



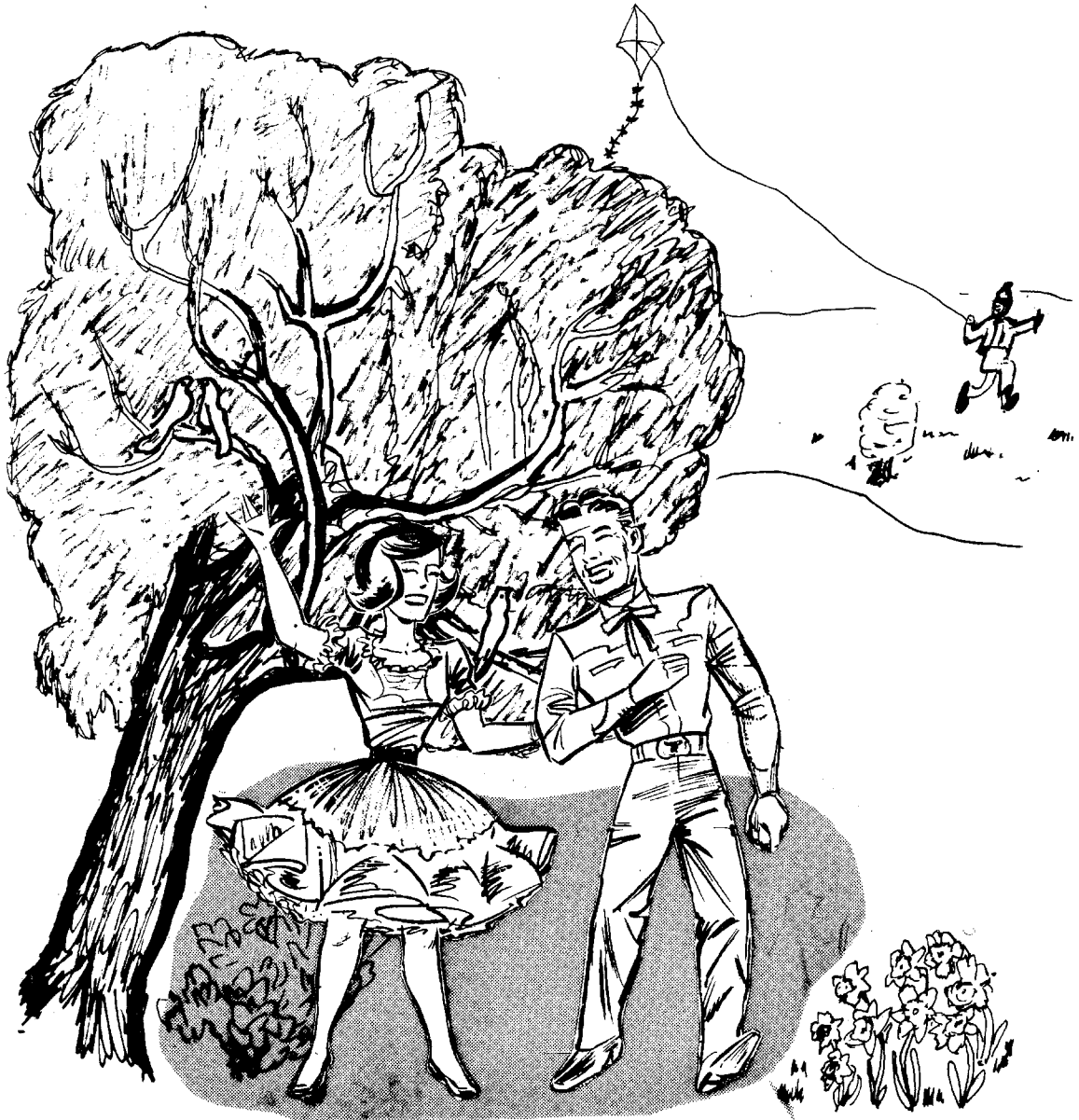
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Editor's

Note:



Well, if this reaches you late, its because the no. 1 editor skipped town (on business) at the same time he should have been assembling the "PROMENADER". Just had to get away from the snow for a while ---

CORRESPONDENTS - Please try to have your columns to us by March 10 for the April issue. We appreciate your cooperation.

Encourage your clubs to make use of the PROMENADER to advertise your special dances. The PROMENADER reaches nearly a thousand square and round dancers in the Rochester Area. For the price of printing a flyer, your PROMENADER ad is printed and delivered to the interested dancers --- not bad, eh?

In fact, if you have or know of a business that might find an ad in the PROMENADER attractive, let it be known. We'd be happy to oblige!

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Again, we remind you that sharp, black copy is necessary. Pencil, blue ink, and light typing do not reproduce. If you have submitted such copy, it has been necessary to go over these line-by-line to make them useable. Your help will make life a little easier for us. Thanks!!!



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SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

This special calendar of events is a project of the Rochester Area Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs. It's purpose is to aid area clubs in planning their activities and to avoid the conflict of big events on the same dates.

Dates already booked for special events
(National Callers, etc.)

<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
Feb. - 3,5,26	Mar. - 7
Mar. - 1,5,14,17,26	Apr. - 21
Apr. - 21,23,30	May - 5
May - 7 (DOR)	
Sep. - 10,20	
Oct. - 22	
Nov. - 12,16,18,29	

For further information, call NEIL & JEAN STEWART
(The keepers of the calendar)
716-293-2031



Next Federation Meeting --

Mar. 10 Thu.

*8:00 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church
Corner S. Clinton and Court Streets
Rochester, NY

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CORNER



It's been some winter! Lots of snow and cold weather causing poor driving conditions, delays, and cancellations. Attendance at dances and meetings suffered, and our Federation meetings were no exception.

Our goal is to have all clubs represented at all meetings, so if you as a representative can't attend, ask someone from your club to be your substitute.

We have an opening for a coordinator of the demonstration dances at the county fair in August. It's a good opportunity to participate in the promotion of square dancing.

The Santa Clara Valley Square Dance Association is asking for our support to make square dancing the National Folk Dance of the USA. The resolution will be introduced by Congressman Norman Minota of California. Write to your congressman and ask him to support this resolution.

Dance for exercise and enjoyment.

Don & Mary

the Promenading B's
4th ANNUAL
Black Out Dance
MARCH 26th
7:30 - 11 PM \$3.00 CPL.
"Ron" Fitch - calling @
Byron-Bergen High School - RT #262
Dance in black light - Badge sold at dance



AND HERE'S THE ROUND OF THE MONTH!

Round of the month selections for March are:

ONE MORE TIME - Hi Hat #952

THE ANGELS SING - Belco #B-266-A

For information call Sylvia Copeland
at 247-3383

Next meeting - March 5th, 2 to 5 p.m.

CORRECTION

On the first page of the FEBRUARY PROMENADER, we listed Chuck Prister as Moderator for the CALLERS' CO-OP incorrectly. Instead it should have been:

Ben & Sadie McGilvery
31 Snug Harbor Court
Rochester, NY 14612
865-5942

Please direct any correspondence or inquiries relating to the Callers' Co-op to Ben.
Our apologies - Ed.



Well, what's new? Energy crisis! It isn't new but it's on everybody's quivering lips and some has leaked into the pants pocket.

I've had an energy shortage for years, at least that's what my wife says. On the other hand she says I've never been short on gas. Burp!

Speaking of gas, my dumb brother-in-law thinks Natural gas comes from eating beans, and he doesn't know why there should be a shortage.

The schools, that most of us dance in, are conserving fuel by lowering the thermostat, especially at night. Now I'm not saying that they are overdoing it, but it's the first time I have ever seen a caller using gloves to hold the microphone. It was also quite difficult to hear him through the muffler he was wearing. He sang a lot of blue notes that night. I had some difficulty myself, round dancing in my galoshes. Although Art Harris said that he didn't notice any difference in my dancing, what does he know? He had a ski mask on.

My wife likes to dress chic so she wore a blue dress to match her complexion. I think it was the first time that even the girls enjoyed the call "Quetch" or "Yellow Rock".

We had freeze dried coffee (not unusual you might say) from the percolator! I thought I had croutons floating in mine, but they turned out to be small ice cubes.

I guess I'm exaggerating a little and what is cold for some, is not cold for others. Take the eskimos for instance, and how calmly they live with the cold and snow. In fact the only advice the Eskimo mother gives her children is "Don't eat the yellow snow."

But let's get back to conserving energy. Energy in the sets!

Some dancers are helping by only doing a half square thru and a quarter in. There are others who used to do a full sashay are now doing a half-sashay and cutting down on the rollaway, too. I was doing my part by whispering during the Promenade, "Tighten up the set, a little closer" till one smart aleck said, "If you get much closer I'll be behind you." Well !!!

As the gas station owner said, "You can fuel all the people some of the time and you can fuel some of the people all of the time, but you can't fuel all of the people all of the time."

I think I'm running out of gas, soooooo

Thanks anyway,
Hal Abberger

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Any other Sunday, CALL 342-1561

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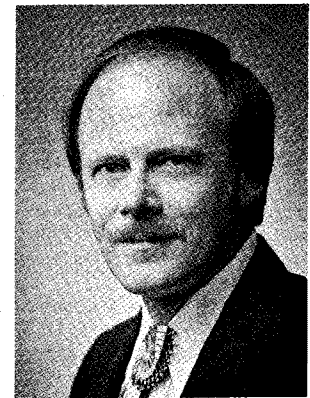


**GARY BROWN
OHIO**

Virginia, and New York. Gary makes his home in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, and currently calls for various clubs in and around the Cleveland-Akron Area. He teaches one beginners' class each year and is currently running a "Mainstream Plus" workshop, a Basic Advanced Workshop, and a continuing "Advanced" Workshop.

Gary and his wife Lyn have been married for 16 years. They have a daughter, Shell, age 15, and a son, Dave, age 14. Gary and Lyn have been dancing for seven years and Gary has been calling for six years. He has called for festivals in Ohio, Michigan, Pennsylvania, West Virginia,

Ron began calling in 1959 as a teenager and has gained experience in all fields of the square dance activity, making it his full-time occupation. Until the summer of 1976, Ron and Donna made their home in the Cleveland, Ohio area, where he called for eight different groups and taught beginners' classes. Along with travelling to all parts of the United States and Canada, Ron is currently on the staff of Kirkwood Lodge, Missouri; Rainbow Lake Lodge - North Carolina, and many festivals and conventions. He has called in Alaska for the Santa's Swingers and in 1974 was one of the featured callers for the Aloha State Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii.



**RON SCHNEIDER
FLORIDA**

Now residing in Bradenton, Florida, Ron is working to develop a local program while continuing to travel.

Ron has recorded on the Grenn label and is currently making records for the Dance Ranch label.

SQUARE DANCE World

26th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

As in any undertaking of this size, the expenses start early, and the National is no exception. The flow of cash is most important at this time. We can use your registration fees. If you are planning to attend this super event, your pre-registration as soon as possible would be much appreciated.

Talk it up among your friends and fellow dancers. Don't forget the class members....They will be able to dance, with adequate time programmed daily for recent graduates....No better way to give your new grads a real boost in confidence and interest.

NATIONAL SQUARE DANCERS CB RADIO DIRECTORY

A directory of Square Dancing CBers is now being assembled. The objective is that a traveling dancer coming into a strange area would be able to call a listed CBer for local square dance information. The directory will be published as soon as enough information has been received.

If you would like to be included in this directory and are willing to provide dancing information to those contacting you on your CB radio, please send the following information to Lou Reed; 8227 Matthy Street; Houston, Texas 77061....

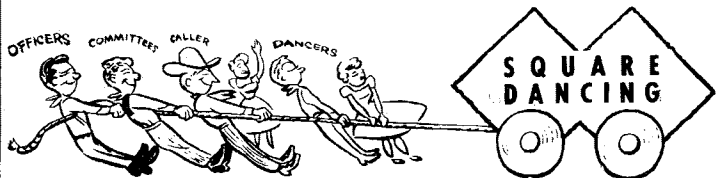
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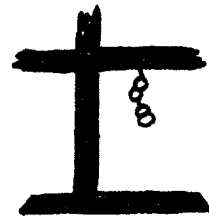
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+
BRUCE
SHAW
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MARCH 1977

1 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares Pioneer Squares	Myron Huss Gloria Roth Jon McNally	Parkland School, 1010 English Road Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave. E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave, E. Roch	8:00 RW 8:00 N 8:00 W
2 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares	Al Howe Ken Boss	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 8:00 R
3 Thu	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Harold Pierce	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Marion Elem. School	8:30 X 8:00
4 Fri	Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Promenading B's Lima Grand Squares	Mike Callahan Ken Anderson Ron Fotch Dick Casper	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Lima Town Hall	8:30 X 8:00 NRW 8:30 8:30
5 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BB Swingin' Eights Magic Squares	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Chip Kellogg Bob Ellis	John Kennedy School, Vine Street, Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield Manchester Elem. School, Rt. 21	8:00 RW 8:00 8:30 X& 8:00
7 Mon	Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Merry Mixers Swinging Singles Village Squares	Art Harris Ron Fotch Ben McGilvery Jerry Carmen Dick Casper	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Rd, Greece Campus School, Brockport Seneca Methodist, 121 Scholfield Rd. St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:30 X 8:30 ww 8:00 R 8:00 R& 8:00 F
8 Tue	Pioneer Squares Triggers	Jon McNally Myron Huss	E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave, E. Roch Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00 W 8:00 RW
9 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares Spin 'n' Wheel	Al Howe Ken Boss Jerry Carmen	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Rd. Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Albion Middle School	8:00 8:00 R 8:00 R
10 Thu	Wayne Westerners Genesee Dancers	Harold Pierce Mike Callahan	Marion Elem. School Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:00 8:30 X
11 Fri	Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Swinging BB Promenading B's Rochester Rollaways Friendship Sqs. of Geneva WYCO Promenaders Lima Grand Squares Web Spinners	Mike Callahan Dave Hass Bob Brunshidle Ron Fotch Keith Culley Don Pratt Jerry Carmen Dick Casper Bill Wilcox	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Town Line School, Spencerport Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Oakview School, Irondequoit Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva, NY Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw Lima Town Hall Klem Road School North, Webster	8:30 X 8:00 NR 8:00 8:30 8:30 # 8:00 G 8:00 8:30 8:00 *
12 Sat	Copy Cats Country Twirlers Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Irondequoit Squares Magic Squares	Bob Ellis Jim McQuade Ben McGilvery Bill Wilcox Guest Caller	Bay View YMCA, Bay Road, Webster Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Road Laurelton School, Helendale Road, Rochester Manchester Primary School, Leigh Ave.	8:00 8:00 & 8:00 8:00 8:00
13 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00 DQ
14 Mon	Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Merry Mixers Swinging Singles Village Squares	Ed Fraidenburg Ron Fotch Ron Cole Jerry Carmen Dick Casper	Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Road, Greece Campus School, Brockport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 N 8:30 J 8:00 R 8:00 R& 8:00 R
15 Tue	Triggers Pioneer Squares Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Jon McNally Bruce Shaw	Parkland School, 1010 English Road E. Roch Pres. Church, 109 East Ave, E. Roch. Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 RWA 8:00 W 8:00 D
16 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares	Al Howe Ken Boss	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 D 8:00 RD*
17 Thu	Wayne Westerners Genesee Dancers	Mike Callahan Francis Zeller	Marion Elem. School Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:00 8:00 N
18 Fri	Country Twirlers Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Promenading B's Pioneer Squares Lima Grand Squares Web Spinners	Jim McQuade Al Howe Cal Golden Ron Fotch Jon McNally Dick Casper Bill Wilcox	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen E. Roch. Pres. Church, 109 East Ave., E. Roch Lima Town Hall Firemen's Hall, Webster	8:00 &GD 8:30 X 8:00 NR 8:30 8:00 J 8:30 8:00 ZD-

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20 Sun	Friendship Sqs. of Geneva Cloverleaf Squares	Ken Anderson Mike Callahan	Geneva Jr. High School, North St., Geneva Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave, Chili Ctr.	2:00 N 8:00
21 Mon	Merry Mixers Glass Slippers Swinging Singles Belles & Beaus Village Squares	Ben McGilvery Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen Art Harris Joe Uebelacker	Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road Campus School, Brockport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Road, Greece First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 R 8:30 8:00 R& 8:30 X 8:00 RS
22 Tue	Triggers Pioneer Squares	Myron Huss Jon McNally	English Village School, 800 Tait Avenue E. Roch Pres. Church, 109 East Ave, E. Roch	8:00 RW 8:00 W
23 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares Spin 'n' Wheel	Mike Callahan Ken Boss Jerry Carmen	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Albion Middle School	8:00 8:00 R 8:00 R
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4 Mon	Glass Slippers Swinging Singles Belles & Beaus Village Squares	Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen Art Harris Dick Casper	Campus School, Brockport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Holmes Road School, 300 Holmes Road, Greece First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:30 ww 8:00 R& 8:30 X 8:00 R
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7 Thu	Genesee Dancers	Mike Callahan	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:30 X

SQUARE DANCE SCHEDULE SYMBOLS -----

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| A - International Night | P - Pot Luck Dinner | Z - Dinner at 6:30 | & - Workshop 8:30-9 |
| D - St. Patrick's Dance | Q - Anniversary Dance | Ø - Class Invited | + - Workshop 8:15-8:45 |
| G - Graduation | R - Rounds at 7:30 | ac - Amateur Caller Night | ? - Fashion Show |
| J - Special Dance | S - Spring Dance | # - Closed - for info | ★ - Dinner |
| N - National Caller | X - Rounds at 8:00 | call 244-8006 | * - Rounds at 7:45 |
| | W - Workshop at 8:00 | ww - Workshop Dance | - - Closed - Members only |

FEDERATION ROUND DANCES

MARCH 1977

2 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
8 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
9 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
16 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
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30 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B

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12 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00

B - Beginner Rounds at 7:30

M. D. A. NEWSLETTER

How does this tickle your fancy? ----

From 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Round Dance Party in the small gym.

From 8:00 p.m. until --, Intermediate Rounds in the Beautiful Opera House, just like you have never seen before -- also rounds in the Vocal Room -- would not be Western unless we had Buttons & Bows!

Square Dance rounds in the Large Gym and Small Gym, also 27-27A.

Just a hint of what's to come. Be sure you come with a clean slate --- no past record of shooting anyone --- as Sheriff Shenkup and his woman, Pearl; also Sheriff Lauer and his woman, Jane, will be at the doors asking for your identification!

This may be of some interest to you. Joe & Betty Reilly, Bruce & Shirley Shaw, Mike & Wanda Callahan (2 years in Service), George & Kay Shaw, and Willet & Bea Justice have not missed a dance in Ten Years. Toni & Don Wacenske, R. Gosciminski, John & Daphne Fink, George & Janet Musshafen, Bob Vincent, and George Germeroth a very close to eight years. No one has dropped out on our committee, and that sure is work, work, work, devotion, and loyalty. In ten years, we have dancers that have never missed one M.D. Dance -- What a record! Wacenske's every year save their pennies in a jar, and donate them to M.D.

This dance was started to raise money to help M.D. Secondly, we maintain that if the dancers could go out of their way to attend the dance, to help, and to work with us, we owed it to the dancers to be sure they have a good time, enjoy themselves, and make a party of the dance (what a party we have on our hands!)

Very interesting to know our totals have increased over the year before. This year we have to beat \$8000. Come to Churchville-Chili High School, April 23rd, and enjoy yourselves; be sure to say hello to us and to all the callers, cuers, people in the booths -- that is the secret of a party! Love all those people...we never stop wondering about them. We ask ourselves, "Where can we get so much to work with?..."and all at once

everything comes our way. Now we ask you, where would you get 100 tooth paste caps? Harry Bailey, the caps are in the dining room! We wanted white paper.... Bob Ellicott came through -- even delivered! Eve, your hard to get peanut butter jars are in the dining room! Costumes --- Lil Boss, Jane Lauer, Yvonne Evert, and Edith Thomas once again brought out the sewing machines!

This year, whoever wins the trophy, it's yours for ever and ever!

The Committee

Non-Federation Notes

HAPPY NOTES (very relaxed dancing) March 2, 16 at Covenant United Methodist Church; 1124 Culver Road. 8 - 10:30 p.m. Caller: MIKE CALLAHAN.

ROUNDS with the WHEEL-A-ROUNDS on MONDAYS at Stardust Ballroom. Early Teach Oldies 7:00; Club 7:30 - 9:30. For information- Incardones 225-6133.

ROUND DANCE, Monday Evenings at Thomas Edison School; 1612 Buffalo Road, near Howard Road. BEGINNERS' CLASS 7:30 til 8:45 p.m. E-Z ROUNDS 8:45 til 10:30. HOWIE & DOT DeGRAVE teachers and cuers.

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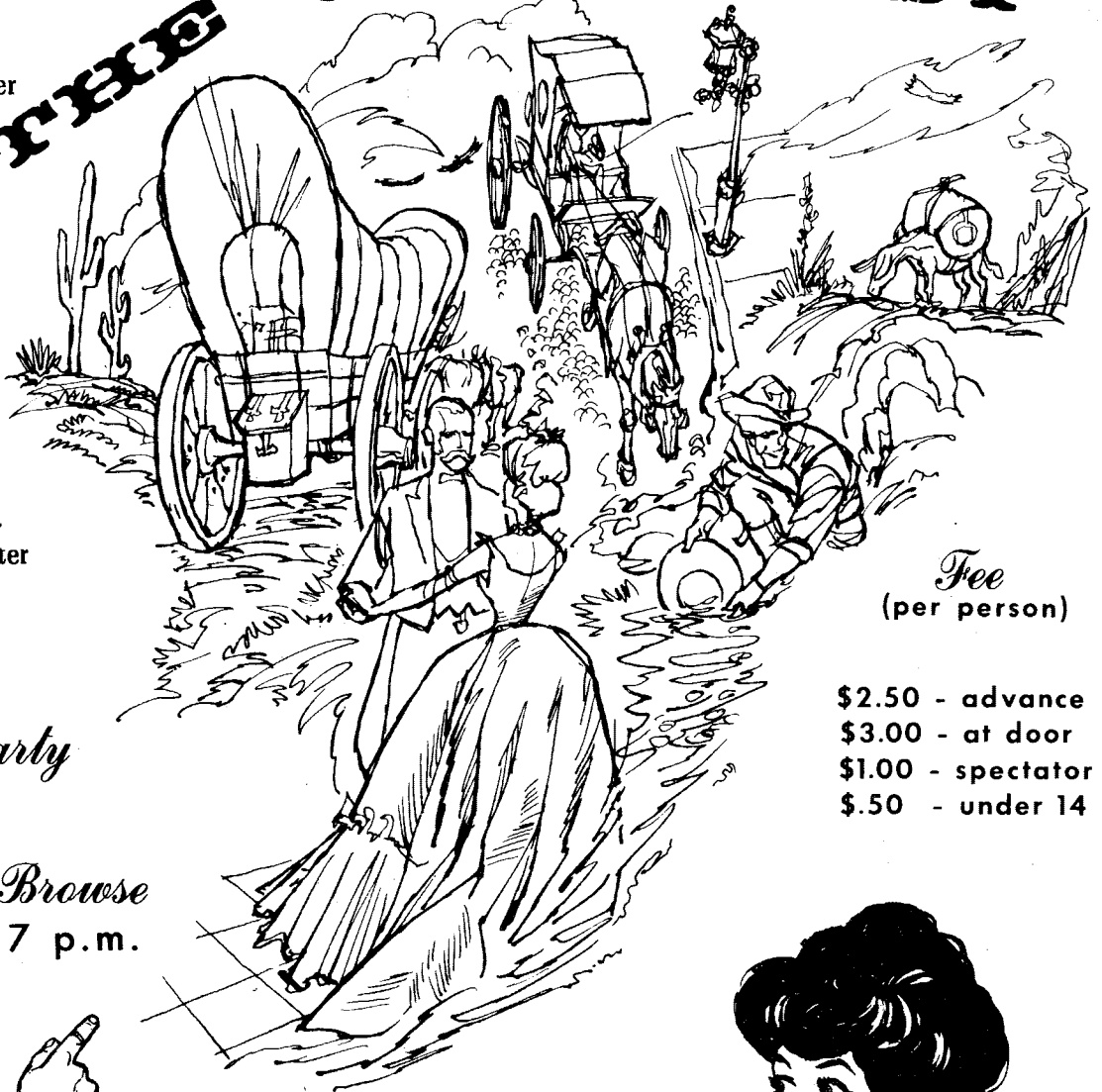
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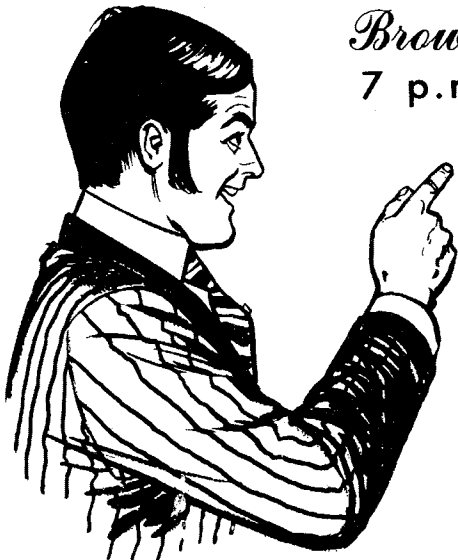
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D-O-R NEWSLETTER #2
 19th ANNUAL DANCE-O-RAMA
 MAY 7, 1977

Dance-O-Rama '77 has as its theme "Dance Around the World" and the logo you see pictured above illustrates that idea nicely --- but wait 'till you see how this theme springs to life under the hands of the skillful, imaginative clubs working on decorations this year. As you tour the dance areas you'll find yourselves in the faraway Pacific Isles (Thanks to the COPY CATS), in neighboring Canada (GLASS SLIPPERS and SWINGING BB's), or across the Atlantic in the Netherlands (VILLAGE SQUARES). In the vestibule you'll find a bit of ole Spain (BELLES & BEAUS) and in the grand ballroom - the mysterious Orient (SWINGIN' EIGHTS and PIONEER SQUARES). Round dancers will do their thing amidst an All Nations decor (TWIRL-A-ROUNDS). Be adventuresome and take the grande tour -- visit all the areas this year!

Mentioned above are the clubs working on D-O-R decorations; here we'll now list the other jobs the various federation clubs are tackling. (Find your club listing -- think of what you can do to help and pitch in --- it'll be fine fellowship and your contribution may be just the one to put your club over the top to win the Tucker Trophy this year.)

- Club ticket sales - BOOTS 'n SLIPPERS
- Door Sales - COUNTRY TWIRLERS, MAGIC SQUARES, BELLES & BEAUS, WAYNE WESTERNERS
- Mail Sales - VILLAGE SQUARES
- Official Program - BELLES & BEAUS
- Printing
- Sales Promotion - MERRY MIXERS
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- Campsites - RAINBOW SQUARES
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- Information & Reception Desks - BATAVIA TWIRLERS, BELLES & BEAUS, PROMENADING B's, WYCO PROMENADERS
- First Aid - MERRY MIXERS
- Setup - CLOVERLEAF SQUARES, RAINBOW SQUARES, SWINGING SINGLES, SINGING SQUARES
- Restoration - WEB SPINNERS, EKC-O SQUARES, IRONDEQUOIT SQUARES, GENESEE DANCERS
- Signs & Directories - TRIGGERS, COUNTRY TWIRLERS
- Sound - ROCHESTER ROLLAWAYS

Sound Equipment - CALLERS' CO-OP

Co-ordinating all this diverse activity is the roster of D-O-R officers:

- Chairpersons: John & Daphne Fink; Cliff Fulton and Pat Feigel
- Treasurer - Sid Golinsky
- Secretary - Gay Jackson
- Facilities Coordination - Jim & Nancy Ocque
- Facilities Services - Doug & Connie Winstead
- Decoration Coordinators - George & Una Shaw
- Communications - Frank Salvaglio

Speaking of the Tucker Award (as we did a minute ago to 'tweak your interest), here's a brief history of how this trophy came to be awarded for the first time last year. It is given in honor of Charlie & Perkie Tucker, the founders of square dancing in the Rochester Area more than 20 years ago! The Tuckers have retired and moved west but the square and round dance community wishes to acknowledge their fine contribution by awarding in their honor this handsome trophy. Each year it goes to the local club who does the most to promote Dance-O-Rama during that year. Points are earned for participating in D-O-R committee work and for each dancer attending the dance on May 7th. (Smaller and larger clubs have equal opportunity to win as total participation is considered relative to club size.) So step up, volunteer to help and come to the dance with all your club friends -- your club may be the lucky winner that will take the trophy home to display at all your club functions during the coming year! Village Squares was the winner last year and they'll be on hand to turn the trophy over to this year's winner, come May 7th.

One last but important note -- be sure to let your club officers or federation representatives know of any special feelings you have about last year's D-O-R. What things were great (like the calling and the cueing, the sound, and the weather) --- that shouldn't be changed? And what does need changing so that this year's dance can be even better? Suggest a way to accomplish this change and the D-O-R committee will doubly appreciate your comments.

Thanks for your interest! See you soon -- the Big Day is only two months away.

Eileen Howard
 Village Squares



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NEWS



Belles & Beaus

It is reported that the Directors at their February meeting gave serious consideration to disbanding the Belles & Beaus, and reforming in Florida. The motion was tabled until the next snowstorm. Speaking of Florida, the Heffers, Watermans, Goslings, Tongues, and DiLauros are planning or have just returned from there.

Back in Rochester, a very enjoyable time was had by all who danced at the Valentines dance at Holy Cross school in February 14. This year's class is as great as Art had promised they would be.

Our hat goes off to Joe Reilly who did a terrific job calling for us on February 21.

Everyone, mark March 14 for Ed Friedenbunrg, and be sure to make reservations for our annual St. Patrick's Dance at Art's on March 12. Hopefully we'll be able to get buses to transport us to and from Grand Island.

We are happy to welcome back Jo Ann & Bill Esch. We hear that their baby boy is growing by leaps and bounds.

March 21 is our guest night for Web Spinners, Country Twirlers, and Cloverleaf Squares.

We are all very glad to hear that John Moylan is out of intensive care at Citrus Memorial Hospital in Florida after his heart attack.

Ellen & Jerry Linger



Boots n' Slippers

One always knows what to wear when going square dancing, but one wonders whether or not should one consider bringing a sleeping bag and some food. This winter weather is something else! Especially in Hilton. Are you dug out yet?

Many thanks to Ron Fotch, our guest caller at our Valentine Dance. It was well attended. And thanks to everyone who found us Feb. 4. Schools were closed due to the gas shortage. Our dance was held at St. Leo's in Hilton.

Watch for Mike to show up in all his GREEN near St. Patrick's Day. Maybe we can help him by bringing something green.

Up and Coming: March 4 - Mike Callahan
March 11 - Mike Callahan
March 18 - Guest caller Al Howe

P. S. - When schools are shut unexpectedly, we scramble for another place to dance. So, check with the officers if you are not sure.

So, Come dance with us,

Kay & Jerry Miller



Cloverleaf Squares

Due to the gas shortage and the closing of Chili Town Hall to extracurricular activities, Cloverleafs moved the February 6th and 13th dances to Holy Cross Church. We apologize to any members and guests who traveled to Chili Center and found a dark hall and hope you will try to join us again.

On February 6th we welcomed the Belles & Beaus and the Copy Cats as our guests and on February 29th the Henrietta Friendship Squares and Country Twirlers.

While on thirty days leave from the Navy, Gerard Bus, a former Cloverleaf member, joined us for several dances in February. He is dancing with the Westpac Whirlers in Yokosuka, Japan, while he is stationed in that area. During the past two months we have also had visitors from the Typhoon Twirlers on Guam and the Swinging Singles of Norfolk, Virginia.

The following clubs are invited as our guests during March:

- March 13 Friendship Squares of Geneva
Irondequoit Squares
- March 20 Genesee Dancers
Class Slippers
- March 27 Boots and Slippers
EKC-O Squares

The Cloverleafs are happy to welcome Bev Linehan, Don Felice, and Bernie Sabernick as new members.

Delicious refreshments and clever decorations along with the good calling of Bruce Shaw made our February 13th Valentine Dance a huge success. Thank you to all who contributed.

On February 21st, the Cloverleafs were guests of the Village Squares. On February 26th, a large group of Cloverleafs enjoyed an evening of fun at the USA Roller Skating Rink.

If the weather so far this year is any indication, we won't have to worry about having enough "winter" for our Winter Weekend scheduled for March 4, 5, and 6 at Allegheny State Park. We are looking forward to lots of hiking, tobogganing, cross-country skiing, etc.

There is no dance scheduled for March 6. On the 13th of March, Cloverleafs will celebrate not only St. Patrick's Day, but also the seventh anniversary of the founding of the club. Mike Callahan will call for this very special dance. The class is invited to join in the festivities.

Nancy Fraser

SWINGING SQUARES ON TV

Les Bradt and the Swinging Squares will appear on KIDDIE CORNER, hosted by Miss Rita, daughter of Mike and Mary Prado. The program will air on Easter Sunday, April 10 at 9:30 a.m. on Channel 10.

The program will feature a presentation about Western Square Dancing, as well as a demonstration of dances.



Copy Cats

Latest report from the class is that they are working hard and looking fine. Those class members who went to the Tecumseh's Midterm Ball on January 22 and the Newcomers Caper February 5 all attest to a very good time.

Looking over the crowd, we counted several Copy Cats enjoying relaxed dancing at the Rainbow Squares' Dick Leger dance on January 13.

The Village Squares and Swinging Eights were our guests January 22 at Bayview and on February 6, many of the Copy Cats tripped over to Holy Cross School to be guests of the Cloverleaf Squares. Mike Callahan called at both dances and it goes without mention that everyone had very enjoyable evenings.

We will be dancing at Bayview Y.M.C.A. on March 12 with Bob Ellis as guest caller.

If you are looking for a real good time, plan to join the crowd on the Mystery Ride March 26.

The Copy Cats have taken on the task of decorating one of the halls for the Dance-O-Rama at Brockport. Jim Fordham is looking for volunteers to help with this project.

Ellie & Norb Voellinger



Country Twirlers

As we try our hand at this new job, we wish to extend a special thanks to the outgoing officers for a job well done. They did an exceptionally fine job in making the year an enjoyable one for all.

Due to the blizzard of '77, our Orphie Easson Dance was postponed and rescheduled for Feb. 4th. Because of the school closing, it was held at the Chili Baptist Church with a really great time had by all. It sure was good to have Orphie back with us again.

We had a "sweetheart" of a Valentine Dance with our class as guests. They seemed to enjoy themselves and we are looking forward to having them in our club.

We have set Mar. 18th as our St. Patrick's Day Party and Graduation. On March 22nd we start a series of 9 workshops. Flyers will be mailed with all the details. Another date to remember is March 26th when Mike Callahan will be our guest caller.

Hal & Fran Pyritz have graciously agreed to Chair the job of Club Historian and any help will be greatly appreciated.

A sincere wish for a quick recovery from all of the Country Twirlers to H. B. Price who is presently in Batavia Veterans Hospital.

Tom & Betty Wachob
Secretaries



EKC-O Squares

We, along with everyone else that weathered this dreadful winter, are very anxiously looking forward to spring! It's really not that far off now! To Betty & Bert Wolcott, and to all the callers that faced the problems of traveling in this year's bad storms, we are very grateful for getting to all the scheduled dances.

At the Valentine Dance on February 11th, the class was invited to join our club in dancing a couple of tips. It is nice to meet these future members and have an opportunity to let them be exposed to the real world of square dance fun. Each one of us owe them courtesy, encouragement, and a helping hand with a friendly smile. Club members are still needed to assist with the class. Appreciation is gratefully extended to all those that have helped thus far. Please sign up on the list that is on the bulletin board or see Norma Salvagio. Don't wait to be asked, volunteer! You'll be glad you did.

It was learned at the February 4th dance that John Moylan, after only one week in Florida, has suffered a heart attack. John just retired the first of the year and he and Bernice were spending the winter months in Florida, but planned to return in the spring. We wish him a speedy recovery! Both of them would welcome a note or card to let them know our thoughts and prayers are with them.

John Moylan
Citrus Memorial Hospital
Inverness, Florida 32650

Home address: Rt. 3 Box 287
Perch Court
Inverness, Florida 32650

We were also very sorry to hear that Harry Malley also had a heart attack. He and Mae are in Florida. Cards and notes would also be gratefully appreciated. Send to:

Harry Malley
792 N.E. 47th Street
Breezy Hill Trailer Park
Pompano Beach, Florida 33064

Our thoughts and prayers are also with Harry & Mae.

Remember, beginning March 4th, we will be dancing at Kodak Park with Ken Anderson; March 11th, Dave Haas from Connecticut; March 18th, Cal Golden from Arkansas; and March 25th, Ken Anderson. We welcome guests, so please come!

Smiling is contagious, so pass it on!

Gloria & Anton Betlem





Friendship Squares of Geneva

The Geneva Friendship Squares had a very pleasant Mystery bus ride to Batavia on Feb. 5th and danced with the Batavia Twirlers at the new YMCA facilities on Main Street. They had such a good time, they hope to hold another mystery ride soon.

March is a very busy month for us. Friday, March 11th is our regular dance at the Carter Road Firehouse. Sunday, March 20th from 2 to 5 p.m. Ken Anderson will be calling at the Geneva Junior High School on West North Street. Al Overslaugh will cue rounds. Then on Friday, March 25th, Pearl Fashions is holding a fashion show at the Senior Citizens' Rooms at the Geneva Recreation Center on Seneca & Main Sts. in Geneva.

Estelle Katz



Genesee Dancers

Genesee Dancers club has been holding forth every week so far this year, in spite of the miserable weather. Also, many of our friends from other clubs have ventured out to dance with us. You're always welcome.

Invited guests on January 13th were the Village Squares, with three and one half squares joining us.

Genesee Dancers were guests at Irondequoit Squares on January 22nd. All who attended enjoyed a good dance and fine hospitality.

Our club was invited to be guests of Village Squares on February 21st. This invitation signifies another enjoyable evening with our neighbors, since many Village Squares and Genesee Dancers hold dual memberships.

The Bill Peterson dance on February 3rd brought out many of our dancers who have been among the missing for some time. We look forward to your continued support and to having you on our corner often.

Our Valentine Pot-Luck Supper and Dance with our class was a huge success - with about 84 couples taking part. Enthusiasm and good fellowship enhanced the party-like atmosphere, providing another memorable evening for all.

Congratulations are still in order to Joe & Angie Di Bitetto on their twenty-first wedding anniversary, Feb. 4th.

Travel notes - Recent returnees from Florida are Orlo & Rita Hoadley - welcome back. Several others were scheduled to leave before this goes to press:

Charles & Jean Howlett - a Carribean Cruise
Bill & Irene Ruster - to Mexico and Honduras
Norm & Gloria Steimiller - to Barbados
Estelle Golde & Lou Solomon - to Florida
Bon voyage to these and any we may have missed.

Guest caller on March 17th will be Francis Zeller from McCracken, Kansas. Do plan to join us that night to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and dance to this popular National Caller.

Remember to circle April 21st on your calendar, when Red Bates will be our guest caller.

Joe & Anna Jean Caracci



Glass Slippers

"Out with the old and in with the new." Sound like one of Caesar's commands, a new year's resolution? No, it's the way we installed our new officers. It was out, with a hearty thank you to Bob & Jane DuBois, Jim & Marcia Moore, Bob & Ruth Freitag, and Chuck & Diane Silvermail. Also in with congratulations to the new officers: President, Chuck & Diane Silvermail; Vice President, Ed & Meg Weis; Treasurer, Don & Mary Lou Cotton; and Secretary, Mrs. Elsie Epke. Best of luck to you all.

We were glad to see Bob & Ruth Freitag dancing with us after their trip to Florida. Oh, by the way, when you see them, ask them if it really snowed while they were there. I'm sure they will let you know for sure. Oh yes, while there they saw John & Mary Keiffer. They say they are doing fine and doing a lot of dancing while there.

Thank you for the response we received on our special February dance, Cupid's Caper. All who attended had a great time and those who didn't well, were sorry. But why not dance with us any Monday. We would love to have you. We will be dancing from 8:30 until 11:00 at the Campus School. We will dance the 7th, which will be a workshop. The 14th, 21st, and 28th. As usual, Ron will call his dance at the usual high.

So, see you in a square,

George Burch

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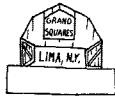
Now that the blustery winter winds have subsided (we hope) and the George Washington Dance is history (come to think of it, so is George), we move into the home stretch for this dance season. The class is progressing extremely well under Ben's tutelage. We were pleased to see so many of them at the G. W. Dance - even if they did make me envious of their dancing ability.

Our thanks to the Rainbow Squares for an enjoyable dance and very pleasant company. It is always fun (and cheap, too) to be guests at another club. I hope more members will take advantage of these invitations when they are extended.

By the time this hits the press, one half of our new Veep team will have departed the sunny climes of Rochester for the distant hills of North Carolina. On March 1st, Ken Hanks assumed a new position with the North Carolina School for the Deaf. Jeanette and the kids will remain here until school is out. Hopefully Ken can plan visits back north once-in-a-while to coincide with our dances.

Our dances this month are on the 12th and 26th, so keep limber and we'll see you in a square.

Faul & Audrey Peterson



Lima Grand Squares

It's almost spring time in the country and Lima is ready! We have been having a grand square time however. We want to thank Bruce Shaw for a fine dance. We had some visitors from Henrietta Friendship Squares come down and everyone had a good time.

Dick Casper finally got what he had coming to him - namely some recognition for a fine job by a great guy with a special recognition night for him. Amazing to hear the story of how a good boy went bad.

How many guys have dreamed of having a beautiful doll walk up and ask them to dance? Or you girls -- ever wonder what it would be like to have Robert Redford gently take your hand, gaze into your eyes and ask for a dance? Well mark April 1st on your calendar! Lima Grand Squares in the true tradition of Dogpatch is having a Sadie Hawkins dance! Let that little bit of country deep in your bones rise to surface, put on your cover-alls, and best straw hat -- then come see us for a real fine bit of toe tapping and square dancing. The hog-calling and tobacco spittin' contests will be held out back.

A pot luck supper and black tassel mark the graduation exercises for our class on March 25th. Those long weeks of trying to remember Do-Sa-Do, not pie-ala-mode will finally pay off. We all look forward to having these new people dance with us. Every year the class seems to be even better and the great fraternity of square dancing grows. Graduation exercises include a series of skits and nothing is sacred! If you have an idea that sounds like fun let us know -- but watch out, the next skit may use you as the leading player!

Mr. X



Merry Mixers

First of all, many thanks to Barb Indovina for the really fine articles she has written for us. As the new publicity chairman for the year, I can only hope I will do as well as she did.

The weather was something everyone talked about and, yes, we got cancelled out on our regular night Jan. 31st. Things warmed up and Sat. Feb. 5th, 28 of us had supper at Mac's Restaurant on Dewey Avenue. Following that, we had a really super time as guests of the Swinging Eights at the Aldergate Methodist Church. On Monday, Feb. 7th, we had a club dance to make up for the one that was cancelled. We danced it up that same week on Friday, the 11th at our Valentine dance and buffet at the Red Men's Club. Feb. 14th we had that sweetheart of a guest caller, Stan Levandowski. Our service project was Sat., Feb. 19 with a group "dancing" the patients at Monroe Community Hospital.

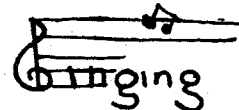
We dance on Monday nights at the Seneca Methodist Church, corner of Clinton and Scholfield Road. Ron Cole will be our guest caller on March 14th.

Dancing wheelchairs at Monroe Community Hospital will be Saturday, March 19th, 2 - 3 p.m.

That's all for now. Keep warm until next time.

Gladys Crisci



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Pioneer Squares

Happiness is being a member of the "Federation". Pioneer Squares look forward to their new friendships and responsibilities. Thanks for the warm welcome, Federation Officers and members.

Heading up our team of officers this season are Jim & Dorothy Cutter as Presidents and backing them up as Vice Presidents are Bill and Nell Burton; Secretary-Treasurer, John & Ruth McNally.

"Pioneers" square up every Tuesday evening at 8:30 p.m. at the East Rochester First Presbyterian Church, 109 East Avenue, East Rochester, NY with Joa & Sue McNally as callers.

February 5, 1977 club members traveled to Newark, NY to attend Kuntry Kuzzins special dance with Mike Callahan/Debbie Wilkinson. Super great time was had by all. Real friendly folks there under the leadership of Richard & Doris McCartney.

Congratulations to our class!!! We continue to get compliments on how well you're doing at all the class "special" dances.

Invitations are out for the month of March to EKC-O Squares, Genesee Dancers, Kuntry Kuzzins, and Village Squares to be our guests.

The red, white, and blue colors in the badge for the Pioneer Squares symbolizes the original spirit of the square dance movement, having fun dancing and assisting others to learn and community service.

Join the "wagon train" any Tuesday evening or on March 18th (Friday) for our St. Patrick's dance. You're always welcome.

John & Ruth McNally



Promenading B's

With winter slowly creeping out, we would like to see former Promenading B's and other dancers back in the hive for more (Fun-Dancing).

On March 18th, the class will again sponsor a St. Patrick's Day dance at the Byron-Bergen Elementary School. Come and join the class and club for the (Wearing-of-the-green), & a good ole (Irish-Jig).

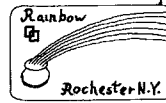
Don't forget the dance you have been waiting for, the 4th annual Black-Out-Dance. Promenading B's, the Cookie-Monster, will be waiting for your cookies. Yummy!!!

Let us all remember to get our tickets to the M. D. Dance on April 23rd, and the Dance-O-Rama on May 7th. Let our club be well represented for such a worthy cause.

We all extend our sympathy to Dick & Donna Pringle on the death of Dick's father.

Fun dancing is for you. Hope to see you out front in a square soon.

Walter & Myrtle Pound



Rainbow Squares

We have danced our way thru winter and after the winter we have had, we are sure that everyone feels as we do that being able to meet with such nice people every week and to enjoy ourselves so much, certainly has done a great deal to enable us to endure the ordeals of the winter of '77. But we are looking everywhere for signs of spring!

Our box lunch social for our Valentine's Dance proved most interesting, especially as to who told whom to bid on which box lunch. They all looked so intriguing it just proved what a bunch of imaginative people we have, even though one of our most creative members, Sue Sweet, who has done all the decorations for our special dances most effectively, had left for Florida for the balance of the winter, along with her husband, Russ. We do miss and envy them.

We were so glad that Henrietta Friendship Squares had their George Washington Dance. Not only are they nice people to dance with, but our caller, Ken Boss and his wife Lill, had both our class and club people to their house afterwards for a pool party. Certainly is different dancing (if that is what you could call it) in the water.

We enjoyed having invited guests so much at just about every dance in February, we want to do it again in March, hoping to have the same good turnout. So for March 2, we have asked the Genesee Dancers and Village Squares; the Tecumseh Squares and Copy Cats for March 9; Belles & Beaus and Boots 'n Slippers on March 23; and Country Twirlers and Lima Grand Squares for March 30. With our St. Patrick's Day dance scheduled for March 16, to which our class is invited, we should finally chase winter right out altogether-- of our spirits, if not our climate.

Bill & Betty Pedersen



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Singing Squares

January 26th, 13 couples from Rainbow Squares came on their mystery ride to join us for an evening of fun and lively dancing. We hope they will come back again soon.

March is just around the corner, and we have five dances on schedule; March 2nd, 9th, and 16th. with Al Howe calling. The 16th is our St. Patrick's Dance, so put on your green and pick up your "little old shillelagh" and whip over to 1612 Buffalo Rd. for some good Irish dancing.

March 23rd. is a special evening when "Singing Squares" presents a "Spring Fling" for class and club dancers with Mike Callahan as caller. Look for details in this issue.

March 30th is Amateur Caller Night. Now is your chance to prove your talent in calling a hash or singing call and also get a bird's-eye view of square dancing from the caller's platform.

In keeping with St. Patrick's Day, here is an Old Gaelic Blessing:

May the roads rise with you,
And the wind be always at your back;
And may the Lord hold you
In the hollow of his hand.

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Spin 'n Wheels

Due to snow storms some of our dances have been canceled, and installation of officers was delayed. However, we now have snow under control and a new slate of officers.

President ----- John & Betty Kirby
Vice President - Bill & Joan Hudson
Treasurer ----- Charles & Jean Snervia
Secretary ----- Brian & Judi Adams
Refreshment Chairman - Franklin & Mary Thomas

We had our Valentine's Day Dance February 9, and a good time was had by all.

Our club will be dancing on March 9 and March 23 at 8:00 in the Albion Middle School. Rounds start at 7:30. Jerry Carmen will be calling for square dancing and Betty Carmen for round dancing. Guests are always welcome.

Brian & Judi Adams



Swingin' Eights

Snow! Snow! Joe and I hope you survived under the horrible winter storms. We understand Bud Macomber got stranded in Albion from Friday until Tuesday. Thanks to our enthusiastic officers, we had our regular dance on Feb. 5th. Because of the energy problem and school closings, our dance was held at Aldergate Methodist Church on Dewey Avenue. In spite of the weather and location change we had a crowded dance floor, delightful refreshments and a great evening. It really helped the winter blahs and aching joints.

Due to error in printing of officers' names, the corrections are as follows:

Class membership --- Jerry & Peggy Anderson
Sr. Federation Rep. - George & Rose Bauerschmidt

Welcome to our new Junior Federation representatives Bill & Sarah Fleisher.

Frank & Ella Domenico have taken on the responsibility of our refreshment committee - let's support them in every way. This job was ably done by Bill & Helen Klein last year. Jack & Rita Kennelly have assisted the refreshment committee by accepting the responsibility of the coffee pot & additional paraphernalia for each dance. Don't you they deserve a vote of "Thanks" from all of us?

We would like to apologize to Larry & Terry Yacobelli for our mistake in last month's news. We understand they were the chairmen of the Ice Cream Social in December. (Sorry about that - we all goof sometime.)

At the Jan. 15th dance, Terry Barnes brought two right dancing shoes, so she danced in her boots all night - How about that?

Congratulations to Grandparents:

Bill & Helen Klein have a new grandson born Dec. 24
Keith Joseph, weight 8 lbs., 4 oz.

Jack & Rita Kennelly have a new Grandson born
Feb. 2nd, Jacob, weight 8 lbs., 5 oz., 23" long.

Swinging Eights CONT'D

FOR A GOOD TIME COME DANCE WITH THE SWINGIN' EIGHTS ON:

March 19th - Bruce and Mike Callahan will be the callers - Rounds Mike Prado - Held at Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield Road.

April 2nd - Mark your calendar for another special evening with Bruce Shaw "A SING-A-LONG DANCE" (all singing calls) held at Duke Middle School, 350 Cooper Road (CLUBS AND ALL CLASSES WELCOME) Rounds, Mike Prado.

Happy Dancing,
Joe & Loretta



Swinging Singles

Cross-country skiing was the most popular activity at our ski weekend at Denton Hill, Penna. The valleys around the lodge were all explored. The cross-countriers, the down-hillers and the rubber-tubers all had to endure cold and wind, but none could complain about lack of snow. We enjoyed the usual hospitality at the hotel in Coudersport.

Two snowy Monday evenings marked our open house and the beginning of our new class. Still, many braved the elements and we now have a new class of four squares. Chip Kellogg is making good progress in making square dancers out of them.

Valentine's Day will bring a dinner before our usual dance. We must remember that we have to restrain ourselves a little so we can still dance.

Feb. 25 will see us bowling from 11 to 2 a.m. at Drama Plaza. We'll have fun whatever our bowling is.

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Tecumseh Squares

Let's hope that the weather in March is better than January and February. Our class on Monday has really suffered. They have lost some very valuable time. So, club members, if you wish to help, come out to School #40 on LaGrange Avenue off of Ridgeway at 7:30 Monday nights. They could use a helping hand.

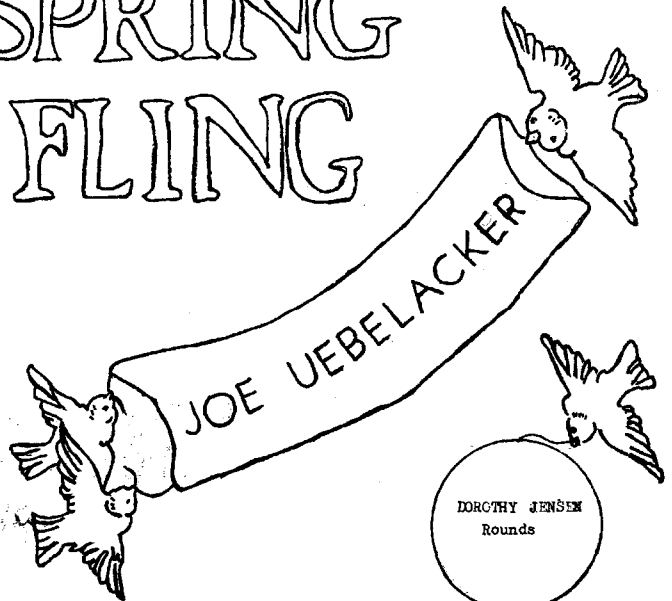
Howard & Joan Saupp have graciously offered to serve as 1st. Braves (vice-pres.) for this coming year. They have always done an excellent job of any committee position they have held. We are very pleased with their acceptance and know that you'll give them your support.

March looks like a terrific month! We've got Gloria Roth on March 1st. She is a national caller from Nova Scotia and is well known and liked in this area. On March 15th is our St. Patrick's Dance. So bring your leprechaun and we'll all shamrock together (or is that Yellow Rock?) We hope that all of you round dance class members will join us now that you've completed basics. Bob tells us that you are a gifted group and we could learn a lot from you. Bob hopes to be work-shopping classics this spring. For those of you interested, vine over every second and fourth Tuesday and dance with us.

The MD benefit dance isn't too far away. If any one would like to offer their services for an hour or a day, just notify us (266-5478 or 544-6442) and we'll put you to work! Any donations for raffles and door prizes will be greatly appreciated also.

Have a good month,
Ed & Sue Sulewski

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Twirl-A-Rounds

We are sure glad to see the last days of February passing. Between the gas shortage, school closings, and blizzard weather conditions, our dancing has been hit and miss. In fact mostly miss.

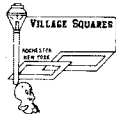
Success often has its price. The Valentine Dance came off without a hitch. Carolyn Dietrick and Andy Spadoni made red hearts for everyone. World famous sweethearts were in attendance. Guests included Olive Oyl & Popeye, Archie & Edith Bunker, and John Smith. Romeo & Juliet each won the prize - a large red heart-shaped lollipop.

Fortunately there are 5 Wednesdays in March. The only thing better than that is that there will be 5 Twirl-A-Rounds dances. Come join us! The St. Patrick's Dance will be March 16 and that is no blarney. Wearing the green and in charge of the day are Gloria & Wayne Saylor and George & Una Shaw. What a team!

The White of Winter officially leaves March 20 and Spring begins. Frankly we are all looking forward to the green. Turn over a new "leaf" and come round dancing.

See you 'round ----

Bernie & Judydel Hinkson



Village Squares

As March marches in, the sound of dancing feet every Monday night with Village Squares goes on -- probably the only good thing that ever happened on a Monday!

Many thanks to the wonderful girls who feasted us all at the Valentine's Dance. According to Hal Abberger's Calorie Burning Table in last month's Fromenader, I figure we'll all be back to normal by the year 2,000. The Class danced with us and my goodness, what a gang! If you'd take Stanley's enthusiasm, my skill, and the democratic smile, the whole world would be in trouble. We look forward to dancing with them soon on a full-time basis. How come these new kids learn so fast? Is Dick really getting better? or just older? --

Coming up on the 21st of March a salute to everyone with an alphabet name as JOE UEBELACKER puts it all together at our Annual "Spring Fling". For those of you who get strange urgings at this time of year -- take heart!! The Spring Fling is a fun time for all, let the warm juices flow thru your veins, rejoice and kick up your heels as Joe puts winter behind us. NOTE -- Do not poke fun at or forget to tip the lonely soul parking cars -- we had to find a job for him.

Our quilt dance was a huge success and our thanks to all who braved the weather. For the record, let it be known that Jerry Carmen was determined to not let the 10 foot snow drift blocking his door nor the strike by his dog team to prevent him from calling. However, when Betty stole his winter woolies he had to throw in the towel. Dick Casper came to the rescue with his usual great job -- be easy to get spoiled listening to this guy!

A short but heart-filled word of thanks to the Copelands for filling in for Dorothy on the rounds. Everyone enjoyed their cueing.

Don't forget every Monday night -- make something nice happen this week, come to Village Squares.

Cliff & Diane Gollus



Wayne Westerners

As we stare out of the window at the huge white piles of snow, we wish fervently for a better month in March. Less snow and fewer cancellations would be nice! There has been so little dancing this month we feel positively RUSTY!

This winter hasn't been good in other ways for our club, for we have had a lot of sickness. Our newly elected President and Vice-President were both taken sick the same week and as a result could not be installed so the old officers have been continuing in their duties - a difficult thing to do when they were looking forward to taking a well-deserved rest. This has been a hard time and I think everyone in the club deserves special praise for responding so loyally at this time when we have needed extra closeness and harmony.

While we are handing out bouquets, we also want to give an especially big "thank you" to Harold & Lila Pierce for being so helpful and understanding at a time when we most need it. It hasn't always been easy to drive clear out here from the city and to be so unfailingly cheerful and helpful in spite of sickness in the family. Harold & Lila, we love you!

Another person who deserves our thanks is our round dance cuer, Martha Haungs. She always has a cheerful smile - no matter how discouraging her job appears. She also makes a terrific "man" if we are short one to make a square!

Be sure to come to our St. Patrick's dance on the 17th, with the old leprechaun himself, Mike Callahan! You know you will have fun -- with Mike!

We hope that by this time all of the people who have felt "under-the-weather" have recovered and are back dancing - or, at least are on the way back. We have missed you!

Aubrey & Alice Hale

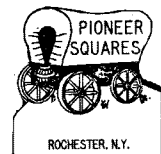
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There is one thing to say for this winter; there is a lot to talk about: snow, cold, snow, cold, etc... And remember all those lucky friends who went south for the winter so that they could keep warm ! !

Due to the blizzard of '77, we had to cancel our dance of February 4 when Jerry Carmen was to be our guest caller. But never fear, Jerry has consented to come March 11. So plan to join us for a night of good dancing.

March 25, our class will graduate into the club and we are looking forward to seeing them at our regular dances.

Remember April 30th is our Cancer Dance, so plan on helping us help the Cancer Crusade.

Don't let the cold weather get you down, get out and dance. Can you think of a better way to have a fun time than dancing with your friends?

Don & Loraine Porter



Batavia Twirlers

Larry Dunn will be calling both of our March dances. These are regular dances - not graduation - as our class was very small. We have started a new class as of February 9 and are happy to report eight new couples plus the regular 3½ are in our new class which will be meeting every Tuesday at the Salvation Army. Ron Fotch is the instructor.

We enjoyed dancing with the Glass Slippers, Country Twirlers, and B&C-O Squares as their guests during February.

It was our pleasure to welcome fourteen couples from the Geneva Friendship Squares to our February 5 dance. They braved the weather and came here on their mystery ride. A total of 46 couples came out along with the ground hog to see if spring was going to come!

Both of our February dances were held at the new YMCA, but we will be at John Kennedy School for the rest of the dance season. Why not visit us and enjoy Larry Dunn's fine calling on March 5 or March 19?

The Country Twirlers will be our guests on March 5.

The Presidents



Callers' Co-op

PLAN AHEAD!

The April 3 meeting of CCR should be of interest to many area clubs, particularly their newly elected officers. To foster mutual aid and cooperation, CCR will be holding a LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE to which all interested square dancers are invited on an R.S.V.F. basis. Letters will be sent to club officers with specifics, although any topic may be introduced which has a bearing on the improvement, management, and maintenance of the Square Dance activity. Ben McGilverly and Gerry Prister will introduce topics to get the ball rolling.

An enterprising and concerned representative from the visiting participants will be asked to join them on the panel to field questions from the callers. Generally speaking all present will be encouraged to participate vocally. Topics will be time limited -- Orlo Hoadley will take charge of seeing that nobody gets long winded and each topic of concern will be given ample time.

Call McGilverly 865-5942, Prister 266-1818, or Hoadley 225-2796 if you plan to come since refreshments will be served and our facilities are limited to 350 capacity (Isn't that optimism!)

The location is at the Covenant United Methodist Church on Culver Road near the intersection of Parsells Avenue. There is some church lot parking (callers will leave this area for the guests' convenience) and nearby lots are available on Sunday as well as on street parking.

A similar open panel was held at one of the Federation meetings last fall and resulted in worthwhile and eye opening discussion and suggestions. If you are one who really cares about the future of our activity, maintaining a happy, healthy club membership - or just need help or advice about leadership, we'd like to see you there: Sunday, April 3, 2 p.m. till ? (5 usually, but we'd be delighted to keep the conversation going.) Let this be the opportunity to meet other club leaders, the local CCR membership and to start a continuing dialogue with each other.

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Irondequoit Squares

Irondequoit members enjoyed themselves as guests of the Rainbow Squares on Feb. 9, to the calls of Ken Boss.

Our annual Valentine Dance on Feb. 12 was an enjoyable evening of dancing. It was a pleasure to dance with the class members who found out that club members have two left feet on occasions. Many thanks to the active Valentine Dance committee. The ladies were given a novel Valentine's pin made by the women of the committee using the art of quilling. Bob & Jean Weston made the cut outs for the pins. The pink and red color scheme of the beautiful decorations were accentuated by the mirror ball made by Ray & Pauline Gaul. Don & Maryllin Sullivan were the M.C. and distributed the awards that were handcrafted by the women, including the tie slides and matching pins for the women made by Joe & Loraine Waidl. After partaking of the delicious refreshments provided by Adolph & Ruth Gulde, Paul & Darlene Lewis, Lloyd & Trudy Gray and Bob & Lillian Cunningham, we could have danced all night.

On February 26, Irondequoit members and guests enjoyed dancing to our guest caller, Mo Howard.

On March 12, the following are invited guests of the Irondequoit Squares. Tecumseh, Cloverleaf, Swinging Eights, Belles & Beaus, Boots 'n Slippers, Henrietta Friendship Squares, and Wayne Westerners. We are looking forward to dancing with them.

March 26 Dick Casper will be our guest caller.
April 3 We are looking forward to hosting the Paris Squares from Syracuse.

Bob & Margaret Pearson returned from their vacation in SUNNY FLORIDA to our WINTER WONDERLAND.

Wagon Masters Harold & Dena Jackson are making arrangements for the FOURTH of JULY weekend CAMPOUT. If you are interested please contact them.

Edd & Ginny Penczek



Swinging BB

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The refreshments, decorations, a delight to see! Said Happy Birthday to Kay & Peg & Happy "35" to the McCords - (That's Lane and me)

March 19th, begorra! There's a St. Patrick's Day Dance - And if you come by, per chance, very welcome you'll be. We're planning for the class graduation in April. So let's hope for good weather and then let's say Happy Birthday to club member Miriam Van Alstyne.

Your Reporters

Hilda & Lane McCord



Triggers

Hasn't anyone told our dear Mother (Nature, that is) that we are all so very tired of the extreme cold and snow. One of the best ways of warming up is Square Dancing. You will generate enough warmth (and happiness) to last for hours. So the next cold Tuesday night, come and visit the Triggers at Parkland Road School on English Road at 8:00 and warm up with us. Also, for all of those who might have come to the school the nights the dances were cancelled, we extend our apologies. A good rule of thumb to follow is "if the schools are closed, there will be no dancing."

Some people will go any place to get away from the Rochester weather. During the month of February, Frank & Jo Manicone went to Florida, as did Bert & Sylvia Butler and Jean McConkey. Hope they were thinking of us while they were enjoying the sun.

On January 23, six couples from the Square Dance Class of 75 went to see a real western show - the Johnny Cash Show. If non-square dancers only realized the fun and fellowship you derive from dancing, I believe that everyone would dance.

On March 15, we are having our International Dinner-Dance. Dinner is at 6:30. There are no kitchen facilities available, so please plan accordingly. Bring an international covered dish to pass and your own place settings. Coffee will be provided by the club. Don't forget to dress in country outfits or square dance clothe. We will dance at 8:00.

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