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PUBLISHER'S PATTER

by
Phil James



The 30th National Square Dance Convention is over and I have many vignettes which prove that this Convention lived up to its expectations in every way. There's something about a "National Convention" which excites and enthuses one with anticipation. First of all, there are dancers from every state in the Union and from many foreign countries (including 67 dancers from China), and then there are the callers which, as you may imagine, include the "cream of the crop", i.e. the best in the country. Also there's just the sheer momentum of 27,000 plus dancers collected in one place at one time.

I should also mention the large number of stores which were set up as booths to show the latest in square dance fashions, records, equipment, etc. (included in these were H&R Plastics, The Jubilee, and The Dance Store from the Santa Clara Valley).

The weather in Seattle was beautiful. We had heard "horror" stories of how it is always raining and that we should take extensive raingear. As it turned out, the temperature was around 75 degrees with the sun shining brightly, with the result of a lot of outside dancing in the various pavilions and in the stadium.

There was an event Saturday in the stadium which we weren't able to witness (we were on our way to Vancouver to catch the cruise ship to Alaska - that's a story for a later article), but we heard a lot about it. Saturday afternoon in the stadium (and all the surrounding grandstands, bleachers and grounds, etc.), a record was attempted for The Guinness World Book of Records for the most square dancers dancing at one time under one caller. The final count was 18,500 dancers with the dance being called by Marv "K" of Seat-



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tle. Initially they tried counting the dancers as they came in the "door", but very quickly gave up on that and tried counting the squares (ever try to do this at a hoedown when there's only 80 squares with all of them moving?), and when that turned out not to be feasible, went to the backup plan where a helicopter made several "photo missions" over the area to give the final count. I would have enjoyed seeing 2200 plus squares at one time!!!

Another trend which was actively supported at the National was the growing interest in Advanced and Challenge dancing. We danced quite a bit in the Advanced hall which was packed every time there was a caller on stage. The C-1 hall had over 40 squares at all of their dances. As we have noted before, this level is not for everyone, but as people invest more time in square dancing, it's obvious that some are looking for more challenging dancing.

The schedule for dancing was ambitious enough to satisfy any dancer. Each day we had a choice of eight halls, all running virtually nonstop from 9 a.m. until 11 p.m. In addition, there were special interest panels and workshops available; and to top it off, a complete round dance program!

In summary, the 30th National was everything we hoped it would be and much more. The travel arrangements handled through Almaden Travel (in conjunction with the Alaska trip) were letter perfect. A group trip is the way to go. One final note. On the Air-Cal flight home from Seattle, the pilot took us on a short "tour" over Mount St. Helens. The weather was clear and it was "awe-inspiring" to see the utter and complete devastation around this volcano. A magnificent way to end the trip.

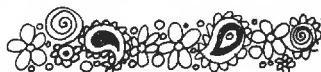


Photo by Keith Hawkes



During the 30th National Square Dance Convention, Memorial Stadium at Seattle Center is a sea of dancers as an attempt is made to set a record for the Guinness Book of World Records. Saturday evening, June 27, 1981 saw approximately 18,500 dancers join together to dance to one caller, Marv K. of Bellevue, Washington, in a try to best the previous record of 16,500.

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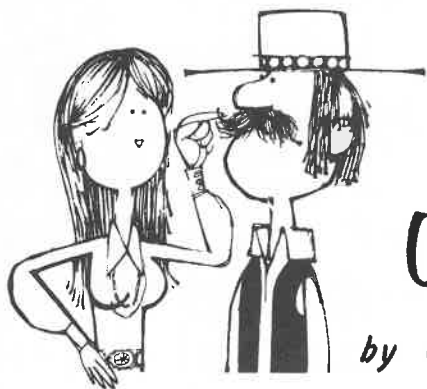
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"OUR" OPINION !

by Chuck & Honey Wolfson

Looking at the thermometer it's definitely summertime; time to sit by the pool, kick back with a cold one, and reflect on Cup of Gold, the National Convention, and a fun-tastic cruise to Alaska! And when we finish those, if we haven't fallen asleep (or fallen into the pool), we look ahead to promoting those upcoming September beginners classes.

Cup of Gold (Sonora, June 19 - 21) was a fun and friendly festival. The days were sure warm, but it cooled down to a comfortable temperature for the evening dancing.

We always enjoy any excuse to visit Sonora, Jamestown and Columbia. They're in the heart of the Mother Lode Country, and there's never enough time to appreciate the old buildings and Columbia's interesting museum and shops.

Speaking of old buildings, we stayed at the beautiful Sonora Inn

which we suspect was one of the original inns during the days of the Gold Rush. The rooms are currently being redecorated (again), and we found it a very pleasant place to stay. We were relieved to discover that the bathroom was not down the hall!!!

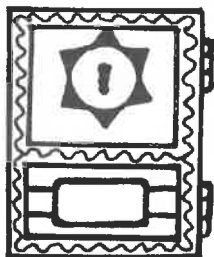
The afterparty on Saturday night was a highlight of the weekend -- good dancing and more food than you could believe! Speaking of food, next time you see Mike and Norma Degmetich, ask them about the "whipped butter" they put on their baked potatoes at dinner Saturday evening. It sure did clear the palate!

We got back from Sonora on Sunday afternoon, just in time to change clothes and suitcases (and shorten five dresses - H.), and head for the airport for the flight to Seattle. We had been scheduled to leave on Monday afternoon, but decided not to risk an air control-

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Fashionable Thoughts by Martibet



THE CARE AND FEEDING OF PETTICOATS

The other day a friend stopped by the house after school. Since she followed me home, I lacked time to pick up the living room and Maria was a bit confused by what she saw. The living room was polkadotted with open umbrellas dressed atop with crisp clean petticoats. She never has understood the square dancing phenomenon!

Is it time for your petticoat to be freshened up? Were you happy with the petticoat after its last laundering? Was it a bright white or a dingy greyish white? I have a few good suggestions, collected over the years, to pass on to you.

Everybody has their favorite method of refurbishing the petticoat. Here are a few of the most popular methods of sprucing it up:

First of all, let's look at getting that netting back to a crisp color, even white. The most "tried and true" method is to use 1 cup of

Cascade automatic dishwasher detergent to one washer tub of very warm to hot water on a setting of "pre-soak". After the petticoat, waist encircling the center washer post, has completed its pre-wash cycle, rinse it thoroughly or run through a regular wash cycle. Now it's ready to spread over an open umbrella which has been propped up between the pillows of the couch. Pull out the lace and layers of tulle or nylon. Allow to dry completely (usually overnight) before removing.

Nothing pulls down a petticoat faster than being hung. Add the weight of the water and before long that petticoat is truly "flat". Drying a petticoat on top of the open umbrella helps to eliminate or, at least, slow down the "going flat" process.

Let's say your petticoat color can still be brightened, but the pouf has gone pft-t-t! My favorite way of reviving petticoats is to use the

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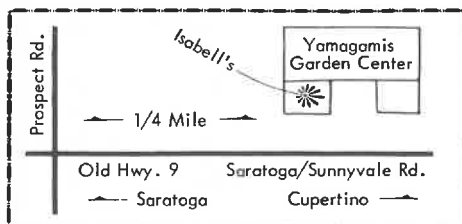


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Stir The Bucket With Betty

by Betty James

The Alaskan adventure became a culinary experience as well. The cruise provided seven meals a day, and various sightseeing tours treated us to true Alaska delicacies. The following recipes are a few we thought you'd enjoy.



MENDENHALL MADNESS

This is a "toe tingling", yummy beverage which is equally good served warm with a cinnamon stick, or frosted over crushed ice.

2 bottles champagne
1 pint peach brandy
1 pint apple cider

Blend ingredients and serve. Delicious served with sausage, cheese and smoked salmon.

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SOURDOUGH STARTER

2 cups thick potato water*
2 Tbsp. sugar
2 cups flour (more or less)
 $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. yeast (optional)

* Boil potatoes with jackets on until they fall to pieces. Lift skins out; mash potatoes, making a puree. Cool. Add more water to make sufficient liquid, if necessary. Richer the potato water, richer the Starter.



Put all ingredients in Sourdough Pot. Beat until smooth creamy batter. Cover loosely. Set aside in warm place to start fermentation.

How Long? Just how long does it take the Sourdough Starter to become "ripe" -- in prime working condition? Exponents differ.

3-DAY STARTER: Sourdough Starter can be used now, providing those little enzymes have started working. But it is better to wait a few more days. Toss in extra fuel for the Sourdough to work on -- a spoonful of sugar along with a couple spoonsful of flour. Add water if batter too thick. Mix well. Cover. Put in warm spot to work more.

1-WEEK STARTER: Starter is now effervescing with a million bubbles. Looks like sour cream - smells like sour cream, but is rich luscious Sourdough.

2-WEEK STARTER: Disciples of Sourdough claim that waiting this extra time gives extra flavor which is not to be compared with any other batter.

3-WEEK STARTER: The Sourdough Pot is now bubbling like the old witch's cauldron.

1-MONTH STARTER: Sourdough is now a rich creamy batter that is honeycombed with bubbles.

1-YEAR STARTER: Oldtimers claim a year must elapse before the Sourdough matures and offers the distinctive taste appeal nothing else can imitate -- Sourdough!

To expand starter for use in recipes: Remove Sourdough Starter from refrigerator 24 hours before use. The night before, add equal amounts of flour and water, mix until smooth, cover loosely and let stand in a warm place. Remove needed amount of Sourdough for recipe, and save at least one cup to put back in Pot. Pot should be covered loosely and stored in refrigerator. Use Starter frequently to keep it at its best.

SOURDOUGH WAFFLES

2 cups Sourdough Starter
2 Tbsp. sugar
4 Tbsp. cooking oil
1 egg
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. soda (scant)

Into Sourdough dump sugar, egg, oil and salt. Mix well. Dilute soda in warm water in jigger glass, stirring with the little finger. Fold soda gently into batter. Do Not Beat. Stir with easy rhythmic motion turning the spoon. Notice the deep, hollow tone as batter thickens and doubles in volume with bubbles. Dip batter immediately to hot iron. This batter may also be used for pancakes.

ROSE HIP SYRUP

Gather rose hips when firm and bright red color, usually after first frost. Clean, snipping off both ends. Cut fine. Put rose hips in enamel or glass pan, and not a metal dish. Cover fruit with water. Bring to a boil. Cook until tender and easily mashed with wooden

spoon. Strain through fine sieve, or use jellybag to make a perfectly clear juice. Return pulp to enamel dish. Add water. Boil for 10 minutes. Strain. Combine juices. Measure. Add equal amount of sugar and juice of lemon to rose hip juice. Boil for 5 minutes to right consistency. Bottle while hot. Seal immediately.



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1 section Sourdough Waffle
1 slab Seward's Ice Box (vanilla ice cream)
Douse with Wild Strawberries

Dip chunk of Glacier Ice (sugar cube) into Firewater (* lemon extract), place on strawberries and set aflame! Serve with Rose Hip Syrup.

* Lemon extract will flame cold, whereas brandy must be heated to flame.

(As one of the tourists who visited Wickersham House, I can attest to the attractiveness and great taste of this dessert. Would be easy to prepare ahead of time. - H.)

Preceding recipes
courtesy of
Ruth Allman
Juneau, Alaska
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CHALLENGE



★ CORNER

by Bob Southern

While we were unable to attend the National this year, our reporters who did attend stated that the floor level in the Advanced hall was weak. Attendance was good, but many of the people were unable to dance even easy A-1.

This was probably caused by dancers just going in to try it even though they really didn't know the moves. In other cases there were probably some who were just doing some playing around with A-1 at their clubs, but had not been told by their caller that they were not really A-1 dancers.

Some of the problems we have observed locally seem to continue. We notice many dancers trying to do the harder material when it is evident they don't really understand many of the commands and are only doing them by rote. When

they encounter the command from an unfamiliar formation, they go down the tube because they don't really know it.

If you are having this problem, get yourself some study cards together and use them to teach yourself like the callers do, or at least some do, then you can talk yourself through the command by definition rather than be wiped out because of the formation. It really helps, try it and see.

We attended the Ed Foote PACE dance a while back and had a great time. The people were pleasant and friendly and the dancing was good. We hate to admit that we had considerable help from friends who just wouldn't let us fail, but we do feel we earned the 30% of 100% that 70% Gene offered us after the dance.

Do we recommend joining PACE? We did before and we do again. We will eventually find that through organizations of this type we will be able to continue to bring in top callers at our level. Without it, maybe not.

We know that there have been recently formed tape groups and other groups dancing at Advanced and Challenge levels. We hear of them through others. We would like to try to list all the area tape and dance groups in our column in the September issue. Please write to The Prompter about yours so we may make all aware of it. Look for the ad regarding our new Advanced Class starting in September (this issue).

See you in a star tip!

Larry A. Hansford
Elaine D. Hansford



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Was That Really MAINSTREAM??



by Jay Klassen

SLIDE THRU
CALLERLAB Basic #57

Definition:

(CALLERLAB #57) Starting formation: facing dancers. Dancers Pass Thru. A man always turns right one quarter (90°); a lady always turns left one quarter (90°). Dancers end side by side with each other.

(Callers NOTE: The definition above replaces Burleson #253.)

Observations:

Slide Thru is a smooth, forward-flowing command that is well-executed when girls face boys, AND either "standard partner pairing" (girl on the boy's right) or "same-sex partner pairing" (same sex together as a couple) is used. From half-sashayed partner arrangements and mixed partner

arrangements (same sex facing), the results on the dance floor are catastrophic!! This latter condition is usually the result of improper understanding of the definition of the move, AND infrequent dancer exposure to the move called from these arrangements. Slide Thru is an extremely versatile and effective call to teach dancers (especially newer dancers) proper positioning and control of their forward momentum. Additionally, Slide Thru is a call that can be used to challenge dancers at any level.

Teaching Tips:

Slide Thru is usually executed properly immediately following the initial instruction as long as the caller does NOT either: a) Directly compare the call to Star Thru; or b) Attempt to teach all six possible boy-girl partner pairing arrangements during the "first teach". My own preference is to show the standard and same-sex arrangements until the dancers have achieved a large degree of control over their forward body momentum (usually four to six weeks later). During a newer dancer class, I usually substitute Slide Thru for Star Thru in singing calls following the initial instruction. Under all circumstances, Slide Thru should not be directly compared to Star Thru, and it is recommended that half-sashayed and mixed partner pairing arrangements be more frequently used.

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TEACHING (INITIALLY)

Heads Square Thru, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Heads Lead Right, Circle to a Line, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, AL, Promenade.

Heads Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Slide Thru, RL Thru, Slide Thru, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Heads Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Slide Thru, Star Thru, Dive Thru, Slide Thru--twice, Pass Thru, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Heads Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Do Sa Do, Swing Thru, Boys Run, Bend the Line, Slide Thru, Star Thru, Flutterwheel, Slide Thru, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Heads Pass Thru, Separate Around 1 to a Line, Slide Thru, Star Thru, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Slide Thru--twice, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Sides Half Sashay, Heads Pass Thru, Separate Around 2 to a Line, Slide Thru, California Twirl, Pass Thru, Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

TEACHING (LATER)

Sides Half Sashay, Heads Pass Thru, Separate Around 1 to a Line, Slide Thru, California Twirl, Slide Thru--twice, AL, Promenade.

Heads Square Thru, Swing Thru, Swing Thru, Girls Run, Bend the Line, Slide Thru, U-Turn back, Slide Thru, AL, Do Sa Do at home.

Heads Slide Thru, Square Thru 3/4, Pass the Ocean, Girls Run, Wheel & Deal, Slide Thru, U-Turn Back, Slide Thru, California Twirl, Pass Thru, Wheel & Deal, Pass Thru, Slide Thru--twice, AL, Promenade.

Sides RL Thru..and Half Sashay, Heads Lead Right, Circle to a Line, Slide Thru, Those Who Can..Slide Thru, Others U-Turn Back..and Slide Thru, Promenade.

TEACHING (MAINSTREAM LEVEL)

Side Ladies Chain..and Half Sashay, Heads Lead Right, Circle to a Line, Slide Thru, Girls Walk & Dodge, Outfacing Boys Run, All Slide Thru, Promenade.

-August 1981-

We Get Letters



Dear Publisher,
BLABBERMOUTH!!!!

(signed)
a certain well known
editor of the local
Advanced publication.

Hi!

Love every issue of your magazine. But most of all we appreciate your enthusiasm for such a wonderful hobby -- Square Dancing.

Don & Bette Bolander

Dear Editor,

Enclosed is our news item for August.

I would like to introduce our new Publicity officers, Peg and Bill Norriss. They will be corresponding with you for the next year.

At this time I would like to thank you for your help and cooperation with our club's advertising. Our flyers for the "Slab" were great. And thank you again for re-running our ad.

The Prompter has been a pleasant addition for Santa Clara Valley square dancers. I know it's been great reading for us.

Thank You,
Suzanne Clark
Lucky Steppers

Heads Half Sashay, Heads Lead Right, Circle to a Line, Slide Thru, Boys Walk & Dodge, Outfacing Girls Run, All Slide Thru, Ferris Wheel, Slide Thru, AL, Do Sa Do at home.



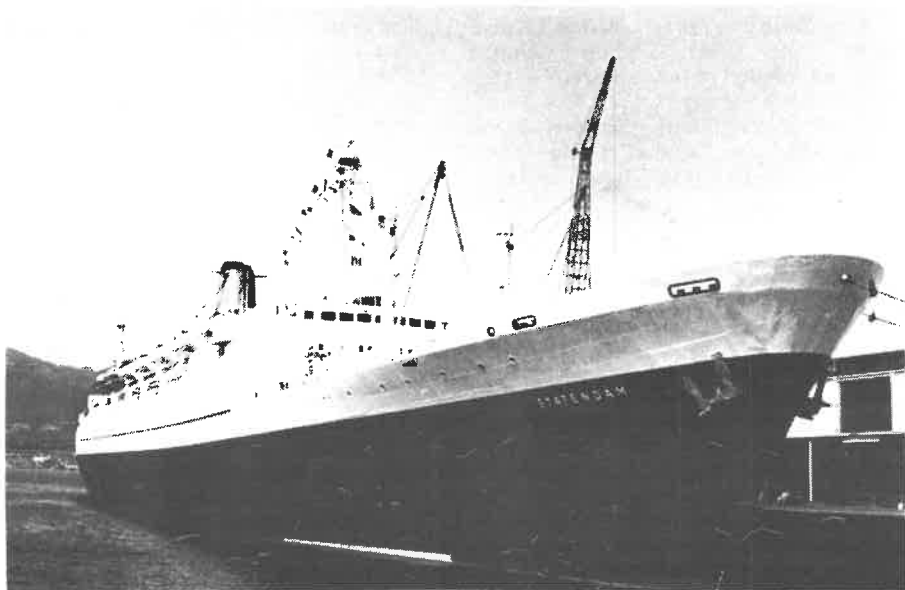
CHRIS WILLIAMS and KEN KENMILLE made June 27th a truly memorable day for some 75 Californians who witnessed their beautiful nuptials aboard the ss Statendam. The ceremony, written by Chris and Ken, was performed in the luxurious Hudson lounge by a minister from Vancouver. MIKE DEGMETICH, CHRIS' MOTHER, and STACY WILLIAMS, Chris' daughter, served as the wedding attendants. Mike sang a song to the bridal couple, after which NORMA DEGMETICH read a wedding blessing, and Chris' mother recited a lovely poem to the couple.

Immediately following the ceremony, CHRIS' FATHER led those present in a prayer for the bridal couple and invited everyone to greet the newly married MR. & MRS. KENMILLE. After the traditional throwing of the wedding bouquet and the tossing of the bride's garter, the champagne

reception was begun. The four tier wedding cake and champagne was served by Statendam attendants.

The seemingly flawless wedding was not without its "near misses" however. Ken's family, after driving all day and all night from California, became delayed in Vancouver and the wedding did not begin on time. Ken introduced with pride his mother, son, daughter, granddaughter and niece.

That evening the wedding party celebrated the nuptials at the Captain's Table in the Aquarius Restaurant. Upon retiring, Ken and Chris discovered that their "friends" had been busily at work - inflating 500 balloons (the perfect number to fill their stateroom) and hiding alarm clocks set to go off during the early morning hours. We're still wondering why the blissful newlyweds never heard those alarms!





Mike Degmetich (upper left) serenades Ken and Chris (upper right) with a beautiful rendition of "Welcome to Her World". Wedding bands are exchanged (below) as the wedding attendants and the minister look on. The ss Statendam (facing page), a Holland American Line ship, awaits the wedding party and passengers bound for Alaska through the inland passage.





Photo by Rene Golden

Wedding bells rang for FRANK WHITNEY and ANDALEEN MANGUM on June 20. The ceremony was held in a beautiful outdoor setting at Overfelt Gardens in San Jose, with a reception at Naprebak Hall. ANN PIERCE was Matron of Honor and JAY KLASSEN served as Best Man. Fans of "Daddy White Boots" will be relieved to know that, even dressed in a handsome powder blue tuxedo, Jay wore - you guessed it! DONALD MANGUM, Andaleen's brother, gave the Bride away, and the attendants were ANGELA HASS, DIANNA MANGUM, NORM CRAWSHAW, and TOM QUINN. KEITH FERGUSON served as Usher, and SUE LANE took care of the Guest Book. A trip to the National Convention was planned for a honeymoon. Frank, who is a member of Bachelors 'N' Bachelorettes and Star Eights, and Andaleen, a member of Bows & Beaus, Bachelors 'N' Bachelorettes and Star Eights, will make their home in San Jose. Congratulations to the happy couple.



Congratulations to LIZA AGUILAR and JIM HARTWELL who were married on June 13. A lovely ceremony was held at Roselawn Methodist Church in San Jose, and was followed by a reception where some unusual toasts were made and many of the guests joined in square dancing to the calling of HONEY WOLFSON. Jim and Liza lived in Palo Alto and were members of the Acey Deuceys. Congratulations are also in order for Liza on her graduation from Stanford University. Since Seattle, Washington is to be their new home, a trip to the National Convention was planned for their honeymoon. We wish them the very best.

The Prompter was glad to hear that LARRY HUSTEDT came through recent heart surgery with flying colors. Larry and Joan dance with the Lucky Steppers and Larry hopes to be back dancing in a few short weeks.

PRODUCT & RECORD REVIEW

From The Dance Store

by
Mary Lou Brakeman

Do you feel it's a shame to cover your pretty slips completely? Then try this new, scalloped bottom skirt. Your slip will show through at the indentations and it's buttoned part way down at each side leaving a peekaboo slit below the buttons. Edge the hem in lace and it makes a very pretty, feminine skirt. That's the Peek-A-Boo skirt pattern and sells for \$3.00. There are two more new patterns this month, another skirt, a patchwork, but not the usual kind. This one uses the patchwork effect in gores and has a horizontal panel around the bottom, topped with a ruffle, it's unusual and is produced by the "Patchwork Couturier". One size fits all. Then, for those of you who have been asking for a pattern for the elasticized waist dress that Malco Modes produces, check out the C & C Original pattern #103.

Do we have Rhythm Records this month? YES! Seven releases including "Come Monday" by Jerry Jeston on Circle D (D215); "Amarillo by Morning", really good, by Pat Barbour (RR 147); four by



Wade Driver, "You Should be in Movies" (RR 148), "Eastbound and Down" (RR 152), "Just Can't Leave Your Love Alone" (RR 153), and "You're the Reason God Made Oklahoma" (RR 154) with really good Country Western music; and then Bob Baier's "She Can't Say That Anymore" (RR 149).

Ron Welsh's new one is finally available, "I Can See Forever Loving You" (El Dorado 302), and it's a beautiful ballad.

Kalox is continuing its series of old-time singing calls put back to back so you get "two for the price of one". The newest one is "Turn Out the Light" with "Cross the Brazos" (1260) on the reverse.

There were more than thirty records released just in time for the National so you better get to your square dance record shop and do some listening!



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PROMPTER PROFILE

Ron & Sherry Welsh

Ron Welsh is a familiar name to dancers in this area. A full time caller, he travels extensively throughout the Western United States, and records on the El Dorado label. Although he is only 34 years old, Ron is an "old" hand at calling; he's been at it for more than 20 years. A dedicated family man, Ron spends his non-calling time at home, building everyman's dream house, "Rosehaven" (see box).

Born in Modesto, Ron was raised in Ceres, California (that's three miles south of Modesto on Hwy 99). Ron's parents are both active in square dancing. His father, Gene, who owns and operates an automotive body shop in Ceres, has been a caller for nearly 25 years. Ron's mother, Bettye, is a round dance cuer.



Ron Welsh (right), age 16, shares the stage with his father, Gene, at a Fresno Squar-Rama.

Ron learned to square dance when he was 11 years old and called his first singing call when he was twelve. "I thought it would be fun to call, so I talked my dad into letting me call at his club, the Ceres Twisters." Ron enjoyed it so much he kept coming back - for six months. "Then my dad told me that if I wanted to keep calling, I'd have to learn how to do the other half of the job, patter." So Ron went off to the family laundry room with a tape recorder. "I'd spend two to three hours practicing every night, then dad would listen to my tapes."

By the time Ron was 14, he was traveling to dances with his father and calling a tip anytime he got the chance. He was only 15 when he was hired to call his first dance, in Sacramento. "I wanted to be well prepared," he recalls, "so I wrote everything out - every word for the entire dance! I set it up so the first tip was what I thought was easy material with each tip getting more difficult. There was only one problem. The dancers couldn't dance what I was calling - so I tore up my notes and learned to sight call on the spot!"

In 1966, Ron attended a hoedown he'll always remember. ("It was a club anniversary hoedown and Vaughn Parrish was calling.") He met and danced with a young lady named Sherry Reece, who was to become Sherry Welsh. But first there was the matter of the Army. "I got my draft notice and decided to enlist so I wouldn't have to go into the infantry." Ron ended up being trained as a stenographer, and, after going home on leave to announce his engagement to Sherry, he was sent to Viet Nam. "I ended up in the Special Services, teaching people how to be lifeguards. When I wasn't working,

-The Prompter-

I was singing in USO clubs." Ron is particularly proud of the fact that there were no fatal water accidents during his tour.

In 1968 Ron finished his tour in Viet Nam and again went home on leave, this time to wed Sherry. Then it was off to Germany for another tour of duty. While in Germany, Ron became a member of the European Callers Association, and called at a number of clubs and festivals.

Ron and Sherry returned to the Modesto area at the end of 1969, and in 1970 he was hired to call for the Single Skirts & Flirts. He called for that group for two and a half years, until he was transferred to Madera. After a year and a half

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If you travel east from Turlock about 6 miles, you'll be in the small community of Denair and there you'll find the Welsh family home, "Rosehaven".

What is now an impressive colonial mansion started life as the Gratton Grange hall. In 1977 the Grange Association put the building up for sale, and Ron and Sherry Welsh heard about it when the dancers' association considered buying it for a square dance hall. It was rejected for that purpose because of size (only 20 squares), but Ron decided it might be possible to convert it to

a residence. He had been looking for a home in the country, and the location and price were right. Ron and Sherry purchased the property and moved in on Halloween day in 1977.

The building is 40' x 75', contains 7200 square feet on four levels, and sits on a one and a half acre lot. When Ron and family first moved in they lived in the basement and made plans to remodel the upper floors.

At this point the basic construction is complete. The exterior has been remodeled, and new wiring

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CIRCULATIN' WITH THE

Boots-N-Bloomers

If you're looking for a place to square dance in the North Santa Clara Valley, consider the Boots-N-Bloomers in Milpitas.

The Boots-N-Bloomers was started from a beginners class in 1964. The class was taught by Walt and Patt Jessup, who were also calling for the Silver Dollars. In fact, the Silver Dollars helped organize and get the group started in the right direction. Walt Jessup was their first caller, and Dick and Vickie Buddington were elected Presidents. Their first hoedown, the Pilgrim Stomp, was held in November of that year. It's obvious that the group got off to a good start and all are very appreciative of the help they received from the Silver Dollars. One of our noted area callers, Joe Johnston, was a member of that first graduating class.

Gene Wood replaced Walt Jessup at the caller's mike in 1967. Their current caller, Bob Southern, took over the calling duties in 1971. Bob has kept the group growing with his own inimitable style of calling and club support.

The club badge was designed as a collective effort by the first graduating class. It is the familiar green, brown, and white bloomers with the dancing boots sticking out the bottom. The club dress came from a pattern seen two years ago at the SCVSDA Jubilee and consists of a blue fabric with an alternating blue patterned fabric gored skirt. The bodice has a sweetheart neckline with bell sleeves. The men wear a solid blue shirt with a blue patterned inset.

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President Jan Littlefield, and Vice-President Jean Cohen (above left) pose in the Boots-N-Bloomers club dress while Bob Southern (above right) cues the club through an intricate maneuver.



Patti Rae

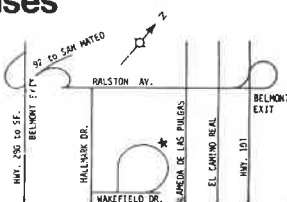
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PROMPTER ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? PUZZLER

Here are two more word puzzles from our fabulous puzzle writer, Ed Krauth. The first is for practice and the answer will be found on page 56. The second is for the Puzzler Contest and is not so easy - good luck! Answer next month.

#1 - JUST FOR FUN!

1. Ruth isn't Mrs. Green.
2. The Franks have three children.
3. Al and Mrs. Howard are each other's corner.
4. Sally Evans is Don's opposite lady.
5. Mrs. Green is Bert's corner.
6. Ursula Howard is Chuck's opposite lady.

What is Trudy's last name?

#2 - PUZZLER CONTEST ENTRY!

At the hoedown last Saturday night, two squares were formed in the following manner:

1. Don and Hank were both #2 men.
2. Edie and Donna were dancing in the same position in each square.
3. Bert and Gloria were corners.
4. Neither Ed, a #1 man, or Chuck were in the same square as Alice.
5. Clara's corner was Fran's partner.
6. Helen's partner was Alice's corner.
7. Al's corner was George's partner.
8. Position wise, if Betty and George had been in the same square, they would have been each others corner.
9. Gloria was Don's opposite lady.
10. Frank, a side man, had Donna for a right-hand lady.

Who were partners and in what position were they dancing in their square?

ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S PUZZLE



GAIL MEDDLES of San Jose. Gail is a ten year old member of the Silver Buckles. She was taught to square dance by Donn Thomson, and has been dancing with the Silver Buckles for a little over a year. Gail became interested in square dancing when she and her brother visited a workshop being attended by her parents. Gail's parents are Ed and Marilyn Meddles who dance with the Tip Toppers.

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Watch the Prompter Puzzle Page for details on our Grand Prize Drawing.

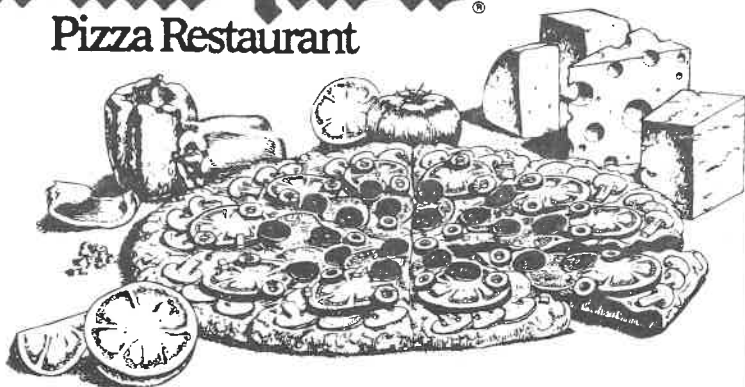
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At the CALLERLAB Convention in Kansas City, the CALLERLAB Board of Governors approved a program whereby CALLERLAB will help local callers' associations fund their educational programs. The program has been funded with \$2500.00. Callers' associations seeking financial aid are requested to contact the CALLERLAB office for a copy of the application form and further information.

GENERAL INFORMATION CALLERLAB EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FUND

CALLERLAB has made \$2500.00 available for use by local caller associations to help them in their educational programs. The following criteria for use of these funds have been established:

1. Caller associations requesting funds must be an Affiliate Association of CALLERLAB. (A copy of the Affiliation criteria was first published in May 1980 and is available through the CALLERLAB office.)

2. All applications must use the CALLERLAB form. (Available through the office.)

3. Financial assistance is limited to \$150.00 per day with a single clinic maximum not to exceed \$450.00.

4. No association may receive financial assistance for a second educational program until all other pending applications have been reviewed.

5. A committee of three, the

Chairman of the Education Committee and two other members of the Board of Governors, will comprise the screening and selection committee. The decision of the committee is final.

6. The caller conducting the clinic must be a CALLERLAB accredited Caller-Coach. If not, additional information and reasons why a Caller-Coach was not selected will have to be included in the application.

7. The sponsoring association and the Caller-Coach conducting the clinic will be required to complete an evaluation form following the clinic. This evaluation form must be returned to the CALLERLAB office no later than two weeks after the completion of the clinic.

ACCREDITED CALLER-COACHES

CALLERLAB has accredited the following Caller-Coaches:

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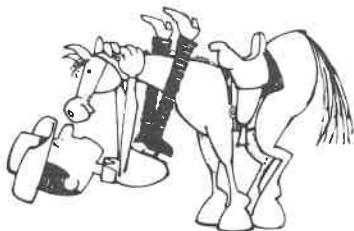
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* * * ATTENTION CLUB PRESIDENTS * * *

Please check your club listing. If it is incorrect or missing, please call us or use the form on page 59. There is NO CHARGE for this service. We believe that for the club listings to be useful, they must be up-to-date.

Club Chapter



RAFTER ROCKERS

by Tom ♥ Jeannie

Rafter Rockers caller KEN KENMILLE has a NEW TAW!!! CHRIS KENMILLE is her name -- They were married on board ship in British Columbia before leaving for the Alaskan Cruise. MIKE DEGME-TICH was Ken's Best Man and Chris' Mother was the Matron of Honor. Ken and Mike nearly weren't dressed for the wedding -- when, in the rush from the Convention, Chris packed Ken and Mike's wedding attire in the suitcases which were to be delivered to the ship later (but the suitcases arrived shortly before the wedding was to begin). And talk about leaving the Bride waiting at the altar -- the Groom's family was stuck in town and the wedding was delayed (leaving both Bride and Groom waiting at the altar) for 45 minutes. But all turned out well. Ken and Chris had written their own ceremony - which turned out lovely, and the wedding was performed by a minister from Vancouver. There were about 75 people in attendance... On the Alaskan Cruise only one out of the seven days found everyone on ship "Not Feeling Well" when a very rough storm was encountered outside of Glacier Bay. A square dance club from Juneau, Alaska danced aboard ship and gave out badges called "Glacier Worm" Badges!! ???!! Is

that anything like Mike's Banana insignia?... Each month our club sets aside a particular "Hoedown of the Month" for our entire club to attend. July's hoedown was Tapestry in Talent. A good hoedown surrounded by lots of extra attractions... The club would like to express our deepest appreciation and Thanks to JEAN & CHARLES DEWEY for always doing such a fine job on the Ice Cream Social. This is an annual club Get-Together at the DEWEYS' beautiful mountain home and includes BBQing, square dancing, amateur club calling, and homemade ice cream. The club always looks forward to this event... We have club members going on a River Raft Trip down the American River and a campout is being planned at Casa de Fruta on the weekend of July 24 when KEN will be calling... The club has already started working hard and strong on the Muscular Dystrophy Campaign. At the flea market last year we made \$600, and this year we hope to match that or better!!... The club is dancing at Union School all summer on Wednesdays from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- you're welcome to join us. And our Plus 1/Plus 2 workshop is held on Mondays from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Keep dancing!!

PEPPY STEPPERS

by Mac & Jen McCausland

There's never a dull moment at the Peppy Steppers -- well, almost never. Recently we graduated our beginners class. In only nine short months JOHNNY has been able to turn awkward, ungainly people with two left feet into svelte, sophisticated, cubic choreographers... The graduation ceremonies were upper lowbrow and hilarious. JOHNNY ROBERTSON and CLYDE COOK (both with grade 2 dignity) were the officials whose duty it was to seat the poor unsuspecting graduate on the floor in front of an innocent looking puddle of water. This is not as easy as it might sound and does take the abilities of a fast talking caller to effect. The graduate is given a

pair of plastic forks with which to defend himself and the plot is explained to the poor boob. The graduate, thinking that at last he is going to get the chance to get even with the pesty caller, receives the surprise of his life when he is suddenly slid bodily to, and through, the chilly puddle. Everyone dies laughing and the next victim is called in. It is an interesting study of the psychology of matrimonial fidelity in that not one wife warned her husband or vice versa. In fact, most of them wanted to help set the victim up. After the soggy ceremony all the grads were given their certificates and their "Peppy Toddlers" badges were exchanged for the more sophisticated "Peppy Steppers" discs. The new graduates, who had not had a Friday night off in the past nine months, celebrated their new status by going camping the following Friday night. That left us with two skinny squares. (A skinny square is where you have to use a man as a woman or vice versa.)... The club hierarchy is concerned that no one has worn the club outfit for the past several weeks now. In fact, the only evidence of the club colors is the suggestion box, and usually someone manages to drop a coat or a shawl over it. Most suggestions are made verbally and loudly anyway, and most of them cast serious doubts on the caller's ancestry and ability for the most part... Anyone who would like to improve his/her Plus 1, Plus 2 dancing is invited to join Johnny Robertson and the Jokers at the American Legion hall on Wednesday evenings. With the best caller in the valley, and the best floor, how could you not improve greatly?

KATYDIDS

by Connie & Tom

The National Convention, attended by several Katydid couples, was an enjoyable event. Seattle is a beautiful city. It was so nice to see so many of our friends from the Katydids among the 25,000 plus who attended the convention... CONNIE and I, along with DICK & -August 1981-

JEAN WALL, BILL & BOBBIE DAVIS and AL & MAXINE VIEH-WEGER decided on the Convention and North to Alaska package. This tour was planned by NORMA & MIKE DEGNETICH and HONEY & CHUCK WOLFSON, along with Almaden Travel, and was well planned and a very memorable event. If, in the future, you have the opportunity to go on any trip planned by these folks, I am sure you will have a great time. A few of the highlights were: the wedding of KEN KENMILLE and CHRIS WILLIAMS on the ship just before sailing for Alaska; dancing on the ship, on the Glacier, and on the airplane to such great callers as HONEY WOLFSON, MIKE DEGNETICH, BILL DAVIS, DOROTHY JUNTITI, and KEN KENMILLE. We are looking forward to more of these trips in the future.

SILVER DOLLARS

by Hugh Robinson

Don't know what the folks back home are doing, but the half of the club that partook of the National had a ball! Ten RV'ers had a fun trip up to Seattle following California Lady, BARBARA CYR. Past President RED NULL lead part of the group to Coos Bay. We celebrated DON & CAROL DeCARLI'S 30th Anniversary with a salmon feed, courtesy of the fishermen who got their limit in Astoria. Silver Dollars were well represented

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Trade Buy

The Prompter publishes Classified Advertisements as a service to readers. The 1st of each month is the deadline for the following month's issue. The rates for classified ads are:

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DATE	CALLER(S)	LVL	SCHOOL	SPONSOR CLUB	CITY
JAN 23	Peters	Sep	--	Square Hoppers	Los Gatos

MAINSTREAM PROMPTER

DATE	CALLER(S)	LVL	SCHOOL	SPONSOR CLUB	CITY
*Anniversary Hoedown					
SEP 12	Degmetich/Kenmille	--	--	Silver Dollars	--
19*	Klassen	+2	--	B's N B's - S.M.	--
19	Stevens/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
26*	Abbott	+2	Live Oak	Barnyard Bumpers	Morgan Hill
OCT 3	Hull/Peters	+2	--	Square Hoppers	Los Gatos
17	Dibble, R./Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
17	Hoffman/Kerns	+2	--	Krazy Dazys	Cupertino
25*	Welsh/Wrights	+2	--	Longhorns	--
31	Whing Ding	--	--	SCVSDA	--
NOV 14*	Hansford/Wylie	+2	--	Twirling Sands	--
14	Carnes	+2	--	Boots & Garters	San Jose
21*	Fleeman/Oburn	--	--	Highland Hillbillies	San Jose
21	Welsh/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
28	Carnes/Brown	+2	--	Spinning Wheels	Los Altos
DEC 5	Stevens/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
5	--	--	--	Silver Dollars	--
12*	Kenmille/Last Train				
	Home/Tullus	+1	--	Cross Trailers	Palo Alto
19*	Wickers	+1	--	Dancers' Choice	San Jose
31	Garvey/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
JAN 30	Whing Ding	--	--	SCVSDA	--

ADVANCED PROMPTER

DATE	CALLER(S)	LVL	SCHOOL	SPONSOR CLUB	CITY
SEP 19	Stevens/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
OCT 17	Dibble, R./Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
NOV 21	Welsh/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
DEC 5	Stevens/Davis	Adv	--	Top 8's	San Jose
31	Garvey/Davis	Adv	Comm Ctr	Top 8's/P.I.P.	Saratoga

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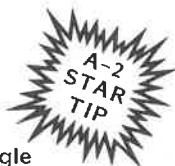
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CIRCULATIN' (from page 22)

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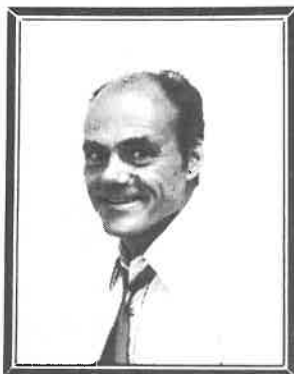
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lers' strike. By the way, if you're scheduled for a "snack flight" on Air California, eat before you get on the plane!

It definitely wasn't hot in Seattle; it had been raining for three weeks. No wonder everything in Washington is so green - it's mold! We saw a great T-Shirt: "Washingtonians Don't Wear Out - They Rust!" But the old square dance magic worked. On Wednesday, when the majority of dancers arrived, the sun came out and we had beautiful weather for the entire Convention.

Phil covers the National Convention in "Publisher's Patter" elsewhere in this issue. All we'll say here is that there was more than enough dancing for everyone.

On Friday night we joined the Jubilaires for dinner in the Space Needle. Good food, great company, and a terrific view of some beautiful country. Rick Shuart must

learn, however, not to lean his head on his hand, especially when his elbow is resting on a revolving wall! Come to think about it, Rick was doing the revolving and not the wall! (That's right, Honey, either the buildings outside were going around, or we were!)

Saturday morning we joined Mike and Norma Degmetich, Bill and Bobbie Davis, and seventy plus dancers for the bus trip to Vancouver, B.C. where we boarded the ss Statendam for a seven day cruise to Alaska through the inland passage. It was an unbelievable experience and we'll be sharing it with you through words and pictures during the coming months.

On July 4th we flew back to San Jose and reality. We really should have brought our waiter and cabin steward back with us. After all, who's going to bring us breakfast in bed now?

3RD SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 19

7:30 - 12:00 A.M.

PLUS 2 LEVEL

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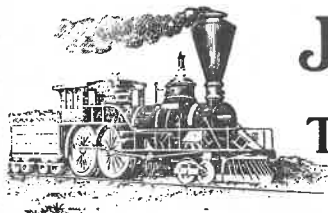
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CHATTER (from page 29)

throughout the three day Nationals program including the Guinness Book of Record try for the biggest square dance ever -- talk about a crowded floor! Congratulations to DON LEWIS for some super calling at the National. We'll be telling stories and passing pictures around for months! Happy Dancing!

SPINNING WHEELS

by Lorrayne & Mark

With the coming of summer, quite a few couples have taken off on vacation. The new Board held its first meeting at the President's (RAY WOODS) and his taw's (HELEN) lovely home in Sunnyvale. JEANNE TRUAX did an excellent job of Secretarying for LORRETA SCHICK who is on vacation with her BILL... CHARLIE BROWN will be calling at Camp Castanoan for the club on August 2nd at 7:30 p.m. ED DOBBS has made arrangements for the Spinning Wheels to dance at the Cripple Children's Camp again this year. This is always an especially rewarding experience... All club members are looking forward to the August 9th picnic at the Palo Alto Elk's Club. BILL BLUNK was able to schedule us in there for a good time with activities scheduled for all ages. It is from 1 - 8 p.m. with the Barbeque at 4 p.m. CHARLIE BROWN will be calling and JIM MUELLER is the guest accordionist... Orchids go to IRV & LOU MARTIN for signing up early for

ticket booth duty for the Jubilee in October. Only 7 more couples need apply at the time of writing. Don't all rush to put down your names... JIM & FRAN WALKER have taken a leave of absence through November 1981. The club is anxiously waiting their return... Club members can check with DON VAN STRATTEN for tickets for the upcoming JOE JOHNSTON Telethon for Muscular Dystrophy... In closing, all you Spinning Wheel Spinners are requested to be at the Santa Clara County Fair on August 6th in full regalia. That is the date the SCVSDA has assigned for our club dancing. Look for all of us - we'll be there in our club attire.

LUCKY STEPPERS

by Suzanne Clark

We would like to congratulate all our new club officers who will take office July 1, 1981. We wish them a good year to come. They were honored with a potluck dinner, June 7, at the home of DEAN & MARY ALYS BARNES. We would like to thank the Barnes' for opening up their beautiful country setting for us all to enjoy... Our first "Slab", with HAROLD, was a great success. Even the lights cooperated. The weather was really great, too. Hope to see you all this summer sometime... Next month you'll be hearing from our new Publicity officers, PEG & BILL NORRIS. I know they will keep you all well informed. Thank you for reading! MIKE & SUZANNE CLARK.

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BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTESS SAN MATEO

by Elsie Barnes

Our dancers who attended the Chicken Hop at Boulder Creek thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Was it because of the crowd inside or did a square of our Bachelors 'N' Bachelorettes decide to earn a Sandflea Fun badge by "squaring up" on the sand outside the Firehouse? Graduation night was another happy event with a certain favorite caller having his shirt snatched by some of the class members. We're glad to have our new dancers in the Club. With our group back from the beautiful Northwest and the National Convention in Seattle and our "Monday Night Special" but a memory, we are enjoying "The Good Old Summertime".

SQUARES & FLARES

by Earl & Lois

We are dancing at the South Side Community Center on Cottle Road across from IBM in San Jose for the summer -- Come on over and say hi!... Our Vice-Presidents, CAROLYN & ROGER HAAHEIM, are enjoying themselves on a cruise to Tahiti. We're all anxiously waiting for a demonstration in Tahitian dancing... Congratulations to our caller, "Daddy White Boots" JAY KLASSEN, for making the Top Ten Callers list. JAY, his wife MILLIE, and family went to the National in Seattle. Hope they showed them how it's done in California!... We want to thank our guest caller, HERB JACKSON, for putting up with us while Jay was away. We do wish he'd teach us his favorite call, though. "Mercy, mercy, mercy" was a new call to us!... This was also our badge dance. We wore all the badges we had. Some had so many that they had to take their badge sashes off to dance. All of the owners of these badges contributed to our sheriff's fund. One party comin' up!

-August 1981-

SUNNYVALE SINGLES

by Flo Lorimer

This has been a great summer for Sunnyvale Singles. First of all, GARY CARNES signed nearly 100 certificates for the successful graduates of our 80/81 class. That same week, wearing our leather horseshoe badge, they joined us in staging our 22nd Anniversary dance, when nearly 400 dancers enjoyed the great calling of KIP GARVEY and devoured our strawberry shortcake. IVY DALE hosted a big afterparty. Chairman TOM JONSSON thanks everyone, guests and club members, who helped to make it such a memorable evening... As this goes to press we are preparing for our annual picnic and campout at Casa de Fruta, which is being chaired by PATTY SERIO. We are going to miss Patty -- she and STEVE NATION have announced their engagement; wedding to take place in September. Steve has been busy coordinating a white water raft trip for 43 of our members -- also a July event. It will be a lucky club that acquires this pair!! Our next big event will be the annual Hayride, Bar-B-Q and barn dance, which is always a sellout. Then it will be down to business again, getting organized for our Fall class which begins September 15th. If you have any single friends who would like to learn to square dance, tell them about us!!

SQUARE HOPPERS

by Shirley Hall

Sizzling steaks, salad, cool liquid, and watermelon highlighted our recently held annual picnic. In addition, there was swimming, games, musical entertainment, and, of course, plenty of square dancing. Several families took advantage of the beautiful weather and camped overnight. A great time was had by all... On graduation night our beginners were honored with punch and cake, then invited to join the club. A hearty

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welcome is extended to these new members... Many of us were able to attend the festivities in Seattle. It was gratifying to see so many dancers, callers and exhibition groups representing our state and county. What a marvelous feeling it was to dance in unison with folks from all over the country, and to know that we all share in the exhilaration of this wonderful active hobby.

MAVERICKS

by Len & Betty Iacovazzi

The Mavericks are dancing at a different school for the summer, which is Oster School at 1855 Lencar Way, San Jose... The club is pleased with our newer members joining us at our dances... Our caller, HERB JACKSON, called at Casa de Fruta on June 27th. A lot of the members made it a campout for the weekend and some of us made it for a potluck BBQ and then a fine evening of dancing and socializing... The National Convention held in Seattle, Washington was attended by the MURPHYS, PEDRONS, CORTESIS, and ROSE LINSMEIER, who went with her niece... An outing at Zuger's ranch in Hollister was enjoyed by a few of the members, with HERB JACKSON ending up with a new jump suit since his old one got kind of ripped off... Hope everyone had a happy Fourth of July.

LONGHORNS

by Carl Fry

Longhorns was well represented at the National Convention, those attending: HAROLD & VERA DOWDY, DAN & CLAIRE URRERE, and DON SHORE wagontrained to Seattle with their campers stopping at Shasta, Corvallis (where they square danced), Olympia Washington to sample the mineral water, then onward to Seattle. Traveling by other methods: JOE & JAN PARKS, KEITH & MARY KELLY, JIM & HELEN STEWART, HENRY & CLEO MANNING, and WIN & PAT OVIATT... Travelers: John & Mary

Johnson, Newport Beach; Maynard & Violet Bahre, rowing on Lake Donner; Russell & Leotta Cunningham, Washington D.C. and Missouri; Don & Jane Shore, Henry & Fern Rideout, Dan & Claire Urrere and Henry & Cleo manning a week-end of fishing on Don Pedro Lake with the Belmont Trailer Club; Marian & Harvey Long spent a month wandering around Mexico (rumor has it they were lost)... Long-time Longhorns MR. & MRS. WALTER DAVOLI recently entertained 125 relatives and friends with a buffet dinner and dance in honor of their 15th wedding anniversary.

SURF TWIRLERS

by Barbara M. Sheen

New officers have been elected. SAM HASH is the President; DEWEY ANDERSON, Vice-President and Sheriff; JUDY BIANCHI, Secretary; and CARROLL BAKER, Treasurer... The club celebrated its Silver Anniversary in May. Thirty-five squares attended the dinner-dance which was decorated in a County Fair theme. The Fun Committee was responsible for the spectacular decorations of rides, booths and farm animals. A special thanks to MEGAN FENGAL for creating and drawing the motif... May was also the month of the club's Mystery Trip. A busload of Surf Twirlers found themselves near Modesto with the Squarenaders. RON WELSH, the Squarenaders' caller, and the host group were especially welcoming and the group had a terrific time... A special thanks to HAROLD FLEEMAN for substituting for BOB McVEY, our club caller, for the month of July... July 29th, the Surf Twirlers danced under the stars at Ben Lomond Park. A family picnic with that good old mountain hospitality preceded the dancing... The annual club family campout will take place August 21-23 at Oakwood Lake in Manteca. It's time to practice the campfire songs, buy some new wicks for the lanterns and shake out the sleeping bags.

-The Prompter-

BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTES SAN JOSE

by Bert Pye

Summertime and the dancin' is easy, but the club activities continue at their usual high energy pace! We welcomed as a new member, RON NICHOLAS. Enjoyed our evening at the Ben Lomond Slab with JAY doing the honors. Those dancers who got their second wind had at it again during the Tapes-try In Talent when JAY again called, aided and abetted by his good buddy, "UNCLE" HAROLD FLEEMAN!... Mid-month found many of our members aboard the charter bus heading for the outstanding barbecue and dance at Grass Valley. The Superior California Association does a superlative job, and this event gets more pleasant every year... Some of our number were present at a "special" general membership meeting -- and potluck -- held at the spacious mobile home of EDNA & JOHN McKINNEY. There's nothing like having an excuse for potluck, is there?... Too early for the results in this issue, but as July drew to a close we elected our new chapter officers for the next six months.

GOLD NUGGETS

by Doris

Our club graduated eight couples at a combined "fun" and serious ceremony on June 3. They are JERRY & LORRAINE HATFIELD, CLAY & NOLA DUNMAN, MYRNA & TOM LORGE, LORRIE & CHUCK LOUIS, BOB & CAROL MASON, CHUCK & TRENNA WALTERS, DAVE & SHARON WOTRING and BOB & SHIRLEY WREYFORD. A great time was had by all at our Beginner's Hoedown on June 6. Fifteen couples from the Gold Nuggets and Gold Dusters attended the Caller's Appreciation Dance at Wilcox and Peterson Schools on May 30. Great dance and excellent, excellent refreshments. Eleven couples from the club attended the

Nationals in Seattle, including our caller DON LEWIS & Taw. Many were continuing on to other vacation spots for a week, so our club took a two week vacation from dancing. We will resume on July 8 through September 2 at Casa Del Lago Mobile Home Club House on Oakland Road. On September 9 we will be back "home" at Franklin School on Tully Road.

BOOTS & GARTERS

by Bob Eidson

June was a fun month! There was the Ice Cream Fling Thing (yumm, yum), Flower Fling (with WADE DRIVER!), and the Boots and Garters' First Annual Cookout. The Cookout/Picnic was at Santa Teresa Park. DON GRANT organized this affair and was assisted in the cooking by GENE FRANKS and FRED HENSON. Along with the scrumptious food we had some of the usual picnic games: softball, frisbee, volleyball, Scrabble(?), and would you believe, rope jumping? I know at least one of us hadn't jumped a rope (turned by two people) in about 35 years... Volleyball attracted the most participants, and a mini tournament was organized -- with nearly everybody involved. The level of play was surprisingly good, and everyone had a ball (sorry 'bout that). We're already looking forward to the Second Annual Cookout.

BOWS & BEAUS

by Richard Ittner

On the first Saturday of June, the Bows & Beaus held their 9th Annual Ice Cream Fling Thing at Cubberly High School. Three hundred and seventy-two guests danced to the able calling of BILL DAVIS and HAROLD FLEEMAN and rounds by KOIT & HELEN TULLUS. During intermission, our guests enjoyed 33 gallons of genuine homemade vanilla, chocolate, chocolate chip mint, lemon cream and strawberry ice cream, along with large platters of cookies. Club members felt the hoedown was a

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DIRECTORY OF ROUND DANCE CLUBS

MONDAY

- DIAMOND ROUNDS - S.D.E.S. Hall, 30846 Watkins Street, UNION CITY; Inter, Classics 7:30 - 10 p.m.; June & Millard McKinney - 656-7393.
- GOLDEN SLIPPERS - S.F.V. Hall, 361 Villa Street, MOUNTAIN VIEW; 8 - 10 p.m.; Clark & Maxine Smith - 493-2069.
- HAPPY HEARTS - Danceland, 158 South 2nd St. (enter 3rd St.), SAN JOSE; S/D, EZ, Workshop 8:00, Workshop 10 - 10:30 p.m.; Dwain & Judy Sechrist - 263-2931.
- HAPPY ROUNDERS - Frandor Hall, 4448 Sisk Road, SALIDA; 8 - 10 p.m.; Easy Frank & Doris McDonald - (209) 521-5719.
- LEGATO ROUNDS - Senior Citizens Center, 266 Escuela Ave., MOUNTAIN VIEW; Basics 7, ROM, EZ, Classics 8:30 - 10 p.m.; Lone & Joe Yetka - 243-3893.
- REDWOOD ROUNDS - Carpenters Hall, Broadway & Cassia, REDWOOD CITY; Easy, ROM 8 - 10 p.m.; Jack & Ione Kern - 321-4005 or 493-4064.
- ROYAL ROUNDS - Fremont Comm Cntr, Paseo Padre Blvd., Lake Elizabeth, EZ, Inter, Classics FREMONT; 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.; Bill & Collette Weber - 797-8583.
- STAR ROUNDS - Community Center, 550 E. Remington, SUNNYVALE; 8 - Inter to Adv 10 p.m., Review/Workshop 7:35; Koit & Helen Tullus - 736-1188.
- SUNSHINE ROUNDS - Southgate Community Cntr., Chiplay & Sleepy Hollow, ROM Plus HAYWARD; 7:30 - 9:45 p.m., Harley & Ann Vernon - 783-2658.

TUESDAY

- BANJO WHEELS - Vineland School, Idylwild Center, 1444 Blossom Hill Road EZ, ROM, Classics (between Almaden & Camden), SAN JOSE; 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.; Jim & Barbara Barnes - 224-3826 or 267-9459.
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- SMILE-A-ROUNDS - Friendly Inn, Crest Avenue, MORGAN HILL; Workshop EZ, ROM, Classics 7:15, Club 8 - 10 p.m.; Ethel & Stan Bieda - 779-7422.
- STAR ROUNDS - I.F.E.S. Hall, 432 Stierlin Road, MOUNTAIN VIEW; 8 - 10 Easy, Inter p.m., Review/Workshop 7:30; Koit & Helen Tullus - 736-1188.
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Tuesday Cont.

SUNSHINE ROUNDS - Fremont U.S.D. Office, 40775 Fremont Boulevard,
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WEDNESDAY

BASIC R/D CLASS - S.F.V. Hall, 361 Villa Street, **MOUNTAIN VIEW**; 8 -
EZ, ROM 10 p.m.; Clark & Maxine Smith - 493-2069.

ROYAL ROUNDS - San Felipe Rec Center, 2058 D Street, **HAYWARD**; 8 - 10
Inter, Adv p.m.; Bill & Collette Weber - 797-8583.

STAR ROUNDS - Washington Park, 840 W. Washington Ave., **SUNNYVALE**;
S/D, EZ, Classics 7:30 - 10 p.m.; Koit & Helen Tullus - 736-1188.

WHEELEROUNDS - Fisher Jr. High, Roberts Road, **LOS GATOS**; 2nd Wed.
EZ, ROM, Classics Classic Workshop at Daves Avenue School; Beginners
Class 7 - 8:30; Club 8:30 - 10:15 p.m.; Mike & Norma
Degmetich - 374-6148.

THURSDAY

BANJO WHEELS - Vineland (Idylwild) School, 1444 Blossom Hill, **SAN JOSE**;
Inter 7:30 - 10 p.m., Party 5th Thursday; Bill Heckman -
267-9459; Jim & Barbara Barnes - 224-3826.

GOLDEN SQUARES - Mitchell Park Community Center, 3800 Middlefield Road,
Beg **PALO ALTO**; 1 - 3 p.m.; Beginners Rounds on 8 Week
Cycles; Ken Dibble - (415)493-2709.

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EZ, ROM, Classics Workshop 7:30, Club 8 - 10 p.m.; Ethel & Stan Bieda
- 779-7422; Salinas - 422-4301.

STAR ROUNDS - Carpenters Hall, Broadway & Cassia, **REDWOOD CITY**;
Adv/Challenge 8 - 10 p.m., Review/Workshop 7:35; Koit & Helen
Tullus - 736-1188.

MOVING . . . ??



IF YOU ARE MOVING, DON'T FORGET TO SEND A CHANGE OF
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ALLOW 6 WEEKS FOR ADDRESS CHANGES TO BECOME EFFECTIVE.

DIRECTORY OF ROUND DANCE CLUBS

FRIDAY

LITTLE HOUSE ROUND DANCERS - Little House, 800 Middle Ave., MENLO
ROM, EZ-Inter, PARK; 9 - 10 a.m.; Ken Dibble - (415) 493-2709.

SILVER SLIPPERS - S.F.V. Hall, 361 Villa, MOUNTAIN VIEW; 8 - 10 p.m.;
ROM, EZ, Classics Clark & Maxine Smith - 493-2069.

STAR ROUNDS - (1st & 3rd Fridays Only) Carpenters Hall, Broadway &
Inter, Adv Cassia, REDWOOD CITY; Request Reviews 7:30, All
Requests (no teach) 8 - 10:30 p.m.; Koit & Helen Tullus
- 736-1188.

SUNDAY

STAR ROUNDS - S.F.V. Hall, 361 Villa Street, MOUNTAIN VIEW; 8 - 10
Inter, Adv p.m., Review/Workshop 7:35; Koit & Helen Tullus -
736-1188.

FASHION (from page 8)

following materials: "Future" floor wax (or any of the acrylic floor waxes which will not yellow), and a round oil pan (look for a clean new one out in the garage, or use the bathtub or a large sink). Dip the clean petticoat into the pan into which you've poured about one quart of acrylic floor wax. Make sure the whole petticoat is saturated. Pull upward by the waistband, allowing the floor wax to drip into the pan (save the excess wax to reuse another time). When dripping has ceased, shake lightly, then spread petticoat over an old open umbrella. Preferably dry the petticoat outside on the patio (not in direct sunlight); but if weather is inclement, spread papers on the floor under the umbrella to catch wayward drips of floor wax. Dry thoroughly before removing; your petticoat will be stiff for weeks.

A second way of stiffening is to use powdered milk. Yep, that's right, powdered milk!! Mix 1 cup Carnation (doesn't leave an odor) powdered milk with 3 cups water; blend well. Dip petticoat in mixture and allow to soak up all of the mixture. Spread out to dry. The milk may tend to stain an umbrella or carpeting, so be prepared.

Fishermen beware!! Your wives

may be dipping into your 30 lb. test monofilament fish line any day now!! Zigzag stitch the line to all tiers of your petticoat along the seams. A 100 yard spool will usually do one petticoat. Washing will not effect the line except for hot water. Extremely hot temperatures tend to shrink the line. This is Marti's favorite method of revitalizing a petticoat.

Here's another idea that works! Use 3 oz. of Elmer's White Glue to 3 quarts of water. Dunk the petticoat, thoroughly saturating the skirt, and allow to drip excess liquid. Spread over your umbrella and dry.

If you don't want to be bothered with the dip and dry methods, try this one. Wash and spin dry your petticoat. Lay it on a flat surface or on a hanger and spray each layer with spray starch. Quickly place in dryer and dry at a low temperature for a couple of minutes. One can of spray usually does three petticoats.

Marti and I hope these ideas will help you save that favorite petticoat. If you have a secret formula you'd like to share with us on adding pouf to your petticoat, send it our way! New ideas are always welcome!

CHATTER (from page 45)

great success... Congratulations to FRANK WHITNEY and ANDALEEN MANGUM who were married on June 20... Congratulations are also in order for the newly elected officers of the club. They are: SUELLYN MURPHY, President; RICHARD ITTNER, Vice-President; CARL BALLOU, Secretary; BETTY REID, Treasurer; and KARL KAMINSKI, Chief Delegate.

GILROY GLIDERS

by Earl & Lois

Thanks to each of you who came to our 32nd Anniversary Hoedown with JERRY HELT... Several of our club members went to the National in Seattle. Some were going on the Alaskan Cruise. Maybe they'll bring back an iceburg or an igloo and cool things off!... Our caller, KEN DIBBLE, will have graduated our class by the time this goes to press. We want to congratulate them and welcome them into the club... Some of us visited the Mavericks and HERB JACKSON at Casa de Fruta where Herb was heard doing his favorite call, "Mercy". He never did explain how to do it, though... Beware! all of you outlaws out there! We now have a Sheriff and an "official" pettispants watcher! The keeper of the key to these fines and the under "skirted" watcher are ROSE & JOHN MCGLOTHIN, respectively.

SWINGIN' SAINTS

by Kathy Paivinen

Congratulations to all those who graduated from Swingin' Saints beginners' class on May 29th!... Saints' annual picnic at Casa de Fruta on June 6 was a great success. The barbecued chicken was delicious and the homemade ice cream was particularly good and refreshing in the hot weather. Entertainment was provided by the Blossom Hill Cloggers -- among the cloggers was Saint DON ANDREWS, who really kicked up his heels. Two Saints, DICK OLSEN and LEON LONG, tried their hands at

calling -- we all enjoyed dancing to them... Swingin' Saints would like to welcome new members: DON RICHERSON, CLAY & DELORES PICO, and GEORGE & SALLY WESTBROOK.

MAINLINER STARDUSTERS

by Kay Sullivan

After dancing, most members went to a fast food shop to wish "Good Speed" to those going to Seattle. CONNIE & BILL BALLINGER and JEAN & DOYLE YOUNGS were discussing R.V. starting time. Jean suggested 1 a.m. to avoid the heat. Bill voted for 12 noon. He wanted to eat breakfast before driving... Our President, MARY SHEEHAN, after suffering "Will They or Not Go On Strike Blues", flew to Sea-Tac Wednesday morning to be there for End of the Trail Dance with Asilomar friends that evening in Seattle... Stay-at-homers enjoyed dancing with Cable Car, Highland Swinger and Silver Slipper members... RITA, LEN, LOREN, SARKI get well.

RHYTHM STEPPERS

by Jon & Susan Sanborn

We are dancing at Santa Rita Elementary School during the summer months -- many of our dancers have been enjoying visiting and dancing at different clubs and events. A highlight that we all enjoyed was the Sage Stompers' Silver Anniversary dance. A few brave souls braved the hot, hot weather at Sonora for the "Cup of Gold" dance. Some of our dancers and our caller made the trek to Seattle for the Nationals... The Rhythm Steppers is hosting the Rodeo Afterparty at the Masonic Temple complete with Sloppy Joes at a nominal cost. The afterparty follows the FREE Rodeo Dance, July 17th at the Salinas Armory in downtown Salinas, with caller JERRY HELT... Hope to see all of you at the Rodeo Dance and Afterparty.

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DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

MONDAY

BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTES - North Shoreview School, 1301 Cypress,
(+2) **SAN MATEO**; 8 - 10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Robert Fariss -
Sngls 349-8799 or For Info: Elsie - 573-1636; Caller, Bill Peters - 253-
2686.

BOOTSWINGERS - John Muir Jr. High School, 1260 Branham Lane, SAN
(+1) **JOSE**; 7 - 10 p.m., No Party Night; Kathleen Tavalacci - 266-
Teens 7981; Caller, Ruben Alcalá - 378-1893.

BOWS & BEAUS - Whisman School, 310 Easy Street, MOUNTAIN VIEW;
(+2) Rounds 7:30, Squares 8 - 10:15 p.m., No Party Night; Suellyn
Sngls Murphy - (408)244-6190; Caller, Honey Wolfson (408)629-1492.

CALLERS CHOICE - San Ramon Valley Methodist Church, 902 Danville Blvd.,
(A1,A2) **ALAMO**, 7:30 - 10:30 p.m., 1st & 3rd - A-1 & A-2, 2nd & 4th -
+2 & A-1; Info - (415)682-7298; Caller, Dick Houlton.

CRUZ 'N SINGLES - Soquel Grange Hall, Porter Street, SOQUEL; Class 7,
(+2) Club 8:30 - 10 p.m., No Party Night; Sarah Scovell - 462-5623;
Sngls Caller, Lorin Brown - 629-0750.

DO SA DOES & DUDES - Moose Lodge, 121A Monterey Street, SALINAS;
(+2) 7 - 10 p.m., Party Night Quarterly; Pearl Ingram - 449-5812;
Caller, Jim Briscoe - 443-4371.

GOLDEN STATE ROAD RUNNERS - Washington School, Iverson & Lang,
(+1) **SALINAS**; 7:30 - 10 p.m., Party 5th Monday; Les Parker -
(408) 422-4301; Caller, Bob McVey - (408) 899-1047.

MT. VIEW SENIOR CENTER SQUARES - Mt. View Senior Center, 266 Escuela
(Beg) Ave., MOUNTAIN VIEW; 10 a.m. - 12 noon; New Classes on 8
Week Cycles; Caller, Ken Dibble - (415)493-2709.

MT. VIEW SENIOR CENTER SQUARES - Mt. View Senior Center, 266 Escuela
(QS+) Ave., MOUNTAIN VIEW; 1 - 3 p.m.; QS Level, Some +1, +2;
Caller, Ken Dibble - (415)493-2709.

RANCHO ROMPERS - Collins Junior High, 10401 Vista Drive, CUPERTINO;
(MS) Class 7, Club 8:30 - 9:30, No Party Night; Caller, Paul Connes -
PreTeen 241-4164.

SUNDANCE KIDS - Call for Summer Location - SAN JOSE; 7 - 9 p.m., Party
(MS) 4th Monday; Terry - Dark for Summer 221-6146; Caller, Bob Robey -
PreTeen 238-4406.

TUESDAY

ACEY DEUCEYS - Ross School, Ross & Andover, SAN JOSE; A-2 APD 7:00,
(A-1*) A-1 Workshop in Progress 8 - 10 p.m., Party 4th Tuesday; Bob
Cpl/Sgl & Lori Reed - 265-7084; Caller, Honey Wolfson - 629-1492.

ADOBE WELLDIGGERS - Adobe Wells Mobile Home Park, 1220 Tasman Drive,
(+2) **SUNNYVALE**; 7:30 - 10 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Wayne Kennedy
- 745-3024; Caller, Art Davis - 948-7689.

BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTES - Rogers Jr. High, 4835 Doyle Road,
(+2) **SAN JOSE**; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Gene Smith -
Sngls 268-1384; Caller, Jay Klassen - 734-4831.

BAYWOOD PROMENADERS - South Gate Recreation Center, Sleepy Hollow,
() **HAYWARD**; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 1st Tuesday; John Romell -
276-3769; Caller, Jack Logan - 582-5686.

DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

Tuesday Cont.

BOOTS 'N' BLOOMERS - Ayer High School, 1331 East Calaveras, MILPITAS;
(+2) Class 7, Club 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Jan Littlefield -
262-7043; Caller, Bob Southern - 268-4077.

CIRCULATORS - Lind Hall, 621 Masonic Way, BELMONT; 8:30 - 10:30 p.m.,
(+2) No Party Night; Marge Walker - (415) 365-1418; Caller, Gene
Brakeman - 267-2333.

COUNTRY SQUARE TWIRLERS - Gilroy Community Center, 6th & Hanna,
(+1) GILROY; Class 7:30 - 9, Club 9 - 10 p.m., Party 4th Tuesday;
Cpl/Sgl Vince Fisher; Caller, Johnny Robertson - 847-1366.

DANCERS' CHOICE - John Muir Jr. High School, 1260 Branham Lane, SAN
(+2) JOSE; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Bob & Barbara Roberts
- 423-2735; Caller, Harold Fleeman - 423-0646.

GOLDEN SQUARES - Mitchell Park Community Center, 3800 Middlefield Road,
(+2+) PALO ALTO; 1 - 3 p.m.; +2 with some Advanced, Invitation Only;
Caller, Ken Dibble - (415) 493-2709.

LITTLE HOUSE SQUARE DANCERS - Little House, 800 Middle Ave., MENLO
(Beg) PARK; 10 a.m. - 12 noon; New Classes on 8 Week Cycles; Caller,
Ken Dibble - (415) 493-2709.

LONGHORNS - Mainliner Club, 4031 Pacific Boulevard, SAN MATEO: 7:30 -
(+2) 10:15 p.m., Party 1st Tuesday; Don & Jane Shore - (415) 368-
0250; Caller, Blake Westman - (415) 345-2454.

RIPPLING SQUARES - Soquel Grange Hall, Porter Street, SOQUEL; 8 -
(+2) 10:30 p.m., Party 5th Tuesday; Caller, John Cadiente - 475-1799.

ROADRUNNERS - Beresford Rec Center, 2720 Alameda de las Pulgas, SAN
(+2) MATEO; 8 - 10 p.m., No Party Night; Frank Palumbo - (415)
341-4557; Caller, Robert Algea - (415) 364-2445.

SAGE STOMPERS - Seaside Multi-Use Center, 986 Hilby Avenue, SEASIDE;
(+2) 7:30 - 10 p.m., Party 5th Tuesday; Charles Swanson - (408) 394-
3955 or M. Gayman - (408) 394-8751; Caller, Jeanne Briscoe -
(408) 443-4371.

SAN LORENZO SINGLES - Winton Jr. High, Soto Road & Winton Avenue,
(+1) HAYWARD; 7:30 - 10:30 p.m., Party 1st Tuesday; Charlotte
Sngls Woodward - 782-5572; Caller, Richard Mansfield - 651-1413.

SILVER BUCKLES - Valley View School, 1290 Kimberly Drive, SAN JOSE;
(+1) 7 - 9 p.m., No Party Night; Phil & Jan Rood - 263-8880; Caller,
PreTeen Donn Thomson - 578-5807.

SKIRTS & FLIRTS - American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, CAMPBELL;
(+2) 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 4th Tuesday; Bernice Stowell - 356-9909;
Caller, Arlan Wight - 725-0328.

SUES 'N' QUES - Los Altos Youth Center, 1 N. San Antonio, LOS ALTOS;
(+2) 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Tuesday; Lloyd Hlavka - 494-7736;
Caller, Vicki Woods-Antrim - 341-1867.

TOWNSHIP TWIRLERS - Centerville Jr. High, 37720 Fremont Boulevard,
(QS) FREMONT; 7:30 - 10 p.m., No Party Night; Jim Calvin - 794-
6389; Caller, Jim Osborne - 487-3349.

DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

WEDNESDAY

ANDANTE SQUARES - Carson School, 1054 Carson Drive, SUNNYVALE;
(+2) 8 - 10 p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Larry Trotter - 253-6698;
Caller, Duane Nelson - 253-9995.

BELLE SWINGERS - Cumberland School, 824 Cumberland Dr., SUNNYVALE;
(+1) 8 - 10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Ted Hall - 968-6584; Caller,
Wayne Janssen - (415) 796-1595.

BOOTS & GARTERS - Dickinson School, 500 Shawnee Lane, SAN JOSE;
(+2) 7:30 - 10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Paul & Carol Debenedetto
- 224-2188; Caller, Auditioning.

CALLERS CHOICE - Danceland Ballroom, 158 S. 2nd St. (enter from 3rd),
(A1,A2) SAN JOSE; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Intro to A-1 on 1st & 3rd, Intro to
A2 on 2nd & 4th, Party 5th Wednesday; Walt & LaVerne Baker -
377-9360; Caller, Dick Houlton - (209) 462-7022.

CIRCLE EIGHTS - Milliken School, 2720 Sonoma Place, SANTA CLARA; 8 -
(+2) 10 p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Ed Krauth - 248-9635; Caller,
Ed Sanders - 296-5880.

CLODHOPPERS - Nesbit School, 500 Biddulph Way, BELMONT; 8 - 10 p.m.,
(+2) Party 4th Wednesday; Joe Mitchell - 573-0320; Caller, Don
Shotwell - 756-7931.

CRYSTAL SPRINGERS - Highlands Recreation Center, 1851 Lexington Ave.,
(+1) SAN MATEO; 8 - 10 p.m., No Party Night; Cliff Donlay - 349-
5290; Caller, Steve Roberts - 367-8345

DIXIE DERBIES - Vineland School, 1444 Blossom Hill Road, SAN JOSE;
(+2) Rounds by the Barnes 7:30, Squares 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 4th
Wednesday; Evan & Reita Allan - 227-5103; Caller, Gary Carnes
- 227-2162.

FARMERS & FARMERETTES - Newark Pavilion, Thornton & Cherry,
(+2+) NEWARK; 8 - 10:15 p.m., Party 1st Wednesday; Skip Keese;
Caller, Joel Kadish - 997-1132.

FREMONT SINGLES - Fremont Community Center, 40204 Paseo Padre Pkwy,
(+2) FREMONT; 7:30 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; John
Sgl/Cpl Mihoevich - 656-3006; Caller, Ron Haggerty - 782-5419.

GADABOUTS - Cory School, 2280 Kenwood Avenue, SAN JOSE; 8 - 10:30
(+2) p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Bob & Sally Burns - 266-8929;
Caller, Joe Johnston - 683-0400.

GILROY GLIDERS - Grange Hall, Swanston Lane, GILROY; 8 - 10 p.m.,
(+2) Party 5th Wednesday; Joy Hall - (408) 847-2797; Caller, Ken
Cpl/Sgl Dibble - (415) 493-2709.

GOLD NUGGETS - Franklin School, 400 Tully Road, SAN JOSE; 8 - 10 p.m.,
(+1) Party 3rd Wednesday; Bob Seely - 227-8692; Caller, Don Lewis -
265-3035.

HIGHLAND SWINGERS - Laureola Rec Cntr, 501 Old County Road at Holly
(+2) (behind Standard Stn), SAN CARLOS; 8 - 10 p.m., Party 3rd
Wed.; Jack Drew - 367-6320; Caller, Art Hansford - 225-0344.

JOKERS - American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, CAMPBELL; Class 7:30,
(+1) Club 9 - 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Dan Ide - 378-4623;
Caller, Johnny Robertson - 847-1366.

KRAZY DAZYS - Hyde Jr. High, 19325 Bollinger Road, CUPERTINO; 8 - 10
(+2) p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Earl & Cora Grubb - 967-8831;
Caller, Brad Bradford - 266-8361.

DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

Wednesday Cont.

KUNTRY KUZINS - Grimmer School, 43030 Newport Drive, FREMONT; 8 - (+1) 10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; For Further Information Call - 793-6670.

MAINLINER STARDUSTERS - Friendship Lounge, 4031 Pacific Blvd., SAN (+2) MATEO; 8 - 10:30 p.m., No Party Night; Mary Sheehan - (415) 368-6743; Caller, George Knox - (415)621-0973.

MORGAN HILLBILLIES - Britton School, 80 West Central & Monterey, (+2) MORGAN HILL; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 1st Wednesday; Gene Tolini - 779-7734; Caller, Kenny Steen - 779-9361.

RAFTER ROCKERS - Union School, 2130 Los Gatos-Almaden Road, LOS (+2) GATOS; 8 - 10 p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Charles DePalm - 377-8903; Caller, Ken Kenmille - (415)537-1654.

STARS & BARS - Rancho Arroyo, 2121 Depot Road, HAYWARD; 7:30 - 10 (+1) p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Chuck & Darlyne McDowell - 351-5767; Caller, Jim McDonald - 278-1722.

SURF TWIRLERS - C.P.D.E.S. Hall, 216 Evergreen Street, SANTA CRUZ; (+2) 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Sam Hash - 338-6606; Caller, Bob McVey - 899-1047.

TIP TOPPERS - Call for Summer Location, SAN JOSE; 7:30 - 10:30 p.m., (+2) Party 4th Wednesday; Tom & Jean Jones - 269-3201; Caller, Donn Thomson - 578-5807.

TOP 8's - Anderson School, 4000 Rhoda Drive, SAN JOSE; Intro to C-1 7:00, (A-2+) Club 8 - 10:30 p.m., No Party Night; Joe Pryluck - 263-3427; Caller, Bill Davis - 736-5624.

TWIRLING TWENTIES - Noddin School, 1755 Gilda Way, SAN JOSE; 7:30 - (+1) 10 p.m., Party 1st Wednesday; Jill Marci - 268-0161; Caller, Sgl/Cpl Ruben Alcala - 378-1893.

THURSDAY

ADVANCED SQUARE DANCE GROUP - Multi-Use Center, 986 Hilby Avenue, (A-1) SEASIDE; 7 - 9:45 p.m., No Party Night; M. Gayman - 394-8751; Caller, Jeanne Briscoe - 443-4371. 1st & 2nd Thursdays open.

CALLERS CHOICE - Growers Hall, 118 North Wilson Way, STOCKTON; 8 - (A-2) 10:30 p.m., No Party Night; Information - (209)931-3513; Caller, Dick Houlton.

DENIM AND LACE - Latimer School, 4250 Latimer Ave., CAMPBELL; 7:30 - (MS) 9:30 p.m., No Party Night; Dori Cavala - 356-4685; Caller, Lorin Teen Brown - 629-0750.

DUDES & DOLLS - Idylwild Center, 1975 Cambrianna Drive, SAN JOSE; 8 - (+2) 10 p.m., Party 4th Thursday; Jim Hurlbut - 269-5470; Caller, Art Davis - 948-7689.

GOLDEN EAGLES - Schallenberger School, 128 Koch Lane, SAN JOSE; 8 - (+1) 10:30 p.m., Party 1st Thursday; Sue Peters - 265-8374; Caller, Roger Smith - 227-4883.

DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

Thursday Cont.

HIGHLAND HILLBILLIES - American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Ave, CAMPBELL; (+2) 8 - 10 p.m., Party 4th Thursday; Glenn Anderson - 377-0882; Caller, Ken Oburn - 378-4272.

KEEWAY SWINGERS - Walters Junior High, 39600 Logan Drive, FREMONT; (+1) Rounds 7:30, Squares 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Thursday; Len Ohm - 793-0527; Rounds, Harley Vernon - 783-2658; Caller, Ken Kenmille - 537-1654.

LUCKY STEPPERS - C.P.D.E.S. Hall, Coral Street, SANTA CRUZ; 8 - (+2) 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Thursday; Herbert Fogel - (408) 335-5450; Caller, Harold Fleeman - 423-0646.

REDWOOD SQUARES - Swiss Hall, Box 6384, EUREKA; 8 - 10 p.m., Party (+2) 4th Saturday; Bob Jackson - (707) 442-2029; Caller, Vail Hickey - Cpl/Sgt (707) 839-3019.

SPINNING WHEELS - Loyola School, 770 Berry Avenue, LOS ALTOS; 8 - (+2) 10:15 p.m., Party 2nd Thursday; Ray Woods - 745-7965; Caller, Charlie Brown - 796-0634.

SQUARE HOPPERS - Nordhal Hall, 580 Parr Avenue, LOS GATOS; 8 - 10:30 (+2) p.m., Party 3rd Thursday; Judy Hogan - 227-8332; Caller, Bill Peters - 253-2686.

SQUARES & FLARES - Santa Teresa School, 6200 Encinal Drive, SAN JOSE; (+1) Class 7:30, Club 8:30 - 10 p.m., Party Last Thursday; Bill & Opal Reynolds - 226-4179; Caller, Jay Klassen - 734-4831.

STAR SPINNERS - Moose Lodge, Del Rey Oaks, MONTEREY; 7:30 - 10 (MS) p.m., Party 3rd Thursday; Caller, Bill Fowler - 624-1100.

SUNNYVALE SINGLE SQUARES - Ellis School, 550 East Olive, SUNNYVALE; (+2) Rounds 7:30, Squares 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 1st Thursday; Paul Sngls Richert - 295-4747; Caller, Gary Carnes - 227-2162.

TWIRLING SANDS - Lincoln School, 21710 McClellan Road, CUPERTINO; (+2) 8 - 10 p.m., Party 2nd Thursday; Max Bierman - 248-9771; Caller, Art Hansford - 225-0344.

FRIDAY

ALMADEN SQUARES - Almaden School, 1295 Dentwood Dr., SAN JOSE; 8 - (A-2) 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Mel & Leda Nielsen - 268-5606; Caller, Bob Southern - 268-4077.

BARNYARD BUMPERS - San Martin Elementary, North St., SAN MARTIN; (+2) 8 - 10 p.m., Party 5th Friday; Steve Lopez - 847-3667; Caller, Jay Klassen - 734-4831.

B-SHARPS - Newark Pavilion, 6340 Thornton Avenue, NEWARK; 8:30 - 11 (+2*) p.m.; *+1, +2, Intro to Adv; 2nd & 4th Fridays Only; Open 2nd, Invitation Only 4th; Marion Klos - (415) 792-3037; Callers, Nelson Watkins (2nd) and Larry Ward (4th).

CALLERS CHOICE - Newark Pavilion, 6340 Thornton Avenue, NEWARK; (+2*) 8:30 - 11 p.m.; *Intro to A-1 & A-2; 1st & 3rd Fridays Only; Info - (408) 377-9360; Caller, Dick Houlton.

CALLERS CHOICE - Masonic Temple, 100 North Ellsworth (at Tilton), SAN (A1,A2) MATEO; 8 - 11 p.m.; 2nd & 4th Fridays Only; Information - (415) 661-9788; Caller, Dick Houlton.

DIRECTORY OF SQUARE DANCE CLUBS

Friday Cont.

CROSS TRAILERS - Covenant Presbyterian Church, 670 East Meadow,
(+1) PALO ALTO; 8 - 10:15 p.m., No Party Night; Bill Batterton -
Sgl/Cpl (415)968-5637; Caller, Brian Rokita - 734-3200.

CURLI Q's - Lucie Stern Community Center, 1305 Middlefield, PALO ALTO;
(+1) 7:30 - 10 p.m.; Bill Martin - (415)366-5565; Caller, Arlan Wight -
725-0328.

ISLAND SQUARES - Bowditch School, Beachpark & Tarpon, FOSTER CITY;
(+2) 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Merle Kohr - 341-2271; Caller,
Ken Kenmille - 537-1654.

KATYDIDS - Hyde Middle School, Bollinger at Miller, CUPERTINO; 8 -
(+2) 10:30 p.m., Party 4th Friday; Bill Ferrill - 257-7958; Caller,
Bill Davis - 736-5624.

LITTLE HOUSE SQUARE DANCERS - Little House, 800 Middle Ave., MENLO
(QS+) PARK; 10 a.m. - 12 noon; QS Level, Some +1, +2; Caller, Ken
Dibble - (415)493-2709.

MAVERICKS - Ross School, Ross & Andover, SAN JOSE; 8 - 10:30 p.m.,
(+1) Party 4th Friday; Art Swain - 269-2589; Caller, Herb Jackson -
266-4026.

PEPPY STEPPERS - Kirk School, 1601 Foxworthy Ave., SAN JOSE; 7:30 -
(+2) 10 p.m., Party 4th Friday; Mac & Jen McCausland - 264-0914;
Caller, Johnny Robertson - 847-1366.

REDWOOD TWIRLERS - Little House, 800 Middle Ave., MENLO PARK; 12
(+2+) noon - 1 p.m.; +2 with some Advanced, Invitation Only; Caller,
Ken Dibble - (415)493-2709.

RHYTHM STEPPERS - El Gabilan School, 1256 Linwood Drive, SALINAS;
(+2) 7:00 - 10:00 p.m., Party 5th Friday; M/M L. Robison - 443-1220;
Caller, Jeanne Moody Briscoe - 443-4371.

SEE SAWS - Linda Vista School, 100 Kirk Avenue, SAN JOSE; 8 - 10:30
(+2) p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Don Wedel - 374-0475; Caller, Jim
Osborne - 657-0868.

SILVER DOLLARS - Mt. View Senior Center, 266 Escuela Ave., MOUNTAIN
(+2) VIEW; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Ray Mensing - 493-8220;
Caller, George Knox - 621-0973.

SWINGIN' SAINTS - Rogers Junior High, 4835 Doyle Road, SAN JOSE; 8 -
(+2) 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Friday; Don Fife - 238-1469; Caller, Ron
Haggerty - 782-5419.

TAW TWIRLERS - Marina Grange Hall, Carmel Ave. & Del Monte Boulevard,
(+2) MARINA; 8 - 10:30 p.m., Party 2nd Friday; Bob Parkhurst -
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CHATTER (from page 49)

KEEWAY SWINGERS

by Glynn & Joan Bentley

June has been so busy I will only touch the highlights. Graduation of our 5½ squares of newer dancers. Welcome to the club. Installation of our new officers. Good luck for the new year... On June 20 we joined the Rambling Rovers with CHARLIE BROWN to caravan to the Nationals in Seattle where the attendance was over 25,000. A real nice trip, not without breakdowns and upsets, but we all made it and had a great time... Some of the Keeways made it on up to Vancouver to the wedding of KEN KENMILLE and CHRIS WILLIAMS on board ship for a square dance cruise to Alaska. It was a very lovely affair. Good luck KEN & CHRIS. I say this for all the Keeways and wish you the best for years to come.

TIP TOPPERS

by Skip & Judy

Our +1+2 workshop is going great! We're having fun and meeting so many new square dance friends. DONN is teaching us all, and an evening doesn't pass without someone saying, "So, that's how it goes!" Breaks are spent hearing about vacations planned and completed by this adventurous group... We all gathered at Mt. Madonna Park for a Fun Fourth-of-July-on-the-Fifth Picnic! All the families had a grand time... We're now dancing at St. Edward's Hall (near Branham and Union) for the summer -- come visit!

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PROFILE (from page 21)

Ron quit his job as an insurance adjuster, and he and Sherry returned to Modesto. While in Modesto, Ron's calling had been limited to occasional guest dates.

In Modesto, Ron resumed an interrupted college education and worked at his dad's body shop. He also was hired to call for two clubs; the Turlock Steppin' Pardes and the Manteca Trail Blazers. "By working for my dad, I was able to actively pursue my calling career. He didn't mind if I took two or three days off to take an out of town booking."

By January of this year, the out of area activity was so heavy that Ron decided to leave the body shop and make calling his full time profession. He calls regularly for for several Modesto clubs; the Square-naders (+1), Dancers Choice (+2), the Black Cats (A-1), and the Black Cats Star (A-2/C-1). On the weekends he travels to calling dates at hoedowns and festivals.

Ron and Sherry have two chil-

dren. Their daughter, Shelly, just graduated from Ron's beginner's class. Jeff, their son, will start a beginner's class in September. Sherry devotes full time to raising the family and helping Ron to complete "Rosehaven".

Looking back on his calling career, Ron has seen many changes in the past 20 years. "The major changes have been in the areas of equipment and choreography. Thanks to advances in technology, we don't have to carry those heavy tube amplifiers anymore. And before we had speaker stands we had to carry ropes so we could hang the speakers from a rafter. The stabilization of lists by CALLERLAB has been an important change also."

What is Ron's goal as a caller? "I want to entertain the dancers. That's probably the single most significant change in square dancing in recent years: today's successful caller must be an entertainer!"

ROSEHAVEN (from page 21)

and plumbing have been installed. A new roof has also been installed.

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Why the name "Rosehaven"? "Everyone knew the "Grange Hall" as a landmark, so it seemed as though we should give our new home a suitable name," Ron explained, "and Sherry and I like roses!"

By the way, if you should happen to decide to stop by and visit Ron, expect to be greeted by a very determined Doberman Pinscher. "That's Fritz", Ron says, "and he is a very good watchdog!"

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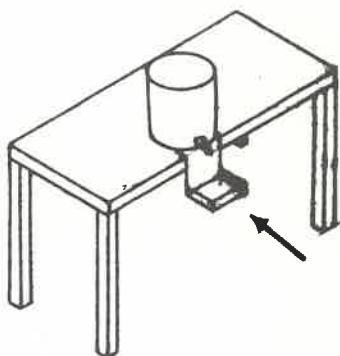
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