

The National Square Dance Executive Committee, composed of general chairmen of previous National Square Dance Conventions, declared itself "especially impressed with the soundness of the overall organization of the 11th National under chairmanship of Harry Moore," at their meeting in the Deauville Hotel in Miami Beach, Dec. 3. The committee, pictured above, includes Alice Colvin of New Albany, Ind., pinch-hitting as secretary for Jerry Curler of Des Moines, Harold Erickson of Detroit, Eddie Colin, Art Lowell of St. Louis, George Nichols, chairman, Denver, Harry Moore of Miami Beach (standing), Bud Dixon of San Diego, Howard Thornton of Oklahoma City, Dick Flucke of Mission, Kansas, and Carl Anderson of Redland, California.

# 11th Convention Plans OK, National Committee Says

FLORIDA'S WELCOME to square dancers from all parts of the world for the 11th National Square Dance Convention in Miami Beach June 14, 15 and 16 received enthusiastic support from the National Square Dance Executive Committee headed by George Nichols of Denver, at their meeting held in the Deauville Hotel on Dec. 3.

A prediction that "the Eleventh National will be a splendid and never-to-be-forgotten experience for all who will be fortunate enough to attend," was included in a formal statement signed by Nichols, Bud Dixon of San Diego, Eddie Colin of Louisville, Carl Anderson of Redlands, Cal., Dick Flucke of Madison, Kan., Art Lowell of St. Louis, Howard Thornton of

Oklahoma City, Harold Erickson of Detroit and Jerry Curler of Des Moines.

The national executive committee is comprised of past national convention

general chairmen who are members for life or until their interest in square dancing flags.

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## Roundup of Square Dance Events for January:

### Cargill, Castner, Dubree and Shilling Billed for January

THE SQUARE dancer's calendar for January is sparked with variety, paced by an excellent selection of touring and area callers, and dances are geographically

spread to satisfy both stay-at-homes and Knotheads alike.

11th National Benefit dances, popular in December when Les Gotcher made three appearances throughout the state, continue this month in Sanford, Lakeland and Miami. And at least four visiting callers—Jim Cargill, Bill Castner, Ramblin' Bob Dubree and Marvin Shilling—are booked for January performances.

Allowing dancers a breathing spell after a "frantic first" the slate for January begins on the eighth when Jim Cargill moves into Lake City to call at Veterans Memorial Hall. On the following day, Bob Rust visits the Ocala City Auditorium under sponsorship of the Ocala Square Dance Club. Bob will return on Jan. 16 for a repeat performance.

Marvin Shilling of LaVeta, Colorado, is booked for Tampa's Hunt Center on Jan. 11 by the sponsoring Country Cuzins. Shilling then goes to Sanford on Jan. 13 to call for one of the two 11th National Benefit dances being held that day. Central Florida Association will sponsor the Sanford dance at the Civic Center, and a Lakeland 11th National Benefit dance directed by the West Coast Association and featuring area callers, will be held at the Lakeland Civic Center. One more for the 13th: the Tampa Recreation Department has live music on tap at the Hunt Center, with Don Armstrong handling the calls.

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# Florida Will Offer Some

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The committee heard progress reports from 11th National Committee Chairmen, met briefly with the 11th National executive committee, then closeted themselves to prepare their formal statement of commendation for the 11th National staff.

Committee reports were for the most part similar to those presented at the Nov. 5 meeting. A number of items took on new significance, however—

- Letters soliciting sale of space in the souvenir program have been sent to 74 tourist attractions, 126 travel organizations, and scores of general advertising prospects. 356 letters have been mailed to dance leaders throughout the south requesting club support for the program advertising columns. In addition, some 5000 "early bird" order blanks for mail order distribution of the national program have been sent to registrants throughout the country. (Al Cody)

- Participants in panel discussions will be cleared through Jay Fenimore to avoid conflicts with calling schedules and panel schedules. A pre-convention Thursday morning session for leaders, callers and instructors so that they will "have something to take home." (Ernest Bartley)

Under national committee regulations three 2-hour periods when no general dancing is scheduled must be provided for the panel discussions.

- Exhibition groups from Phoenix, New England, the California and Florida's Square Wheelers are being considered for the evening demonstration programs which will be held from 8 until



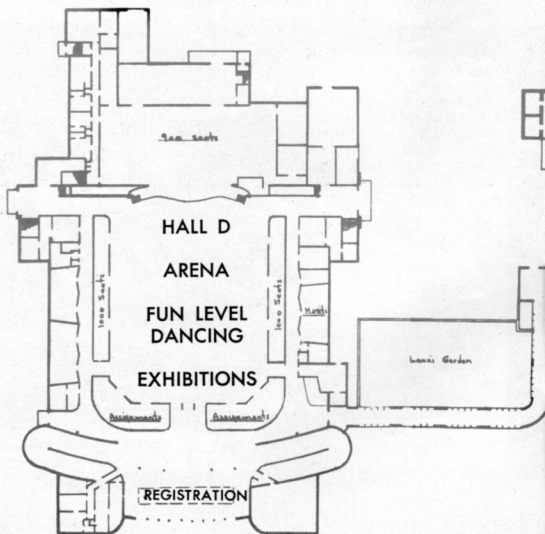
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- A national caller's swap shop is scheduled from 2 to 5 p.m. all three days, in which participants will be allowed up to 15 minutes to present and call completely new and original dances, breaks and figures which have been screened by the committee and published in the official program. (Gordon Blaum)

- A place to "sit and rest", epsom salts in the fish pool for tired feet, and a hitching post for single dancers are in the plans. (John Morgan, Manny Jacobson)

- Decorations will be in turquoise and gold, club banners from all over the country will be displayed (for a fee?) and large banners will stress the idea of a Florida vacation in conjunction with the convention. (Virginia Dankwertz)

- Elaborate methods tested at the recent Florida state convention, will provide programming control and make it possible for callers to get from assignment to assignment comfortably. (Jay Fenimore)

- "Concert type sound" is promised by Gene Baylis with a minimum of interference through walls. Several amplifiers will be purchased for use by the convention, sold at a discount afterward to Florida callers.

- Official trail dances so far booked include Daytona Beach Municipal Pier June 12; Cooperating clubs of Brevard County, Cocoa, June 12; Panama City Community Hall, June 11; Jacksonville with Marshall Flippo and Harper Smith; tentatively booked are dances at Leesburg and Sanford. Trail end dances are set in Miami Beach hotel lobbies and patios, and at the 17th Street auditorium. (Les Linn)

- A Rumpus Room to provide for more or less continuous hash calling will be

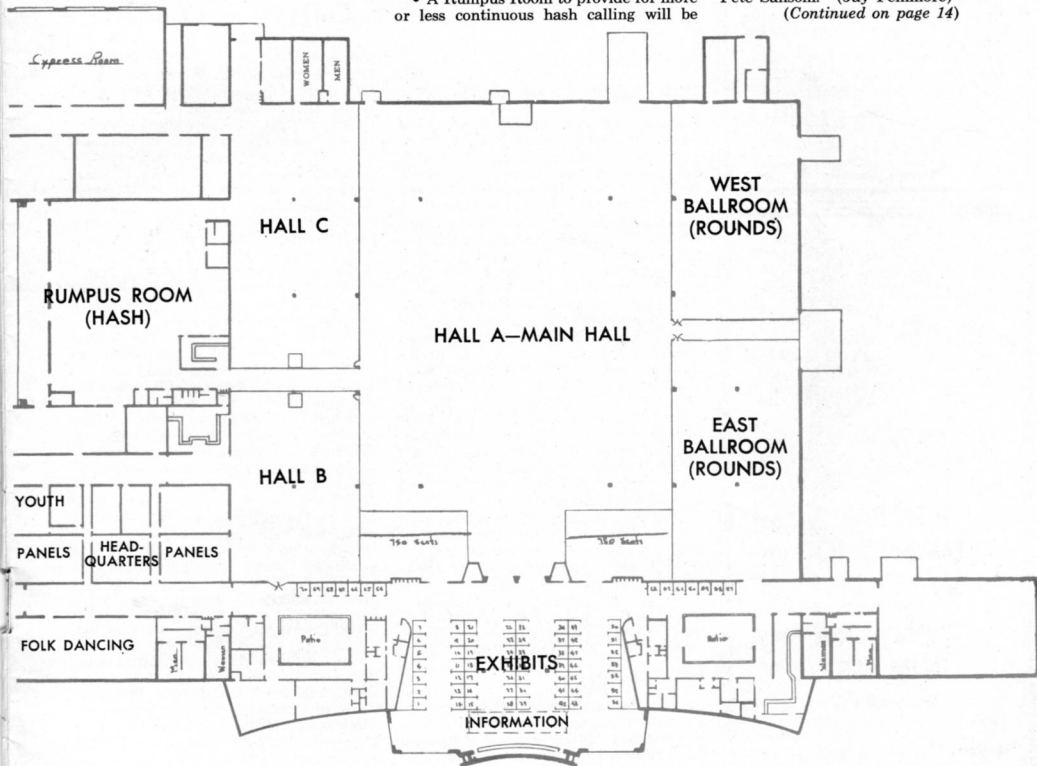
provided with Sam Prescott as the chairman in charge. (Jay Fenimore)

- A place where young people and their families may dance together without feeling out of place—probably under the name of "family dancing"—with teen callers for teen ages is in the plans with Bill Roundtree in charge. (Jay Fenimore)

- 17th Street Auditorium Arena will be programmed for intermediate level dancing so that newly-registered dancers will be comfortable in their first participation of the convention. Registration will be in the 17th Street Auditorium. (Jay Fenimore)

- International dancers (not international folk dancing) and callers who have participated in western-style square dancing outside the U. S., will have a special opportunity to meet kindred souls and dance to callers who have called abroad under a committee headed by Pete Sansom. (Jay Fenimore)

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## Committee Liked What They Saw

The National Square Dance Executive Committee, at a meeting held in Miami Beach December 3rd, 1961, heard with great interest the reports of the many chairmen of the Eleventh National Square Dance Convention to be held in Miami Beach, June 14-16, 1962.

The National Square Dance Executive Committee, which is composed of the General Chairmen of previous national conventions, wishes to express to the dancers and callers of Florida their great satisfaction and pleasure with the pre-convention planning for the Eleventh National Convention. The numerous evidences of long range planning and hard work are most gratifying.

The National Square Dance Executive Committee is especially impressed with the soundness of the overall organization of the Eleventh National Convention under the General Chairmanship of Harry and Helen Moore. The individual chairmen, thirty-one in number from all parts of Florida, under their capable direction, have taken strong hold of their particular areas of responsibility.

The National Square Dance Executive Committee congratulates all Florida dancers and callers on a job well begun. Carry through at this pace and the Eleventh will be a splendid and forever-to-be-remembered experience for all who will be fortunate enough to attend.

(The above statement was signed by George Nichols of Denver, chairman of the National Committee, as well as the other committee members present.)

## Across the Editor's Desk

### New Officers . . .

□ **Hialeah Squares** are a new club in the Miami area . . . Robert Hudson is president, Jake Shelnut is vice president and Mrs. Dorris Lovell will serve as secretary-treasurer . . . Les Linn calls for the club at the Adult Community Center, 20 West 6th St., Hialeah. □ **The Thunderbird Square Dance Club** of West Palm Beach held their annual election on December 3 . . . Emerson (Scotty) Lapsley is the new president, with Russell Henry as vice president and Margaret Ingham as secretary-treasurer . . . Clara Puhsek is the social chairman and Ferdinand Hartman has charge of publicity. □ **The Grand Squares** of Sarasota have elected Francis (Bud) Martin president for the coming year. □ **The Keystone Kuz-zins** of Odessa elected a new slate of officers in early December . . . they include: Phil President, Phil and Ruth Phillips, president; Don and Dot MacKenzie, vice president; Claude and Kathy Carpenter, secretary; Bob and Pat Brooks, treasurer; and Bob and Gladys Kuhn, hospitality. □ **Swinging Squares** of Jacksonville have elected Edythe Grelle president and Gladys Griffiths secretary-treasurer.

Doc Derr is new president of **Hicks and Chicks** club, St. Petersburg, and other officers include Archie Bunting, vice president and Helen Gilbert, secretary . . . election was held at buffet dinner meeting Nov. 21 at the Ox-Bow . . .

### North Florida . . .

□ **The Paxon Prancers** of Jacksonville are real happy now that Elwood Sexton has resumed calling for the club . . . the Prancers have planned their Christmas party for December 21.

□ Jacksonville's **Western Cutters** have set aside December 16 for their Christmas party . . . Bea Smith is in charge of

this annual event . . . Paul and Mary Lane attended the Les Gotcher Institute in Miami. □ **Jacksonville Beach Recreation Department** scheduled square dances at the community center on November 29 and December 13 with Herschell Lee calling . . . plans are underway for an advanced dancers class and a 15 lesson beginners will begin January 10 under Lee's instruction.

□ **Friendly Frolics Club** of Jacksonville will have Herschell Lee and Myron Samson calling for them at the New Year's dance slated for December 30 at Annie Lytle School . . . the Frolicers surprised Ted and Elinor Johnson with a house-warming party on November 19. □ **Po-Jo Twirlers Square Dance Club** of Port St. Joe are now dancing every Friday night at the Centennial Building . . . Ralph Fuller of Panama City calls for the group.

□ **Flirts and Skirts** of Panama City awarded "Bachelor of Square Dancing" diplomas on November 28 to 36 teenagers who completed a three month square dance course under the direction of Ina and Lee McNutt . . . lessons were held at the city armory, but now the group will hold their weekly dances at Trusdale Park . . . in charge of the graduation were program committee members Pam Ward, Tricia Kelly, Jeff Nauman and Cornel Brock.

### Gold Coast . . .

Clubs in Miami (**Dixie Rebels**), Gainesville and Key West are among the first 100% registered groups for the 11th National, according to Bob Willis . . . Clubs who want to furnish skits for after parties at the 11th National should get in touch with Lew or Carol Green . . . Dick and Bea Rae presented their new line of "Chez Bea" square dance dresses at an open house in their store in Little River Dec. 4 . . . were well received . . .

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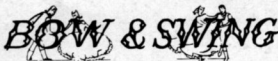
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## County-wide 5th Saturday Dances Discussed by West Coast Ass'n

A PROPOSAL that fifth Saturdays be set aside for interclub dances on a county-wide basis within the West Coast Square and Round Dancers Association was advanced at the organization's monthly directors meeting in Eagle Lake Dec. 10.

President J. Warriner "Hink" Smith, Jr., announced a complete slate of county vice presidents, explaining that these officers were expected to maintain close and regular contact with the individual clubs throughout the area.

Reports were heard from each area represented, and details of the Jan. 13 11th National Benefit dance in the Lakeland Civic Auditorium were ironed out. Six callers from the Lakeland-Winter Haven area will present a jamboree-type program, Smith said. The regular dance will be from 8 until 11 o'clock, with a special 50-minute hot hash session afterward.

"Financing the national is the most important thing we have before us," Smith said. "We must all sell hard on registrations for the national," he continued, referring to the 11 squares of registrants that were present for the Les Gotcher registration dance in the Ox-Bow Dec. 8.

"Persons who will register for the

11th National will be admitted free to the January 13 dance," he added.

Smith reported that the Oklahoma special train would be stopping in Tampa for two nights on June 18 and 19, en route from the 11th National in Miami, and asked that the association provide an evening of dancing on June 19 for the travelers.

So far as the association's trail dance on June 12 is concerned, he said, Jack Livingston of Speedway, Indiana, has agreed to stop by. Jim Faulkenberry has signed to emcee the dance in the city auditorium.

The West Coast association is passing out slips on which members may indicate the hours and days they prefer to serve on the 1700-man host committee for the 11th National, and is circularizing their members for early-bird orders for the official program.

ANOTHER BOOST for the National will be in the form of a round dance workshop on Sunday, Jan. 7, in the Junior Ox Bow Hall in Miami at which the Miami Area Teachers will give half the proceeds toward mailing BOW & SWING'S January invitational issue to prospective conventioners throughout the country.

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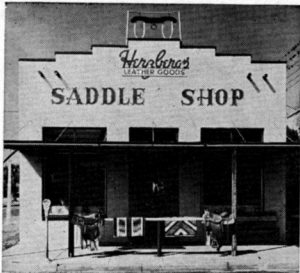
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# Ruth Bartley Heads Round Dance Council; Plan Quarterly Meetings

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Other officers include Art Brammeier of Melbourne, vice president, Bob Waites of Gainesville, secretary and Helen Galloway of Lutz, treasurer.

Waites was appointed coordinator of round dances for Florida in conjunction with the Florida Callers Association and will select Bow & SWING's Round of the Month beginning with the January issue. It was generally agreed that six selections in a year should be especially designed with square dancers in mind, with more difficult selections in alternate months.

It was the general opinion that too many rounds are being taught and that the average square dancer wants to use a round for a couple of months before having to learn something new. At any rate, the council's efforts will be toward making rounds more enjoyable for the rank and file of dancers.

A communication from Jay Fenimore of Hollywood, president of the Florida Callers Association, complimented the council on "an outstanding job in promoting round dancing around the state," and predicted that "before long Florida will have nation-wide recognition as a round dance state."

New members of the council were introduced, minutes of recent meetings

were reviewed, and the treasurer reported a balance in the treasury of \$60.47.

Round dance leaders were invited to participate in the Suncoast Squarama in Sarasota, and Ed Newton of Sarasota was identified as director of the February event.

Location of the 1962 Holiday for Rounds may be Clearwater or Lehigh Acres near Fort Myers, and final decision was left up to the executive board. Helen Galloway was named chairman of a committee to devise a distinctive badge for members of the council. Quarterly meetings of the council were proposed and invitations from centrally-located points are being sought.

The council also agreed to provide refreshments for visiting round dancers at the 11th National Convention in Miami Beach.

A letter from Jo Keller of Miami posed a number of questions for the council, and after considerable discussion it was agreed that selection of the round of the month by the tenth of the preceding month should give leaders throughout the state ample opportunity to obtain the record in advance. A round dance festival in the spring in the form of a recital was discussed but no action taken.

At the Holiday for Rounds four dances were taught: Blue Hours by John and Betty Jones of Melbourne, Why Not Two Step by Harry Howe and Lee Ryan of Miami, Sunny Waltz by Bartley and Waites, and Smoothie by Fran and Clare Malhot of Clearwater.

## Round of the Month:

## Sunrise Serenade

ROUND OF THE MONTH for January is Sunrise Serenade, composed by Dena Fresh and done to Lloyd Shaw record 242-45.

Selection was announced by Bob Waites of Gainesville, Bow & SWING's new round dance coordinator, appointed by the Round Dance Council of Florida and approved by the Florida Callers' Association.

"This satisfying two-step can't help but become popular with square dancers since it is easy to learn and incorporates the Grand Square movement with which dancers are already familiar," says Waites. Introduction is in open position, facing line of dance. Dance starts in semi-closed position, and footwork is opposite:

INTRO:—Open pos, facing LOD, Wait 2 meas; Apart Two-Step; Together Two-Step; Solo Turn Around in 4 steps (M turn LF, W turn RF) L, R, L, R, to end in Semi-Closed pos facing LOD;

Meas. DANCE  
 1-2 Two-Step, Two-Step; Walk, 2, 3, 4;—Beginning on M's L, take two fwd two-steps to LOD; walk in LOD L, R, L, R;

3-4 Repeat Meas 1-2;  
 5-6 Vine (W twirl), 2, 3, Touch; Vine (W reverse twirl), 2, 3, Touch;—Grapevine in LOD—step to side on M's L, step behind L on R, step to side

on L, touch R and L while W twirls RF, R, L, R, touch L to R under joined hands (M's L and her R); repeat in RLOD starting on M's R and W's L (W twirl LF);

7-8 Apart Two-Step, Apart Two-Step; Tog Two-Step, Tog Two-Step;—Releasing hands, begin on M's L and take two two-steps away from ptr backing to C COH (W back twirl twd wall); two two-steps moving fwd ptr beginning on M's L, take semi-closed pos;

9-16 Repeat Meas 1-8, end in Open pos facing LOD;

Grand Square Solo

17-18 Walk, 2, 3, Turn; Back Away, 2, 3, Turn;—In Open pos facing LOD, walk fwd L, R, L, turn RF on R to face ptr and release hands (W walk fwd on L, R, L, turn LF on L to face ptr); Back away (M to COH, W twd wall)

L, R, L, turn LF on R to face LOD (W opp);

19-20 Back Up (in RLOD), 2, 3, Turn; Walk twd ptr, 2, 3, 4;—Back up in RLOD on L, R, L, turn RF on R to face ptr (W opp); walk twd ptr L, R, L, R;

21-22 Back Away, 2, 3, Turn; (LOD), 2, 3, Turn;—Back away (M twd COH, W twd wall) L, R, L, turn LF on R to face LOD (W opp); walk fwd in LOD L, R, L, turn RF on R to face ptr;

23-24 Walk Twd Ptr, 2, 3, Turn; Back Up (in RLOD), 2, 3, 4;—Walk twd ptr L, R, L, turn LF on R to face LOD and assume semi-closed pos;

REPEAT WHOLE DANCE FROM THE BEGINNING TWO MORE TIMES. THEN DANCE TAG;

1-2 Walk, 2, 3, 4; Twirl W (RF) and Bow;—In Open pos facing LOD, walk fwd on M's L, R, L, R (W opp); raise joined hands (M's L and W's L) and twirl RF and bow.

Lee and Ina McNutt are in charge of

Mrs. Shirley HasBrouck and the Hagen Hoedowners wish to thank all those dancers and callers who so generously supported the Benefit Dance on November 17 in memoriam of Bill HasBrouck, who passed away October 27.

the rounds and workshop at Panama City's fourth annual Square Dance Gambol January 26-27.

Clare and Fran Malhiot report that their December 3 First Sunday Round Dance at Ox-Bow Hall in St. Petersburg was very successful . . . Don Armstrong taught Vaya Con Dios and points in styling and the Pearsons taught beginner basics . . . during November, the Malhiots taught Smoothie, Blue Hours Waltz, and Deep Purple . . . the next First Sunday Dance will be held January 7 at the Ox-Bow . . . Ed and Kay Mack journeyed to Winter Haven in late November to teach rounds to the Sandspurs.

## Roundup

(Continued from page 1)

On Sunday, Jan. 14, Les Linn will handle another 11th National Benefit dance at 4677 N.W. 9th Street in Miami. The Southeastern Association will present Bob Dubree at the North Miami Armory on Jan. 19. It's back to Ocala on Jan. 23 when the Recreation Department has Howard Rohrbacher calling at the City Auditorium.

The final weekend of the month finds dancers traveling east and west—east to Melbourne or west to Panama City. The annual Square Dance Gambol at Panama City begins its two day run on Jan. 26. Bill Castner, all the way from Pleasant Hill, California, will call and conduct the square dance workshop. Lee and Ina McNutt, Panama City residents, have charge of the rounds and round dance workshop. The Gambol is slated for the Municipal Auditorium. In Melbourne, the Allemanders, Satellites, and Canaveral Squares will continue their series of jointly sponsored dances by having Roger Chapman call at the Trailer Haven on Jan. 27.

## Jim Galloway New Chairman of Knotheads

JIM GALLOWAY of Lutz was unanimously elected chairman of Florida Knotheads, Inc., succeeding Bill Muench of Tampa who has held this office for the past five years.

Prospective Knotheads applications are being mailed to all members of the Florida Callers' Association, Galloway states. "Before you plan a qualifying Knothead trip see your caller for an application blank. When properly filled out mail it to me at Route 1, Box 711, Lutz, Fla.," he added.

Other officers include Kay Mack, secretary, Helen Galloway, treasurer. The charter square includes the Muenches, Ed Mack and Pat McClumpha.

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## January 14 Set for 11th National Benefit In Southeastern Area

DANCERS in the Southeastern district will hold an 11th National Benefit dance on Sunday afternoon, January 14, at the PanAir Club, 4677 N.W. 9th Street, Miami, according to Les Linn, chairman of pre-convention dances for the 11th National. The Sunday afternoon affair will begin at 2 p.m. with calling by callers of the area.

"Each square dance club in the area is invited to join in this event," Linn says, pointing out that proceeds from the dance will be used to finance the 11th National convention in June. "Each club is asked to offer a special invitation to their caller to participate."

## Across the Editor's Desk

### Gold Coast . . .

□ The Beachcombers of Hollywood are dancing again on Monday evenings in an air-conditioned hall over the city library at City Hall Circle, Hollywood Boulevard . . . Jay Fenimore calls for the "Combers. □ Promenader Square Dance Club of West Palm Beach had an after-dance "open house" party at the new home of club members Bob and Betty Walker on November 25 . . . the Promenaders held graduation exercises on December 7 for six couples of one of the beginners classes being taught by Jim Keller and Ralph Otis . . . the club dances every Saturday night at Mary's Dance Studio on South Dixie Highway, Lake Worth.

□ Rhythm Squares of Fort Lauderdale slated their Christmas party for December 23, with a year-end party one week later . . . beginners class is on the books for January . . . scheduled guest caller for the Rhythm Squares on December 9 Ted Barton. □ Members of the Hagen Hoedowners of Fort Lauderdale staged an "idiot's party" on November 17, to the surprise of club caller Bill Roundtree . . . the Hoedowners played host to visitors from the Flamingo Swingers on December 2 . . . the club's beginners class make their debut into the square dancers' party life on December 31—the Hoedowners annual New Year's Eve party . . . graduation exercises will come early in January . . . next beginners class is slated for January 17.

□ Hialeah Squares are new to the Goldcoast . . . they dance at the Adult Community Center in Hialeah, with Les Linn calling . . . this is an open club and will be happy to receive new members—couples as well as single memberships.

□ Four squares from the Rhythm Squares put on an exhibition of square and round dancing for members of the Venetian Isles Yacht Club on November

16 with Pete Sansom calling . . . that Ed Gilmore dance at the Fort Lauderdale Armory on November 26 attracted 41 squares of dancers, including many from the Rhythm Square's roster.

□ The Jupiter Lightfooters, a new square dance formed by Pete Sansom, now meets every Wednesday at the Jupiter Civic Center . . . the club is sponsoring Frank Lane at an open dance on February 14 at the West Palm Beach Armory. □ The Thunderbird Square Dance Club of Delray Beach elected officers at their December 3 meeting . . . Scotty Lapsley is the new president . . .

□ Dixie Rebels of Miami are the first club to have 100 percent registration for the 11th National . . . its roster of members totals 80. □ Marathon Business-Professional Women's Club slated a square dance for December 8 at the Sombrero Country Club. □ The Sunshine Squares of West Palm Beach, dancing at their new Sunshine Corral, booked Jack Giddens to call at their Thursday night dances. □ Miami Beach Recreation Department scheduled mid-November dances in Ocean Front Auditorium and the North Shore Park Recreation Center. □ Biscayne Chapter of American Medical Center slated a square dance in Miami on November 18.

□ The Jolly Squares Dance Club of Palm Beach held their pot luck supper and dance on November 11 at the YMCA of the Palm Beaches . . . Ernie Taylor called for the club. □ Miami Opti-Mrs of Ives Estates booked Frank Bedell to call at the square dance at the Unified Hall on November 11. □ Miami Beach Council of the Knights of Columbus had their annual square and round dance set for a mid-November date with William Palmotier handling the calls. □ Fort Lauderdale Recreation Department had a November 26 dance on tap at the National Guard Armory . . . the Rhythm Squares were a co-sponsor.

□ Boynton Beach Recreation Department scheduled a dance class to begin on November 20 under the guidance of Ken Craig. □ A square of dancers from the Homesteaders Square Dance Club journeyed to Naples November 11 to become Knotheads . . . Jack Lasry called for the Homesteaders and the host Sunshine Shufflers. □ Stuart Recreation Department slated a November 24 square dance for adults at the Stuart Shuffleboard Club. □ Carol City Square Dance Social Club, with Francis MacKenzie as president, is new to the Goldcoast . . . they co-sponsored a Veteran's Day Dance with the Carol City Civic Association. □ The Sugarland Jamboree, where the Clewiston Kane Kutters were hosts, drew more than 400 dancers on November 24-25. □ North Miami Beach Recreation Department holds forth with a square dance every Wednesday evening at Victory Park. □ Jimmy Jordan is the new president of the Hollywood Beachcombers Square Dance Club.

□ Members of the Hurricane Squares who have taken responsibility of handling registrations to the 11th National have appealed to the Southeast Florida Square



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Square of the Month:

# Challenge Mixer

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The caller was Max Forsyth and the occasion was his Saturday afternoon workshop session at the Florida Callers' Association convention in Sarasota recently. Roger Chapman of Winter Haven, appointed to serve as Square Dance Coordinator for the current year, has selected Max' "Challenge Mixer" as the Square of the Month for January.

"Actually, we can only give you a small portion of what Max presented," says Roger. "He used very little fill-in patter, mostly basic command calls. He kept his lines moving in the same direction all the time." For music he used a round dance record, Bye Bye Blues, although any good hoedown would work. "This should be a wonderful way to mix your floor."

Heads to the right and circle to a line . . .  
Pass through and bend the line (make lines length of hall)

Square through, four hands, swing corner . . .  
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Face a new two, right and left through, half square through, swing corner . . .  
Face new two, right and left through, cross trail, swing corner . . .

Face new two, square through, swing corner . . .  
Face new two, right and left through, star through, pass through, swing corner . . .

Face new two, star through, square through three quarters, swing corner . . .

Bob Stone, Bob Rust and Bill Hankins will have a busy time on December 31 calling for the Satellites, Allemanders and Canaveral Squares at the Eau Gallie Civic Center . . . Lloyd Gribble is calling for the Sandy Shoe Steppers in a new permanent home—The St. Lucie Community Hall . . . Jimmy Glossin was booked for calling duties at the Taft Youth Center in Orlando on November 25 . . . Bob Stone would like to remind one and all that his address is P.O. Box 127, Melbourne Beach . . . his mail has been going to Southern Bell Telephone in Melbourne! . . . Chuck Ney is calling for last Friday dances at the Community Building in Vero Beach . . . Joe Curtis of Orlando journeyed over to Cocoa to

call for the Canaveral Squares in late November . . . Lou Calhoun, George Campbell and Bob Rust handled a big crowd at Ocala's Sunshine Christmas Festival November 30 . . . in the pre-festival promotion, Howard Rohrbacher appeared on TV with a square of dancers . . . Mrs. Jennie Gunn and Clyde Baxter were slated to teach beginning and advanced dancers at the Coral Beach Recreation Center on December 1 . . . Art Wohl was booked to teach and call at the pre-holiday dance in the New Smyrna Beach's Recreation Center November 27 . . . Dwayne Johnson, who began calling and instructing in folk dances back in Minnesota in 1943, was slated as master of ceremonies at the annual fall dance sponsored by the Union Park Chamber of Commerce in mid-November . . .

Bill Muench continues to issue the latest challenge level and arky actions for the Tampa R-Key Club . . . Walt Wentworth was booked to call for an old timers dance party at the North Boulevard Community Center, Tampa, early in December . . . Walt is also the scheduled caller on third Mondays for the Keystone Kuzzins . . . "Skeeter" Chauvin was slated to instruct a series of classes at the Palm River Civic Center, Tampa, starting in mid-November . . . Dot and Dode Thevener were due to call for the Bishop Barry Guild in St. Petersburg in early November . . . Earl and Lorraine Mann are scheduled at the Gulfport Casino on Saturday afternoons for the winter square dance season.

Russell and Esther Whitaker report a successful First Harvest Dance for the St. Petersburg Square and Round Dance Club . . . dances for the club are held every Wednesday evening at Lealman Hall . . . Max Bayard directs the Sarasota YMCA Square Dance Club . . . Bob Dawson is now teaching a Sunday evening class at the Civic Center in Sarasota . . . Bob, Ed Newton, Hal Ham, and Paul Noble were pictured in a square dance article in the December 1 Sarasota Journal.

# 1962 Square-O-Rama February 17

MEMBERS of the Suncoast Callers Association agreed to sidetrack proposals to provide for dancer memberships in favor of fullest cooperation with the West Coast Square and Round Dancers Association, at their regular quarterly meeting in mid-November.

The 1962 Squar-o-Rama is to be held February 17 at the Trailer Estates Recreation Hall between Bradenton and Sarasota on Highway 41, the group was told. Ed Newton of Sarasota is director of the event. Members of the Florida Callers Clinic, the Florida Callers Association and the Round Dance Council of Florida are invited to participate in the all-day

program of dancing and workshops.

The Nov. 19 meeting was held at the St. Petersburg Beach auditorium with Fred Christopher of St. Petersburg, presiding. The session concluded with a workshop for adventurous dancers by Christopher and Newton, with rounds conducted by Verne and Frances Junkin of Lakeland.

The organization will vote at their February meeting on a proposal for a membership fee of \$5 per couple (caller and wife or partner) and eliminating present provisions for pledge and associate memberships.

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### FEBRUARY

- 1—TAMPA—Amateur Callers' Night, Keystone Kuzzins.
- 3—HIALEAH—Harold Mainor, Auditorium, 4700 Palm Avenue, Pioneer Club and Hialeah Recreation Dept.
- 10—HIALEAH — Frankie Lane, Hialeah Auditorium, Southeast Ass'n.
- 10—TAMPA—Don Armstrong, live music, Hunt Center.
- 11—COCOA—Porlock dinner with Lloyd Gribble, emcee, Cen. Fla. Ass'n, Army.
- 11—EAU GALIE—Covered dish, Eau Gallie Civic Center, Central Florida Ass'n.
- 14—WEST PALM BEACH—Frank Lane, West Palm Beach Army, Lake Ave.; Jupiter Lightfoots.
- 16—COCOA—Frankie Lane, Cocoa Army, Allemanders, Satellites and Canaveral Squares.
- 23—HIGH SPRINGS—Tex Brownlee, Lion's Club, Tri-City.

### MARCH

- 17—MELBOURNE—Sam Prescott, Trailer Haven, Allemanders, Satellites and Canaveral Squares.
- 10—TAMPA—Don Armstrong, live music, Hunt Center.
- 19—LAKE CITY—Max Forsyth, (place to be announced), Tri-City.
- 30—CLEARWATER—West Coast Ass'n dance, Roebling Hall.
- 31—LAKELAND—Cancer Benefit Dance, Civic Center, with Sam Prescott and Joe Johnson.
- 31—OCALA—Cen. Fla. Ass'n Workshop and Evening Dance with Bob Mather, emcee, City Auditorium.

### APRIL

- 20—MELBOURNE — Walt Wentworth, Trailer Haven; Allemanders, Satellites and Canaveral Squares.
- 28—MAY 6—Fontana 1962 Spring Swap Shop.
- MAY
- 17-19—TORONTO, CANADA—Toronto Square Dance Convention, Royal York Hotel.
- 24-27—FONTANA—1962 Spring Fun Fest.
- 25—MELBOURNE—Jim Brower, Trailer Haven; Allemanders, Satellites and Canaveral Squares.
- 26—SANFORD—Cen. Fla. Ass'n Election Ball with Joe Curtis, emcee, Civic Center.
- 28—MAY 6—FONTANA—1962 Spring Swap Shop.
- 30—LAKELAND—Jim Brower, Civic Center, Buttons & Bows.

### JUNE

- 8-9—SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS—Fourth Annual Round Dance Festival, Municipal Auditorium
- 8-10—MIAMI BEACH — Pre-Convention Dancestitute, Brower-Blaum, Taylor, Mainor and The Doyles, Dilido Hotel.
- 11—PANAMA CITY—Trail Dance in Community Hall, sponsored by Panama City Callers Association.
- 12—CLEARWATER—Trail Dance with Jim Faulkenberry, West Coast Ass'n.
- 12—COCOA—Trail Dance, Civic Center, with Rust, Stone and Rice, sponsored by Allemanders and Satellite Squares of Melbourne, Canaveral Squares.

- 12—DAYTONA BEACH—Trail Dance, Municipal Pier.
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- 13—MIAMI BEACH—Trail's End Dance, 17th Street Auditorium.
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- 1-3—CLEARWATER—Sixth Knoethed Konvention, Fort Harrison.
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- 29-Oct. 7—FONTANA—1962 Fall Swap Shop.

### OCTOBER

- 27—LAKE CITY—Bob Page, Tri-City, APRIL, 1963
- 27-MAY 5—FONTANA—1963 Spring Swap Shop.
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Bill Roundtree was surprised by "idiots to be" from the Hagen Hoedancers on the evening of November 17 . . . Lew Green called for the Promenaders of West Palm Beach on November 25 . . . the beginners class conducted by Jim Keller and Ralph Otis for the Promenaders graduated on December 7 . . . Jay Fenimore has resumed calling for the Beachcombers of Hollywood . . . Les Linn was booked to call on December 4 for the Southwest Jewish Center, Miami . . . George Campbell has charge of a beginners class at the Coral Gables Youth Center that will run until April . . . Marvin Hertz is scheduled to call for the Fall dance program for the North Miami Beach Recreation Department . . . Jim Livingston and Jim Rice called for over 400 dancers at the Sugarland Jamboree in Clewiston . . . Jack Lasry went to Naples in mid-November where his group of Homesteaders became Knotheads.

Bob Adams was slated to call for a dance sponsored by the St. Rose of Lima Mothers Club on November 17 . . . Calling for the Sunshine Squares is handled by Jack Giddens . . . Eric Sohn of Winter Haven was booked to call November 19 for the Miami Beach Recreation Department . . . Ken Craig was due to start a new class for the Boynton Beach Recreation Department on November 20 . . . Ferdinand Hartman calls for square dance classes at the Delray Beach Community Center every Thursday evening . . . William Palmotier was slated to do the calling honors for the Miami Beach K of C on November 18 . . . Frank Bedell had an early November date to call for the Opti-Mrs. of Ives Estates, Miami.

Jim Taylor was to be featured caller for the Promenaders of West Palm Beach in November . . . Ernie Taylor called for the Jolly Squares Dance Club at their dinner-dance on November 11.

Herb Cassell of Jupiter—who has been convalescing from an automobile accident—paid his first visit to a square dance in two years recently when he attended the Sunshine Squares in their new hall at the International airport in West Palm Beach . . . "Your club has unity of purpose and spontaneous friendliness, both of which are absolutely necessary in the furthering of square dancing," he told Host Caller Jack Giddens . . .

The March of Dimes Benefit at Winter Haven Dec. 16 drew dancers from all parts of the West Coast and Central Florida areas . . .

Pete Sansom calls for a new club—The Jupiter Lightfooters—who meet every Wednesday at Jupiter Civic Center . . . Ted Barton will be guest caller for the Rhythm Squares in January . . . Ed Gilmore's homecoming on November 18 was celebrated by 120 members and guests of the Rhythm Squares . . . Jay Fenimore will start a new beginners class in Hollywood in January . . . to date this class promises to be the largest Jay has ever had . . . Les Linn now calls for the Hialeah Squares, a new open club that meets at the Adult Community Center, Hialeah.

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# Across The Editor's Desk

## Suncoast . . .

□ **Honey 'N Bees Squares Dance Club** of Winter Haven had their Christmas party scheduled for December 16 with Sam Prescott in charge . . . Jack Livingston called for the club on November 25 at the Civic Building in Lake Alfred.

□ **Suzy Q's Square Dance Club** of Haines City danced to Roger Chapman's calls at their regular meeting in late November . . . hosts for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDowell and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meadows.

□ **Sandspurs Square Dance Club** of Auburndale met at the Civic Center on November 24 . . .

□ **Bucks 'N Does Square Dance Club** of Auburndale met with caller Roger Chapman at the Municipal Building in late November . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kretzman and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kite were hosts for the dance.

□ **Wagon Wheels Square Dance Club** of Winter Haven danced at the Women's Club on November 16 . . . hosts for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. George Boucher and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Monge . . . Eric Sohn calls for the Wheels.

□ **Largo Recreation Department** booked a series of square dance classes for the Largo auditorium on Monday nights . . . classes were slated to start in early November with "Dad" Brundage calling.

□ **Orange Lake Square Dance Group** planned their first dance of the season for December 6 with the Brundages in charge.

□ Six members of the Dade City **Buckles and Bows** were invited to become members of the **Palma Ceia Pee Wees** of Tampa . . . those invited include Arthur and John Alston, Patti and Mary Hanley, James Chastain and Lynda Cumbee . . . the Pee Wees are sponsored by the Tampa Recreation Department and their caller is Maj. Joe Carter.

Bob and Frankie Nelson's third—a 3 pound 12 ounce boy—was doing fine in Incubator No. 5 at the Winter Haven hospital . . . His name is Richard Lyon Nelson and he'll probably be called Ricky . . . Nelson is Polk county vice president of the West Coast Square and

**Round Dancers Association** . . . Doris and Stanley Davis of Eagle Lake have a new grandbaby—Becky Lorraine Wittenberg—at Lubbock, Texas . . . Stan and Doris head the **Sandspurs Square Dance Club** of Winter Haven this year . . . Bobbi Conlin, handling publicity for the West Coast association, recently had a stiff time of it trying to get the St. Petersburg Independent to send a photographer to a square dance . . . The Carrarinis (he's in the TB hospital in Tampa) received \$130 from a benefit dance in Lakeland on Dec. 1, as well as money from the **Carriage Sets** of Orlando and the **Suzy Qs** of Winter Haven . . . Martha and Charles Young furnished the turkey and trimmed the Eagle Lake community house most artistically for the December meeting of the **West Coast Square and Round Dancers Association** directors meeting . . . **Winter Haven Square Dance Council** plans their annual New Year's dinner and dance for the Lake Alfred Lions Club Youth Center starting 8:30 p.m. Saturday night, Dec. 30 . . . plenty of food and dancing to Sam Prescott, Roger Chapman and Eric Sohn . . . Reservations accepted through Dec. 22; call Bob or Tess Dull . . . At Sarasota's Dutch Pantry ballroom on Sunday night, Dec. 31, beginning at 9 o'clock, Ed Newton and Paul Noble will call for the **Grand Squares** and **Top Hands clubs** . . . a midnight buffet is included and reservations may be made through Ralph Murrush of Sarasota . . . Ed Gilmore called for Mr. Sun's Sets in St. Petersburg's Ox-Bow on Nov. 28 . . . **Tampa Square Dance Council** had 30 squares on a recent Wednesday night . . .

□ **Dade City Square Dancers** were scheduled to present a program at the Woman's Club on November 20 with Judge O. L. Dayton, Jr., handling the calls.

Herb Cassel of Jupiter was "deeply impressed" with the new facilities of the **Sunshine Squares** of West Palm Beach—the new Sunshine Corral at the international airport . . . "Hazel and I wish to make the opportunity to compliment Jack and Marilu Giddens and the entire membership of the Club, for the amazing results of their combined effort." . . .

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## 11th National

(Continued from page 3)

- Four national bands and one local band are being considered for music at the 11th National. (Jay Fenimore)

- Letters of invitation to some 200 nationally known callers requesting participation in the 11th National are in the mail; during January questionnaires will be mailed to registered participants; in April final questionnaires, requesting dance titles, will be made; assignments will be mailed in May, and on June 1, advance copies of the program will be available. (Jay Fenimore)

- A special three day cruise to Nassau, other Caribbean cruises to Nassau and Jamaica, local sightseeing trips to such points of interest as the Villa Vizcaya, Parrot Jungle, Fairchild Gardens, the Everglades, deep sea fishing and golfing are available at special rates for those attending the convention. (Carl Dutro)

- Exhibit booths will be "the best ever" with the entire lobby of the convention hall available for booths. Square Wheelers are in charge of this phase of the convention. (Louis Gottlieb)

- An International Square Dance Reunion for dancers and callers who have participated in western style square dancing overseas, will be held in Hall C all day Friday, June 15; everyone entering the hall will receive a badge of the country they represent; emcees will be name callers who have travelled overseas and all callers will have called abroad. An exhibit of photographs, magazines and other material with various national flags is planned. An after party will climax International Day. Acceptances have been received from Fank Lane of Kansas City and Bob Osgood of Los Angeles. (Pete Sansom)

- Shuttle buses for local transportation will be provided for the convention as the need arises, but public transportation is frequent, prompt, and inexpensive. More-over conventioners may park their car without charge at the convention hall, and many will leave their cars and walk the few blocks back and forth from their hotel. (John Morgan)

- Youth committee will endeavor to provide entertainment for children 6 and older whose parents are attending the convention and who participate in the registration. Effort is being made to include noonday luncheon for the children (probably at an extra fee) so that parents may attend style shows, etc. Evening program also planned for the youngsters. (Jack Woody)

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Martha Hixon of Daytona Beach makes 'em (left); Les Gotcher had one on for a few minutes at Orlando Dec. 7 (above) and at right Les poses with Fran and Clare Malhiot of Clearwater when he called at the Ox-Bow Dec. 8. The "registration dances" drew 11 squares and \$238.75 at Orlando, produced 41 registrations at St. Petersburg.



Masqueraders from St. Petersburg way include Lola Johnson and LeRoy Wheeler, and Harry Hynes and Fred Christopher.



Ray Massey of the Orlando Recreation Department takes the mike from Central Florida President Jenkins to welcome dancers to the Les Gotcher registration dance Dec. 7, and to express appreciation to the firemen and policemen who contributed their services for the benefit dance in Orlando's municipal auditorium. Classes under department sponsorship will begin at Rock Lake Elementary School on January 8, Massey states.

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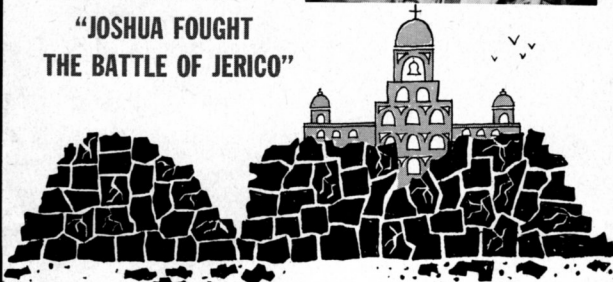
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- 1749 people is the "absolute minimum" required by the host committee, with no member expected to work more than 2 hours during the entire convention period. (Bob Cook)

- After parties will officially stop at 2 a.m., and will be held in hotel patios (in lobby if inclement), at the DiLido ballroom and at the 10th Street auditorium. (Lew Green)

- The committee's contracts with certain hotels provides for guaranteed rates throughout the four day period June 13-16. It is not necessary to register for all four days as the rates are good for one, two or three days. In many cases the same rates will be good for a reasonable number of days before and after the convention. Conventioneers are urged to protect themselves by placing their room requests through the convention committee. However no confirmations can be given until about February 1. (Harry Moore)

- The special vacation tour of the Oklahoma delegation embraces 12 days and includes an evening in New Orleans, sightseeing in Miami, an air trip to Nassau, an Oklahoma banquet Saturday evening, two nights in Tampa, for a day at Cypress Gardens, stops at Ocala's Silver Springs, Mobile's Bellingrath Gardens and New Orleans on the return trip. Cost \$147.50 "includes everything." 351 registrants (Dec. 3) include representation from several other states. (Howard Thornton)

- Advance registration for the 11th National will cost \$1.25 per person per day; 25¢ of each one-day registration and 50¢ of each of two or three day registration will be placed in a fund for expenses of National Square Dance Executive Committee. After expenses are paid, remaining funds will be used to repay loans from clubs and local associations who advanced money for the 11th National; any remaining funds will be distributed according to federation resolution: 30% to local sponsoring association, 20% to each of the other three regional affiliates, 10% to the state federation.

### Round Dance Workshop Jan. 8

A ROUND DANCE workshop on Sunday afternoon Jan. 8 in the Junior Ox Bow in Miami will be presented as a benefit by round dance instructors in the area, according to Jo Keller. Proceeds will be divided between a local publication and Bow & SWING's effort to "tell the story" nation wide to the 11th National prospects.

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