemist.

Although first a dancer, Al began calling about four years ago. . . had two intermediate and one advance clubs, several lesson groups while in Chicago. . . as a member of the Chicago Area and Illinois State Callers Associations, Al participated in state conventions and local festivals. . . also in National Convention in Indianapolis more than a year ago.

When not busy with calling activities. . . Al can be found enjoying any of his many hobbies . . . from coins and photography to hunting. . . trap shooting and skiing.

Al and Marcia live at 260 Gates Manor Drive, Rochester 14606. Their phone number, 458-7318.

FEDERATION DANCE DATES IN THE ROCHESTER AREA

NOVEMBER 1967

1	Wed	EKC-O Squares Guests: Country Twirlers	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
2	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Don Duffin	Wesley Methodist Church, 2009 Dewey	8:00
3	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Tom Trainor	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
3	Fri	Country Twirlers	Jim McQuade	Thomas Edison High, 1612 Buffalo Rd.	8:00
3	Fri	Geneva Friendship Sqs.	Don Pratt	Gullick Hall, Hobart College, Geneva	8:30
3	Fri	Lima Grand Squares	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
4	Sat	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Henrietta Town Hall, 475 Calkins Rd.	8:00
4	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Tom Trainor	Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northfield	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	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
8	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
9	Thu	Genesee Dancers Guests: Teen clubs (7)	Art Harris	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00
10	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Don Pratt	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
10	Fri	Country Twirlers	Curly Custer	Washington Irving Sch., 2400 Chili	8:15
10	Fri	Geneva Friendship Sqs.	To be ann'c'd	Gullick Hall, Hobart College, Geneva	8:30
10	Fri	Lima Grand Squares	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
10	Fri	*Rochester Rollaways	Dewey Berry	Greece YMCA, 730 Long Pond Road	8:30
11	Sat	Irondequoit Squares Closed dance - Annual business meeting	Chuck Prister	Fardee School, 220 Helendale	8:00
13	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus Guests: EKC-O Squares	Art Harris	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	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
15	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
16	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Don Duffin	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00
17	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers Guests: Irondequoit Squares, Lima Grand Squares;	Mike Callahan	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
17	Fri	Country Twirlers	Jim McQuade	Washington Irving Sch., 2400 Chili	8:00
17	Fri	Geneva Friendship Sqs.	Don Pratt	Gullick Hall, Hobart College, Geneva	8:30
17	Fri	Lima Grand Squares Pot luck supper at 6:30	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
17	Fri	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
18	Sat	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Henrietta Town Hall, 475 Calkins Rd.	8:00
18	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Tom Trainor	Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northfield	8:00
20	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Doug Shultz	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	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
22	Wed	EKC-O Squares Guests: Genesee Dancers	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
23	Thu	Genesee Dancers	No dance		
23	Thu	HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO OUR READERS FROM LEW AND BILL			
24	Fri	Lima Grand Squares	No dance		
24	Fri	*Rochester Rollaways	Stu Robertson	Greece YMCA, 730 Long Pond Road	8:30
25	Sat	Irondequoit Squares Annual Box Social with instruction class; election of officers	Ernie Johnston	Laurelton School, 478 Helendale	8:00
27	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00
27	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30
28	Tue	Triggers Graduation	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
29	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Ron Schneider	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
30	Thu	Genesee Dancers	Max Forsyth	Cutler Union, 560 University Avenue	8:00

DECEMBER 1967

1	Fri	Boots In Slippers	Don Duffin	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
1	Fri	Geneva Friendship Sqs.	Charlie Baldwin	Sherrill Hall, Hobart College, Geneva	8:30
1	Fri	Lima Grand Squares Guests: Genesee Dancers	Don Stumbo	Lima Town Hall, Lima	8:30
2	Sat	Friendship Squares	Don Pratt	Henrietta Town Hall, 475 Calkins Rd.	8:00
2	Sat	Swingin' Eights	Tom Trainor	Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northfield	8:00
4	Mon	Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	West Ridge School, 200 Alcott	8:00
4	Mon	#Fiddle A Rounds	The Tuckers	Echo Club, 26 Sobieski St.	8:30
5	Tue	Triggers Election of officers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00
6	Wed	EKC-O Squares	Ken Anderson	Kodak Office Aud., 343 State St.	8:00
7	Thu	Genesee Dancers Guests: Friendship Squares, Belles 'n Beaus	Art Harris	Cutler Union, 560 University	8:00
8	Fri	Boots 'n Slippers	Mike Callahan	Merton Williams Junior High, Hilton	8:30
8	Fri	Geneva Friendship Sqs.	Don Pratt	Penn Yan Grange	8:30

*Dances are closed, out of town guests call 266-3749 for arrangements

#Space is limited, call 671-3976 for arrangements

IT'S NOT TOO LATE -- PROMENADER PUSHERS ARE STILL LOOKING FOR YOUR RENEWAL -- THIS IS LAST CALL

JEALOUS COLD CHEATIN' HEART

Round dance by: John & Wanda Winter, Garland Texas

Record: Belco #B-226

Position: Open facing for intro--dance as noted
Footwork: Opposite direction for man.

Introduction

1- 4 WAIT; WAIT; APT, -, PT -; TOG, -, TOUCH -;

Part "A"

1- 4 FWD TWO STEP; FWD TWO STEP;(LIMP) SIDE, BEHIND,SIDE, BEHIND; WALK, -, 2, -;
5- 8 FWD TWO STEP; FWD TWO STEP;(HITCH) FWD, CLOSE, BACK, -; BACK, CLOSE, FWD, -;
9-12 REPEAT MEAS 1-4
13-16 REPEAT MEAS 5-8 ENDING IN BTFLY POS WITH M FCG WALL, W FCG COH

Part "B"

17-20 FACE,TO,FACE, -; BACK,TO,BACK,-;(TO BTFLY POS) (FCG-W) ROCK LOD, -, RECOVER TO FCG -; ROCK RL0D, -, RECOVER TO CP, -; (FCG WALL)
21-24 SIDE, CLOSE, FORWARD, -; (TO WALL) SIDE, CLOSE, THRU, -; (TO LOD) (TO CLOSE POS) TURN TWO STEP; TURN TWO STEP;
25-28 REPEAT 17-20
29-32 REPEAT 21-24 ENDING IN SCP FCG LOD

SEQUENCE - INTRO, A,B,A,B,A,B, ENDING ENDING TWIRL, -2, -; STEP APART-, POINT TO PTR

Editors' Note: The above dance has been selected by local round dance teachers for use in all area Federation clubs. Additional dances will be selected in the near future. We suggest you read our Cues 'n Calls column on page 2 for more comments on this local selection program.

COULD THIS BE YOU?

Once upon a time, when we first started to square dance,
Someone helped us, when our heads whirled around in a trance.
How happy we were when they reached for our hand,
And guided us around to a right and left grand.

But that was long ago; how soon we forget;
Now we only want to dance with a "pre-set, upper-set"
We don't want to belong in this or that club anymore,
We're tired of shoving beginners on the floor.

We know we're not capable of making a mistake,
We're sure the caller said "catch all eight".
It made us real mad, when we looked around the hall,
All the sets were "circling eight" and having a ball.

If no one had helped you when you were new,
I'm sure this movement would soon be thru,
"Thank goodness", the majority still reach out their hand
To help new dancers thru a right and left grand.

. . . Mary Prado

NEW CLUB forming in Webster area. First dances Nov. 3 and 17, 8:00-10:30, Webster Elementary School, 515 Ridge Road, free and open to all. Al Schmidt calling. Phone 872-4560 for info.

HELP!

No, we're not trying to copy the newly popular column in the local morning newspaper, altho we would be most happy if this "HELP" column will bring the quick results that seem to result from that daily service.

We have in mind to ask our readers for a volunteer couple (or even two) to assume the duties and work of Circulation Manager for our PROM-ENADER. With growing subscription lists, the chores of administering, compiling, editing and typing our copy for the printer are enough for your two editors.

Running the subscription campaign and then performing the monthly mailing chores should be a job for a Circulation Manager. You might recall that at one time, we did have the Harveys on hand to help in that important department but they have moved out of the area.

The Circulation Manager would maintain the master subscription list, direct subscription renewal campaigns, do the mailing of each issue as it comes from the printer. Mailing consists of applying the stamp and the address label and then getting the copies to a post office for first class mail processing.

Please, someone out there, if you feel that you can volunteer your services for this important contribution to square dancing in our Rochester area, won't you call or write to either one of the editors and we'll talk it over.

WE DO NEED THE HELP!

NON-FEDERATION NOTES

WISKAWAYS - a teen group, instruction for new dancers still open Nov. 3 and 10, 6:30 to 8:30. English Village School, Myron Huss calling. Call 663-7284 for more information.

SING-A-LONGS - Nov. 5 and 19, Dec. 3 and 17, at Greece YMEA, 730 Long Pond Road, 7:30 to 10:30. Joe Reilly calling.

KODAK PARK ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION - KPAA sponsors open dances for Kodak employees and friends who are club level dancers. Next dance Nov. 18 at Building 28, Kodak Park, 8:00 till 11:00, Bill Peterson calling.

LITTLE SQUARES - are interested in bookings for any area clubs during the Holiday season. The youngsters will perform gladly, free, under the calling of Bruce Shaw. If you want a demonstration from some mighty good dancing mighty young people, call Una Shaw at 889-4829 for the details.

TEEN TWIRLERS - Teen club meets 1st, 3rd and 5th Fridays at Brighton Presbyterian Church, 8:00 till 11:00, all high schoolers welcomed. On Nov. 4, club will perform demonstration at St. Ann's Home for residents; Nov. 9 will see 16 members perform and participate at YWCA in Ethnic Festival of International Folk Dancers.

IF YOU HAVEN'T RENEWED, THIS IS THE LAST ISSUE THAT YOU WILL RECEIVE. ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS FROM NOW ON CAN BE FOR ONLY 9 ISSUES, \$1.35, SINCE OCTOBER PRINTING HAS BEEN EXHAUSTED. RENEW!



Swingin' Eights

To whom it may concern: the Prados were in Brockville, Ontario, last month. As a matter of fact, they lead the entire delegation of Swingin' Eights who attended. They also informed us of the good time had by all who went. So whose name did we forget to include? The Prados!

It sure is a good thing that Mike and Mary are good natured! They were there, folks, they were there!

We welcome the experienced dancers who have joined our club this fall. It is always nice to have new faces.

Everyone will be pleased to know that our Christmas dance will be at Pilgrim's Landing this year. The date is December 16. Guests are welcome. Tickets will be sold by the Barkers. Also on the committee are the Wilcox's, the Meaghers and the Soltysaiks. Bill Wilcox is chairman.

Isn't it amazing what a little bit of time there seems to be between summer vacation and the start of holiday plans?

Committees, committees...the nominating committee consists of the Sandersons, the Kleins, the Leichts and the Zimmermans. They will report December 2.

Tom Trainor will call four dances in Florida during the month of December. Perhaps we can say that we have a National caller now!

Tom really gave us an active tip recently with a figure known as "Bat the Breeze". If any of us are under-exercized, it is certainly not his fault. He really keeps us moving.

Good work, Tom. We really enjoy all the new things you teach us. We are looking for some interesting imports from sunny Florida when you come back.

...Dick and Tish Knight

Boots 'n Slippers

Many thanks to Genesee Dancers and to EKC-O Squares for two very enjoyable evening of dancing as their guests. Hope to see all those nice people soon again as guests of Boots 'n Slippers.

Had a wonderful time at the Syracuse Fall Festival--danced with the Furlongs, the Wells, the Justices and the Martins all from B'S.

Our deepest sympathy at this time goes to Florence Cone on the death of her Father.

Just heard that Buryle Marvin has had quite a long seige of illness and that Pat Locus is also on the sick list. Hope they're back dancing soon. And Naomi DeSchoolmeister has a broken arm. Maybe you should try for the Venus Badge, Naomi.

On November 17, Boots and Slippers are encouraging club level teenagers to come and dance with us at a low, low cost of 50¢ per person. It's fun to dance with the kids, altho sometimes it's a little hard keeping up with them. Also, on that same night, we expect the Genesee Dancers and the Lima Grand Squares as our guests. Should be a gala night (or a "happening" I guess they call it now.)

...Irwin and Helen Dance

Rochester Rollaways

Rollaways enjoyed good dancing during the past month especially the dance called Deuce Williams. With a combination of long tips and short intermissions, we began to wonder if our shoes would run out of leather before the recorders ran out of tape.

Did you ever think that square dancing would be a driving hazard? Well, it seems that the Goulds and Wolfes were barreling along the Thruway when Chick decided to demonstrate his skill singing hash calls. As the choreography became more and more fantastic, the occupants of the car became hysterical and Bart Gould, who was driving, laughed himself right past their Thruway turn-off.

Dancing on Friday the 13th had special peril for Ken Moyer. We all know "box the gnat" and "swat the flea", but how about "swallow the fly"? That is just what Ken did right in the middle of a dance. Ugh! And at just about the same time, Bruce Watson threw himself into a "split circulate" with such vim and vigor, that he split his pants along with his circulate.

Kay Doris has found a good way to keep in shape for square dancing. She rides her bike all around Webster, up hill and down dale, followed by a parade of the neighborhood children. Good thing the dogs are leashed.

The last week-end in October finds Norma and Don Weekes, the Mikels, Meunches and Wolfes enjoying a square dance week-end at Cross Creek

Don't forget the Jack Lasry tape sessions at the Greece Y, first and third Thursdays. Should be lots of fun and educational, too.

We are happy to welcome as new members, Gene and Herb Hitzke, Bob and Doris Decker, and Marge and Art Eichas.

...Charlotte Hayford

EKC-O Squares

Please circle Wednesday, Nov. 29 on your calendar. Ohio's Ron Schneider will be our caller on that night. Come and see why he is one of the country's best.

Belles 'n Beaus visited us on Sept. 27 and Boots 'n Slippers on Oct. 11. Both are wonderful clubs and added to our guest list of friendly squares. We will join the Belles 'n Beaus Nov. 13 at West Ridge School with Art Harris calling.

Please turn to page 6 . . .

Be Ready for Fall SQUARE DANCING Fun



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EKC-O SQUARES (Continued)

Future guest clubs include: Country Twirlers Nov. 1, Genesee Dancers Nov. 22 and the Swingin' Eights Dec. 13. Our own top-flight Ken Anderson will be the caller for these dates.

Mickey and Eddie Stiles of Miami, Florida attended the Oct. 4 dance. They are members of the Nomads, a city-wide club that encourages visiting. Dancers must be guests of one or more Miami clubs a minimum of 10 times to qualify for membership and they must furnish written proof. A star is added to your badge for each ten additional visits. Why not something like that for Rochester? Other visitors on Oct. 3 were Dot and Joe Humrdstal of Country Twirlers.

Ghosts and black cats will fly a little early for the annual Halloween Masquerade Party on Oct. 25--food and fun for a relaxing evening. "Prexies" Helen and Owen Whitehead recently spent three days polishing their fine round dancing at the Canadian-Cade in Niagara Falls.

Leo Leonard has had a back operation. Our best wishes to him (Rita, too) for a swift return to the State St. Hall. Also to regular PROMENADER correspondent, Mae Malley, absent from these pages because of a back injury.

See you dancin'!

...Ed and Nancy Austin

Triggers

This brisk November air sure makes for fine dancing. Now that we are riding the season's crest, it's time to face the caller for a new offering.

A bunch of the boys and their taws were whooping it up over to Jake's barn Saturday night. Man! Oh Man! you should've seen the line-up in the john, as they dos-si-dos to a long ocean wave. That "crackpot" badge calls for close quarters and no change.

The rapid clip of Myron's calling set a pace that raised the temp at least 20°, but the group loved it. Taking advantage of a good situation, they decided to mess up the cookery, and why not? Plenty of "Kitchen Maids" about.

To you EKC-O's, thanks for helping us spend a most reverberating evening. Incidentally, when "loading the boat", let's not make it a "barge".

Chalk up another smash of a Halloween Party. The old witches' cauldron boiled over, weaving spells of enchantment, as fun after run unravelled to appease the spectors. Someone must have spiked the pumpkin juice, what a switcheroo of personalities. Costumes have their place, but ---when you can't tell the girls from the boys! Imagine a '68 Fashion Show Prevue (not the Jewel Box Revue) with Ma in trousers twirling her skirted (mini?) Paw gleefully around the net. The the judging contest, with panel of beardless taws to select the most attractive model.

The whole escapage was so uproariously funny it even frightened the "hobbits" away.

...Bob and Rose Kausch

Belles 'n Beaus

The Syracuse Fall Festival beckoned Stan and Joyce Levandoski, Ruth and Ed Hasman, Bob Sponable, Mary Jane Deane, Ed and Tess Hoepfl, and our always welcome guests, Harold and Florence McKeever.

Frank and Katie Heindl, our alternate delegates to the Federation, have other things on their minds these days, too. They are currently building a new home and hope to move in by the time you read this.

Some 18 to 20 B 'n B couples visited EKC-O Squares last month and had a great time. We look forward to having them return the visit on Nov. 13 at West Ridge School.

In the "It's good to have them back department" are Ray and Marge Biehler and Don and Lou Hicks

And, after a two year absence from square dancing, we also welcome back Gerry and Grant Goodridge.

Taking advantage of one of the nice fall weekends, the Doyle's, Maurinus', Levandoskis, Mac Latchies, Wilburs, Riders, Mary Jane Deane, Bob Sponable and Tom and June Smith camped and square danced at Allegany State Park.

Our thanks to Irondequoit Squares for playing host to Belles 'n Beaus on Oct. 14.

Happy Thanksgiving!

...Bob and Doris Decker

Mike foos says: The average man's idea of a good sermon is one that goes over his head --- and hits one of his neighbors.

Irondequoit Sqs.

On the sick list: Before we had time to report that Kay Welch was hospitalized after surgery, she had bounced back and was making the square dance scene again. As far as we can tell, she wasn't slowed down a bit. Kay, we don't know what kind of vitamins you take, but how about getting us a quart?

The Freese's daughter, Carol, found out the hard way that even 3-year olds don't always bounce when they tumble. The young miss fell while playing and broke her thigh. She'll be out of the hospital and home by press time, but we'll bet she'd just love to get cards from her Mom and Dad's dancing friends. Her address - 285 Orland, Rochester.

Tip Topics: Speaking of Freeses, ask Bob about his new hobby, phography. We understand he's really enthused about it.

A big welcome back to Ron Gertner, who has returned to the fold after another extended stay in England. The way Roxy was hanging on to him last Saturday night, we don't think he'll get away very soon again.

Doug Shultz, Donna, and a gang from Syracuse sparked up the evening for us on Sept. 30. Doug was in race form, and really put us over the hurdles. Sometime, we'd like to hear the original, uncut version of "Who Licked the Red off my Candy".

A Challenge: The Betlems certainly deserve an award for "Super Salesmen of the Year". They are personally responsible for bringing 7 couples into our instruction class, which we think is fantastic. In fact, we think it's some kind of a record. How about it, you other clubs, can you top us? Let's hear from you.

...Carole and Clive Bubb

Fiddle A Rounds

Charlie and Perkie Tucker, Ed and Helen Principe, Howie and Dot DeGrave, Owen and Helen Whitehead round danced away the week-end of Oct. 6 at Canadian Cade, held at Park Motor Motel, Niagara Falls, Canada.

These "never-say-die" round dance couples were exposed to about a dozen round dances. One dance on the agenda, "Mack's Round", a revived old favorite, was the one selected by Charlie and Perkie for our dance of the month.

Congratulations to Don and Cassie Riegle on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Three club couples recently went into a "grand spin" when their offspring announced their engagements. Bruce Shaw became engaged to Shirley Nagel, Ted Phillips to Ruth Ross, and our daughter Karen to George Lindner. These accomodating young adults rounded things off nicely by choosing square dancers for their life partners.

Tip and Millie lolled around for two weeks at Myrtle Beach with Dick and Carrie Smith. John and Loretta Barker, Owen and Helen Whitehead joined the other Ken Anderson enthusiasts during the recent get-together of the KA Squares.

We're glad, Marv and Kay Falls, that you visited

the club a few Mondays ago. We hope you had fun. Come again, won't you?

Lorene Phillips has retired from the business world and is devoting her full time to husband, George, he sons and many social activities. Lorene is an accomplished violinist and we hope that she will eventually find time to go back to playing. Being steadfast Mantovani fans, the violin is one of our favorite instruments.

Want to know how the round dances for the square dance clubs are chosen? At a meeting to which each club is invited to send a representative couple, the round dance leader couples demonstrate a simple round dance which in their opinion would be fun to learn. These dances are then voted upon by secret ballot by those present. The dance which received the majority of votes is, of course, the winner. As you probably know by now, the first area round dance for this season is "Jealous Cold Cheatin' Heart".

...Ray and Irene Callahan

Country Twirlers

It was good to have our friend, Dan Dedo, back in Rochester again and apparently a large number of guests shared our enthusiasm.

On Sunday, Oct. 22, our club will put on a square dance demonstration at Newark State School. Jim McQuade will be our caller. We hope to have at least three squares.

On November 1, we are invited to be the guests of EKC-U Squares so, members, let's plan to attend.

Congratulations to Don and Auldine Charles who celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary recently.

George and Audrey Mura have to look for a baby sitter occasionally now that they are temporary parents of a three week old baby girl.

On Nov. 10, Curly Custer will be our caller and we hope to see all of you there for a swingin' evening.

...Herb and Dot Scheg

Lima Grand Sqs.

Hi! We would like to thank our hosts--the Genesee Dancers--for a nice evening Oct. 12. We enjoyed Don Duffin's calling very much, and the friendly reception by all the club members. We anticipate returning the evening's enjoyment when Genesee Dancers are our guests Dec. 1.

Our classes are well started and ably taught by Don Stumbo. We have 19 very lively couples who will make a fine addition to our Lima club, and square dancing in general.

We are having a pot luck supper and dance on Friday, Nov. 17. All are welcome. Come out and enjoy a fine supper and an evening of dancing at Lima Town Hall with Lima Grand Squares.

...Charles A. Kleeh

Genesee Dancers

Don and Sue Ramsey's son, Robert Bruce was born June 22. Martin Baker and Sherm Reed have both undergone operations. Gail Hopkins entered
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GENESEE DANCERS (Continued)

Genesee Hospital Oct. 12 for an operation. Our good wishes to all of you!

The club sends best wishes to Dorian Duffin, with the hope that the sciatic condition heals quickly.

Cliff and Caroline Heberle celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sept. 18 by flying to New York City. Bert and Laretta Ehmann celebrated their 31st anniversary with us at Cutler Union Oct. 12 for some fine dancing.

Lew Dietz, you have been missed very much. We are glad you are better and hope to see you in our square soon.

Rod Fowler set a speed record! He left Philadelphia 7:15 P.M. and arrived at Wesley Meth. Church for dancing at 8:30. Bill and Helen Metzger left Oct. 1 for a trip through New Hampshire and Vermont.

We have 28 enthusiastic couples in class. It would be nice if you could go help and have fun too.

Our sympathy is sent to Don and Nell Schuller on the death of her father; Don is ill with a bug, but hope he is well soon. Art Eller was ill this summer and will not be dancing until January.

You never know what you will miss if you do not attend the dances. Oct. 5, did you miss or see yourself in some of the 80 slides Al Niblack kept showing throughout the evening of square 8

dancing during the past several years! Officer meetings, Halloween, Christmas, etc. Fun!

Helen and Ed Principe joined round dance teachers in Niagara Falls, Oct. 6. They learned about 10 new rounds to keep the club busy. ...Thelma and Ray Springett

Geneva Friendship Sqs.

The Geneva Friendship Squares are dancing every Friday night this year at Gullick Hall, Hobart College. Don Pratt, our caller, just gets better and better each time, and we are having a wonderful time, as evidenced by the many squares of enthusiastic, smiling dancers.

On Dec. 1, we are proud to present as our guest caller, "Mr. Square Dance" Charlie Baldwin, editor of the New England Caller magazine. Beloved, respected, sought after, and admired by all who know him, this wonderful man has done more for the square dance movement in New England and elsewhere than anyone else. This dance will be held in Sherrill Hall, St. Clair Street, Hobart College, in Geneva from 8:30 to 11:00. We can promise you a delightful evening with one of the best there is. We'd love to have you join us.

Our Christmas party will be on Dec. 8 at the Penn Yan Grange. This will be a dinner dance and promises to be a grand evening.

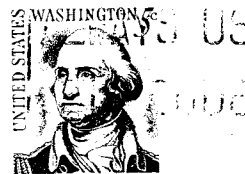
Do come and dance with us. We are a friendly group, and love to have visitors. See you next month.

...Joan and Bill Newman

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