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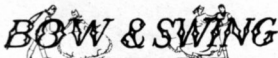
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BOB OSGOOD, editor of *Sets 'N Order* had an artist design three square dance stamps and forwarded them to Postmaster General John Gronouski for his consideration. Roy Long, chairman of the 14th National Square Dance Convention showed copies of these stamps at a convention meeting recently to spur on their effort to have a square dance stamp issued by the post office department.

The 14th National has spearheaded the drive to have the square dance stamp issued, suggesting the cere-

monies to place it on sale be held at their convention in Dallas in June.

Postmaster General Gronouski is personally aware of the square dancers desire for a stamp. He talked at length with Lee Long while in Dallas on business this past month. Although he did not commit himself, the Postmaster General now knows there are millions of square dancers in the U.S.A. and they would like to have a postage stamp to commemorate square dancing, the only truly American Folk Dance

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PLANS ARE for a Festival of States Dance, Friday, March 26, 8 p.m., Woodlawn Park Recreation Center on 16th Street and 13 Avenue North, St. Petersburg. This is a benefit dance with proceeds being donated to Youth Activities.

The Sebring Jamboree, sponsored by Highland Hoppers is scheduled March 12-13 at the Woodlawn School.

Bob and Shirley Dawson are planning a Bahama Spring Festival for April 2-5.

Camp O'Leno, south of Lake City, will be camping grounds for Jacksonville's Starlite Shufflers "Camp O'Leno Hoedown," April 3-4, with

Walt Knight, Dick Gonzales, Floyd Hazen and others.

"Alumni Nite" at the Old Ox-Bow is planned for February 27 at 8:30 p.m., St. Petersburg. Everyone who has attended square or round classes under the direction of Jim and Noriene Pearson are urged to join in their reunion.

A Jamaica Square Dance Holiday is planned to begin May 3-8. Walt Wentworth heads this vacation trip for dancers, leaving St. Petersburg, on to Miami, then flying to Jamaica.

Cost of the tour will be \$180 per person from St. Petersburg, or approximately \$18 less for those who wish to join them in Miami.

Central Florida News:

Benefit Dance Nets \$411

THE FIRST ANNUAL Exposition Extravaganza has been planned for April 3, from 8 to 11 p. m. in Orlando.

This will be a "dry run" for the 1966 convention, and is sponsored by the Orlando Recreation Department and the Orlando Whirl and Twirl Club.

Tickets for the Extravaganza will be \$2.00 per couple.

J. P. Jett will be featured caller for the event, with area callers expected to participate.

The new Exposition Hall is located on Livingston, directly across from the Municipal Auditorium in Orlando and is expected to be the locale for a "gala affair" on the 3rd.

Over 400 attended the Cerebral Palsy Benefit Square Dance held January 30 at the Tupperware Auditorium in Kissimmee.

Net proceeds of \$411 were presented the United Cerebral Palsy fund during their annual telethon held on February 6 and 7 at the Orlando Municipal Auditorium in Orlando.

Mrs. Wright, executive director of United Cerebral Palsy of Central Florida, was very pleased with the check which was presented to her by Bob Brown, secretary of FFSDA, in front of the auditorium in Orlando during the telethon. A few minutes later, this check was presented to Bill Bixby, star of "My Favorite Mar-

tian," for the television audience to see as part of the 10th annual CP Telethon.

The last class of the year being held under the joint sponsorship of Orlando Recreation Department and Orlando Western Square Dance Council will graduate on March 16 at Boone High.

Joe Curtis, instructor, will call for the Graduation Dance. Admission for all square dancers is light refreshments.

Ocala's most recent square dance club is the Ocala Grand Squares. This club will be dancing every Thursday night to the calls of Howard Rohrbacher on the intermediate to fun levels.

Visitors are welcome to join the fun at Ocala's City Auditorium, 720 N. Sanchez Street. For more information you may contact Ocala Recreation Department, phone 622-4108.

The Orlando Western Square Dance Council has announced they will not promote any more square dance classes this year.

In order to continue promoting square dancing in their area this year, the Orlando Whirl & Twirl Club will sponsor a beginners square dance class, which was to start February 2 at the Robert E. Lee School Cafeteria on Maury Road. The classes are to be self-sustaining and not cost the

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You Can Do More For Bow & Swing

WITH SPRING just around the corner, now is a good time to pause and ask, what can I do to help square dancing? Any produce or service is worthwhile until a market can be found for it.

Bow & SWING is selling square dancing 365 days a year and has recently increased its size to 16 pages to carry more news to its readers. Each month it is the hands of over 5,000 active square and round dancers in Florida, as well as many out-of-state subscribers. No national or local square dance publication can claim a fraction of this coverage in Florida.

The low advertising rates make Bow & SWING a bargain for clubs, callers and square dance stores that have merchandise or special events to sell. Not only that, but each month it carries your club news and activities FREE! If you are not taking advantage of Bow & SWING, be you a caller, club, dancer or square dance store, you are missing the best bet ever offered to you. You can even make Bow & SWING more effective by planning a subscription dance in the near future. This is a painless method to put Florida's official square dance magazine in more hands each month. Write to Bow & SWING, Box 1030, Kissimmee, Fla. 32741 for details.

Do not wait for the Bow & SWING representative listed in the front of the magazine to contact you, get your club news and advertising to him. Be a square dance "Super Booster!"

A word about pictures, it is a feast or famine. Some months there are more pictures than can be used, and some are returned. Other times we could use twice the number of pictures received. If you have had a picture returned and it does not have time value, submit it again. If by that time you have a picture with time value, send it. — FRANK CORNWALL

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Mar. 26-28—Bob Rust & Ed Newton, Fri. night only; Les Gotcher & Ed Newton, Sat.

Apr. 9-11—Bob Rust, Fri. night only; C. O. Guest, Dallas, Tex.

Apr. 23-25—Bob Rust, Fri. night only; Dusty Randell, Amarillo, Tex.

Watch for supplemental announcements, other dates to be filled. All evening dances are open. Cost on partial reservations prorated. These star-studded weekends are priced at \$42.50 per couple (includes food, lodging, dancing, workshops, squares and rounds, boating, fishing, after parties, refreshments. No tips, no hidden charges. Check in anytime Friday a.m., check out Sunday after a late breakfast. Children shared bedroom with parents: pre-school free; pre-teen \$17.50. Television lounge for the kids, supervising program while mom and dad are dancing. Two couples will share a bathroom. Self contained trailers, \$30.50 per space includes everything except housing. Frontier Farms—where Sunshine State Parkway meets I-75, Box 218, Wildwood, Fla., Phone 748-2776. Two miles north of Wildwood on Highway 301, east on paved county road to Lake Niemo.

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PLANS ARE under way for the Festival of States Dance, Friday, March 26, 8 p.m., at the Woodlawn Park Recreation Center on 16th Street and 13th Avenue, North, St. Petersburg.

This is a benefit dance with proceeds being donated to Youth Activities. Admissions will be 75c per dancer and 50c each for spectators.

A Festival of States Parade will be held on April 2 at 1 p.m. in St. Petersburg. A float from Pinellas County will be entered with two squares dancing to the calls of Jim Pearson and Walt Wentworth.

The week of February 22 was the 50th anniversary of Pinellas County and it was celebrated with pomp and grandeur. A parade was staged on February 17 in which a square dance float was entered. Fred Christopher and Argel Jordan recorded tapes and Jordan pantomimed the calls.

Ona Bivans and Bea Meister, in their colorful dresses, graced the Jeep which was furnished by Ringer Motors. They also distributed brochures advertising the beginners class which was started at the Ox-Bow on February 22 by Jim and Noriene Pearson. Ira Bivans and Clarence Meister were pilot and copilot wearing their ten gallon hats.

The second annual Pirates Ball held by Sunshine Shufflers at the Woman's Club, Naples, on January 30, was attended by more than 150 square dancing pirates.

The floor was overflowing with square dancers gayly costumed in all forms of pirate attire. There were also approximately 50 non-dancing spectators at the ball. Guests were greeted upon arrival by junior dancers, members of the Sandy Steppers Club.

Lucy Rouchio and Bernard Shaffer were chosen to be king and queen of the dance and were properly invested in their robes, crowned and seated on their thrones during the grand march.

Englewood's Buttons and Bows Square Dance Club was visited by more than thirty Polish performers from the Barnum and Bailey Circus in Venice. This was the Polish performer's first visit to Englewood.

Demonstrations of square and round dances were performed for the foreign visitors at the Buttons and Bows' regular Saturday night dance



Gold cups were awarded to Dorothy Salter, Sandy Eason, and Lily Lodate, amateur callers, for their efforts on their recent "Amateur Night" at MacDill Air Base. The ladies are pictured with caller, J. P. Jett.

at Lemon Bay School.

Mr. Garrett, principal of Lemon Bay, took the performers on a tour of the school. Upon their return to the dance, a polka was played in their honor.

The Highland Hoppers Club of Sebring has received enthusiastic response to their Jamboree plans, according to Rosemary Deck.

This Central Florida event will take place March 12 and 13 in Woodlawn School in Sebring. Mr. and Mrs. Neddo, motel reservation chairmen, have secured the Holiday Motel as headquarters. The motel is centrally located on Highway 27 across the street from the Southgate Shopping Center.

Plans are continuing to progress nicely for Clearwater's 10th annual Fun 'n Sun Festival to be held April 9 and 10 in Clearwater's Municipal Auditorium.

Frank Bedell of Hollywood and Jay Fenimore of Ft. Lauderdale are teaming up for some "swinging" tips, while Ed and Kay Mack are making big plans on the rounds.

Ticket sales are moving right along, according to Sam Saporito, Fun 'n Sun Festival chairman. Sam says, "this year's Festival will be bigger and better than ever."

Dance tickets and motel reservations may be obtained by writing Sam Saporito, 2381 Gulf-to-Bay Boulevard, Clearwater.

□ Tampa Dancers Association plans their 7th Anniversary Dance on March 25 with Sam Prescott at Forest Hills Community Center. . . J. P. Jett has been chosen to call regularly for TDA every second Thursday, along with Sam Prescott, who calls every fourth Thursday.

□ Crosstrail Squares dance every 1, 3 and 5 Saturday at MacDill Air Force Base with J. P. Jett. . . Crosstrail's membership has grown to 17 squares. . . plans are to bring a nationally known caller for the first Saturday dances, at no extra charge to dancers, giving them a better program. . . July 3, Crosstrail Squares will sponsor a dance at MacDill Air Force Base with Paul Childers of Virginia calling.

□ J. P. Jett's schedule includes a new closed class of 27 squares for the residents of Town and Country areas, beginning February 19. . . first and second lessons free. . . and a new caller clinic in Tampa with 11 beginning callers.

□ Bay Area Twirlers are sponsoring an open dance February 20 at Roy Haines Civic Center with Danny Robinson calling. . . two banner stealing trips were recently made by the B. A. Twirlers. . . one to Daytona Beach's Beachcomber Club and the other to Suzy Q's of Winter Haven. . . February 9 Bay Area Twirlers did an exhibition of "Old MacDonald's Farm" at the Florida State Fair.

□ Squares and Pairs featured J. P. Jett calling for 17 squares at their February 5 dance, held at the Y.W.C.A. in St. Petersburg. . . Jett will be calling again March 5, with Ben Stark slated to call March 19.

□ Skeeter Chauvin's Saints and Spinners are putting in a new wood floor and air conditioning in their dance hall. . . they dance on 2 and 4 Saturdays at the Roy Haines Civic Center with Chauvin and J. P. Jett calling.

□ Lakeland's Red Hot Trotters enjoyed a rib barbecue at Sportsman's Lodge recently. . . the event welcomed new members into the club. . . after dinner dancing was enjoyed by all, reports Hazel Reed, publicity. . . a box lunch is planned for February 14. . . lunch boxes are to be packed by the men. . . ladies will bid for boxes and have lunch with the gentleman that packed the lunch she picks. . . Trotters dance every 2 and 4 Saturday at the new Florida Hotel. . . Jack Benz, caller, features a 7 p.m. workshop with dance at 8.

□ Tampa's Circle Square Dance Club elected new officers for 1965 recently. . . Russ and Gloria Barlett, president, Vaughn and Marty Marks, vice president, Bob and Marge Keister, treasurer and Wade and Inez Black, secretary. . . Tom Morris of Circle Squares' was selected publicity committee chairman for the State Square Dance Convention to be held in June in

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The Square Wheelers Dance Team of Miami Beach are pictured with their caller, Gene E. Baylis. They will present an exhibition of their dancing skills at a benefit dance March 15 for the Asthmatic Children's Foundation of Florida. Left to right is Judy Anibal, Tom C. Nicely, Laverne Spafford, Frank M. Cox, Marsha Indowsky, Louis L. Gottlieb, Virginia D. Godley, Dwayne L. Chevalier, and Margaret A. Houston.

Southeast Florida News Notes:

Square Dancers have Big Hearts

THE SQUARE WHEELERS Dance Team of Miami Beach is a group of paraplegics who have been organized and taught by architect, Gene E. Baylis.

This team of young folks have developed into a "swinging" square of exhibitioners on wheels, who are proving that Square Dancers have big hearts.

Monday night, March 15, at Ocean Front Auditorium, 10th Street and Ocean Drive, Miami, this group will present an exhibition at a Square Dance Festival, sponsored by City of Miami Beach Recreation Department, to raise funds for the Asthmatic Children's Foundation of Florida. All proceeds of the dance will be donated to the foundation.

The Ocean Waves and Sun Dancers will be co-hosts for the festival.

Square dancers in and around the Miami Beach area who would like to have a "whole heap" of fun and dancing, along with enjoying the Square Wheelers performances, and help a wonderful cause, be on hand at 8:00 p.m. at the Ocean Front Auditorium on March 15 for this Square Dance Festival. Admission will be \$1.00 per person.

Bob Brown, secretary of Florida Federation of Square Dancers Association, reports that Richard Rae tendered his resignation as president of the Southeast Florida and Round Dancers Association at their meeting on January 24.

Kenny Kendall was appointed to fulfill the unexpired term and is now president of the association.

A great deal of interest has been stimulated by dancers in the callers who will be featured at Miami Beach Ocean Waves Firecracker Festival. The festival is to be held at the Fontainebleau Hotel, July 2, 3 and 4, 1965.

A number of dancers are acquainted with Singin' Sam Mitchell and Jack Jackson who called for the Ocean Waves at their July 4 weekend in 1964. To help acquaint them with Earl Johnson who has been added to the program for the upcoming event, here is a little back-ground on this caller who received top raves at the last National Convention in Long Beach, California.

□ West Palm Beach Promenaders will graduate a class February 20. . . instructor Ernie Bass informs us the special event will be in the form of a Pirate Dance. . . five squares from New Port Richie showed up at Lee County Auditorium, Ft. Myers, to make Knot-heads. . . each dancer wore a red rose and presented one to caller Ernie Bass and his taw, Helen. . . an all night square dance is planned by Promenaders in West Palm Beach, March 6, at Palm Coast Plaza Hall. . . callers will be Ralph Otis and Ernie Bass.

□ Fred Johnson's Swinging Fun Club is dancing at 45 Almeria Avenue, Coral Gables every Sunday. . . reports are they are actually having "swinging fun" while doing the new figures under John-

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Dancers Brave Obstacles for Association Dance in January

APPROXIMATELY 21 squares of dancers made their way through heavy rain and muddy streets to the Northeast Florida Square Dancer Association's Fifth Saturday Dance on January 30.

Streets in the vicinity of Paxon Junior High School have been torn up in a street rebuilding program and the heavy rains all day preceding the dance made the trip somewhat of an adventure. Those who did make it were rewarded with a fine dance called by Myron Samson and Eddie Millan.

The next dance will be on May 29. Place and callers will be announced later. Arrangements will be made by Fred and Erma Blado, program chairmen.

Wally Lightfoot, president of NEFSDA, has scheduled the next meeting of the association's delegates for Sunday, March 14 in the Mayflower Hotel at 3:00 p. m.

April 3 and 4, Jacksonville's Starlite Shufflers are sponsoring a Camp O'Leno Hoedown, south of Lake City, featuring the Starlites' caller, Walter Knight, with guests Dick Gonzales, Floyd Hazen and others.

Dancers desiring to make Camping Badges may do so by camping out overnight in tent or trailer, cooking one meal and square dancing.

□ Promenaders' 5th Saturday dance was enjoyed by approximately 4 squares at Paxon Junior High School, January 29. . . Promenaders banner was captured by Palatka's Kaper Kutters, but was recaptured February 6. . . club's Sunday Social on January 24 was such a success it is to be repeated February 28. . . Floyd Hazen, Promenaders' caller, is giving workshops on Tuesday nights for new and old dancers. . . Promenaders are in the midst of plans for their third annual Pirates Ball.

□ Considerable emphasis is being placed on the younger set in the Jacksonville area. . . Pre-teen classes are being taught by Bob Keefe at **Grand Slammers** Hall in Marietta and Eddie Millan in Orange Park and Normandy areas. . . a class is nearing the graduation stage in Arlington under the tutelage of Tommy Thompson. . . Tommy is leaving the Florida scene for the Chicago area. . . it is reported his calling duties with the **Jacks and Jills** will be taken over by Frank Clements, who has been helping with his last class.

□ The first birthday celebration of the **Rounders Round Dance Club** is set for March 17 at the new Woodstock

Center. . . both square and round dancing are on tap for the event, according to Carl Graeff, president.

□ Joe Joyce, chairman of the Fall Roundup Committee, reports progress in getting the annual event lined up. . . further details will be announced later.

□ **Grand Slammers'** president, Bruce Carroll, reports their next class will start on February 22 at their hall in Marietta.

□ **Starlite Shufflers** held their birthday party Saturday, February 6. . . Shufflers classes started 3 years ago February 2, on Ground Hog Day. . . they still have 3 Ground Hogs in the club. . . their prediction is more cold weather. . . the Shufflers are planning to go to Palatka to recapture their flag in February. . . they are also looking for a new place to dance since the Edgewood Recreation Center has been remodeled and they won't allow them to dance there any more. . . anyone with a vacant building?

□ Jacksonville's **Merry Mixers** were entertained recently by Craig and Jackie Powell, their new presidents, with an after-party. . . the Mixers new class on Monday nights at St. Paul's Episcopal Church is coming along nicely. . . Herschel Lee took over the calling when Myron Samson was sick recently. . . several Merry Mixers visited **Paxon Prancers** and danced to calling of Bob Rust. . . they also visited the **Orange Park Promenaders**. . . a Friday 13 dance was held with everyone being required to walk under a ladder to get in. . . Satan appeared in the form of a furry black cat and was won by Bruce and Annette Marley.

□ **Fun and Frolics** recently recaptured their banner from **Seaside Squares** who sneaked it away last November. . . 60% of the Fun and Frolic club attended the third annual Okefenokee Square-Up in Waycross. . . Angie and Scottie Hayes are welcome new members to the Frolicers.

□ **Square 8 Club** of Panama City Beach recently elected officers for the next six months.

□ March 16 is set for **Lake City Squares** big Max Forsyth Dance. . . it will be held at the Army. . . regular 4th Saturday dance on March 27 will be held at O'Leno State Park instead of at Veterans Memorial Hall in Lake City. . . plans are to have Red Warrick call for the L. C. Squares October 16. . . Red called two dances in the area last fall with very favorable reports. . . dances are held every 2 and 4 Monday and every 4 Saturday at Veterans Memorial Hall. . . Bill Camp caller.

□ A graduation party was held by the Capital Squares of Tallahassee on

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New class graduated by Panama City Square 8 club is pictured above. There were 44 members in the class when this picture was made at the halfway mark.

January 29. . . food, fun and frolic was enjoyed by all. . . the new group made candlelighters and church nice. . . two squares of Capital Squares journeyed to Waycross, Georgia, to the 3rd Annual Okefenokee Square-Up. . . also enjoyed traveling to the **Panama City Gambol** and calling by Max Forsyth and other local and visiting callers.

□ **Bea and Leon Smith**, past presidents of **Western Cutters** of Jacksonville, had the outgoing and incoming officers and board members at their home in December. . . all old business was passed from the old officers to the new ones at that time. . . refreshments and ping-pong in the Smiths' new room addition was enjoyed by all, according to the Grapevine. . . Cutters parking lot is being repaired and a new tile floor has been promised soon. . . Western Cutters plan a new class for beginners on February 19 at Wesconnett Civic Center.

□ **Friendly Frolics** of Jacksonville, welcomed graduates from Herschell Lee's class of January 16 into their club. . . everyone in Friendly Frolics territory on February 20 is invited to get out their "best rags" and join them for their **Hobo Convention**. . . bring a can or pot of stew and eat Mulligan's stew

with them. . . all stew goes into a big pot and everyone gets "pot luck". . . a prize will be given to the "best dressed hobo."

□ **Orange Park Promenaders' Juniors** are reorganizing on Saturday mornings from 9:30 to 11:00 with Eddie Millan as instructor-caller at 50¢ per session. . . Promenaders are also forming a brush-up workshop for dropouts. . . any dancers who would like to review are invited to come on Tuesday nights and join the class now polishing up basic training.

□ **Two Gainesville clubs, the Allemanders and Merrysteppers**, combined their clubs on January 1. . . Tom and Ellen Collins, caller for the Allemanders, presented Ruth and Bart Bartley, Merrysteppers' caller, a ceramic lamp for the help they had given the Allemanders.

APOLOGIES are in order to the Ranch Hands of Clearwater for an error appearing in the January issue of **Bow & Swing**. Names were reversed under picture of officers. Also, new secretaries should have read Jack Corey and Betty Adams instead of Jack and Betty Adams.—*The Editor*.

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Pictured is another Sanford beginner's class that recently graduated. They will now be added to the rolls of the Starlight Promenaders.

Central Florida News . . .

(Continued from page 4)

club anything except a little work and cooperation from all the members.

Plans are to form a beginners' Club, which the Whirl & Twirl Club will control. When they are ready, the "student" dancers will graduate into the intermediate Whirl & Twirl Club. In the future it may be possible to form another level club. This program, known as the "3 in 1 Club" is endorsed by the Orlando and Winter Park Recreation Departments. The two recreation departments are on the threshold of a square dancers "new horizon."

The new beginners class will consist of twelve basic lessons, taught by Whirl & Twirl caller, Danny Robinson.

□ **Happy Hoedowners** of Wildwood and Leesburg have changed their dancing place on 2 and 4 Fridays each month. . . Hoedowners are now dancing at Frontier Farms. . . they are sponsoring a new class for beginners and have nine squares enrolled. . . instructor is Howard Rohrbacher of Ocala. . . classes will run for fifteen weeks, with graduation night set for May 11.

□ **Sanford's Starlight Promenaders** have graduated another class of beginners to be added to their rolls. . . it is reported they all worked hard and despite hurricanes and other minor details, they will be a welcome asset to the club.

□ **The Klassy Kats Round Dance Club** of Orlando are currently working on "Charade" and "I Remember You" with plans to start on "Yesterday's Memories."

□ **Daytona Beach area's newest square dance club** was organized last

month. . . the group, known as **Whirlways**, sprung from Fred Rowe's workshop that has been dancing for the past two years. . . Whirlways elected Jim Nudera, president, Joe Ward, vice president, Rose Fricke, secretary and Mary Flegert, treasurer. . . club will dance every Friday night at 8 p.m. at Central Junior High School, Holly Hill, to caller Fred Rowe. . . visitors welcome.

□ **Round Dance Club** of Daytona gave John and Lorrie Deshano a surprise housewarming recently. . . party was organized by Bill and Nita Appenzeller along with John and Linda Saunders. . . those attending were Al and Martha Hixon, Joe and Dorothy McGregor, Henry and Evelyn Riehl, Joe and Rita Swander and Pete and Fran Dzioba.

□ **Highland Squares**, Daytona, held a Pioneer Party last month when the club moved its dancing place to the new Fellowship Hall at Highland Church. . . a square from Palatka came to retrieve their Kaper Cutters banner at this dance, called by John Saunders, Highland Squares caller.

□ **Round dancing** for beginners is being taught by John and Betty Jones of Melbourne. . . class is sponsored by **Klassy Kats** and Orlando Recreation Department. . . it was started February 2 at the Roque Club, across from City Auditorium, Orlando. . . classes begin at 8 p.m., priced \$1.50 per lesson.

□ **Canaveral Squares** are back in the Tiger Den with their regular Tuesday Jett calling. . . 118 people were on hand January 2. . . Amateur Night with the Crossrail Squares will be January 16.

□ **Canaveral Squares** of Cocoa welcomed the February 9 graduation class of Chuck Durant into their club at the Tiger Den on February 16. . . graduating class completed 26 weeks of basic instruction and are now privileged to

wear the badge of Canaveral Square Dancers. . . refreshments, provided by John and Janet Brink, was a unique cake decorated with replica of the red and white circled planet of the Canaveral Squares badge. . . anxious to add additional bars to their badges, a number of new members attended the Florida Pirates Party, held February 12 at Lake Mary. . . a square of new members made their first public dance when Canaveral Squares danced for opening of a new sub-division development, Harborview Cove, February 14. . . fried chicken dinner and iced cokes were provided by local volunteer fire department. . . Virginia Carte, correspondent from Canaveral Squares was interviewed by WMMB announcer. . . she reports she, like all square dancers, was glad to tell of long term pleasure gained by being on team of square dancers.

□ **East Coast Dancers**, Melbourne, had Jack Livingston of Speedway, Indiana, calling their regular monthly dance on February 20, at Eau Gallie Civic Center. . . save this date on your calendar if you are in the Central Florida area, March 20, East Coast Dancers, Eau Gallie Civic Center. . . having "Decko" Deck of Arlington, Virginia calling. . . dance starts at 8 p.m. with door prizes as usual. . . attendance at these dances usually runs from 250 to 300 dancers.

□ **The Pioneer Club** of Winter Park has elected new officers. . . new president is Woody Ezzard, Lora and Ray Bookmiller, vice president, Loretta and Bill McAdams, secretary, Howard and Melba Miller, treasurer. . . elected to the board were Al and Dot Cody and Marthy and Al Martin. . . club meets every first and third Thursdays at the Winter Park Recreation Center.

□ **Howard Rohrbacher**, assistant superintendent of recreation with the City of Ocala, has begun Ocala's newest square dance club, **Ocala Grand Squares**. . . meet every Thursday night at City Auditorium. . . City of Leesburg has also secured Rohrbacher's services to teach a beginners class every Tuesday night.

□ **L. E. Weise**, president of the **Whirl & Twirl Squares** in the Orlando area and also taxidermist, once mounted a gorilla. . . he kept it around the club. . . anyone that showed up without a partner had the distinction of dancing with a gorilla.

□ **New officers** were elected by the **Pioneer Square Dance Club** of Orlando. . . newly elected are Woody Ezzard, president, Ray Bookmiller, vice president, Loretta McAdam, secretary, Melba Miller, treasurer.

□ **Joe and Ruth Curtis** started a beginners class January 6 at Grand Avenue Women's building in Orlando. . . Joe and Ruth were surprised one night by some forty people coming in for a house warming after moving to 724 Putnam Street. . . Ruth has antique furniture and claims she finally found a house to accommodate it.

Couples Spin the Top

THE SQUARE of the Month for March is "Couples Spin the Top," reports Gordon Blaum of Miami, square dance coordinator.

"Couples Spin the Top" is a partner call and is reported to be a lot of fun, provided you have plenty of dance room.

COUPLES SPIN THE TOP

Heads to the right and circle four—Head gets break and line up four
Two ladies chain across, Do-sa-do to an 8-hand wave and rock it

Girls turn back—Cous swing thru two by two
When you do, Couples Spin the Top—Got lots of time

When you're straight, Couples Swing thru two by two

When you do, Couples Spin the Top—Got lots of time

When you're straight, balance 8 in line
Pass thru, then wheel across and look for the corner

Allernande left.

Here are some workshop numbers written by Jack Lasry and Gordon Blaum.

CLOVER AND ANYTHING

Done on an 8-chain-thru, all pass thru set-up (same set-up as the wheel and anything position). The couple facing out separates as in a Cloverleaf and meets the opposite to pair up and face into the set while the others do the "and" part.

1. Head couples square thru, 4 hands round
When you do, when you do

Pass thru, Clover and square thru, count 4 hands

Right and left thru the outside two, dive thru Square thru 3/4 around, left allernande . . .

2. Side ladies chain—Heads square thru
Pass thru, Clover and Spin the Top
Box the goat, square thru 3/4 to a Left allernande . . .

3. Head couples square thru
Pass thru, Clover and left square thru, left allernande . . .

4. Side couples half sashay—Heads star thru, California Twirl
Pass thru, Clover and Split square thru
Right to mother and pull by, left allernande . . .

CLOVER IN AND OUT—By: Gordon Blaum
The outside couple facing out will separate as done in a regular cloverleaf (In) and take opposite to pair up with the inside couple who have done a 3/4 out to face the oncoming couple.

Examples:
CLOVER IN AND OUT—NO. 1
Heads square thru four hands around
Pass thru, Clover In and Out
Allernande left . . .

CLOVER IN AND OUT—NO. 2
Promenade:

One and three wheel around, right and left thru

Star thru California Twirl, Clover In and Out
Square thru three quarters around
Allernande left . . .

CLOVER IN AND OUT—NO. 3
One and three wheel around, Square thru four hands around

Clover In and Out, Square thru three quarters around
Allernande left . . .

Clover In and Out, Square thru three quarters around
Allernande left . . .

CLOVER IN AND OUT—NO. 4
Heads star thru, Pass thru around one four in line

Forward eight and back with you, then Star thru

Clover In and Out, Star Thru, do a half sashay
Star Thru, Clover In and Out, Star thru, do a half sashay

Star Thru, Clover In and Out, Dive In, Pass Thru

Allernande left . . .

Ben Stark of St. Petersburg will begin a series of intermediate to advanced square dance combination

workshops February 26, sponsored by the Ridgewood Mountain Village. Workshops will be held at Ridgewood Mountain Village Recreation Hall just off Alternate 19, south of Largo.

The February 26 dance will be held from 7:30 until 10:30 on Friday night with succeeding dances being held weekly on Wednesday nights at the same time. Dances will be open and all dancers are invited. More information may be obtained by calling Ben Stark, phone 526-5393, St. Petersburg.

Bob and Shirley Dawson have planned a "Bahamas Spring Festival" for April 2-5.

Upon leaving Port Everglades on the beautiful "S.S. Ariadne" on Friday, there will be cruising and dancing with Dawson all the way to Nassau and Freeport in the Bahamas, returning to Port Everglades Monday at 9 a.m.

Rounds will be handled by dance instructors By and Lu Markle, with cruise conductor Cliff Pollard of Pollard Tours.

Bob Carson of New York City was engaged to plan and stage the "Pioneer Days Pageant," presented February 22 through 26, in Pinellas.

Don and Marie Armstrong have a new "baby," (Radio Station WGUL), which is taking most of their time these days. But they report they are going to leave it in other hands come June and hit the high road for some fishing, dancing and visiting.

The Old Ox-Bow Square & Round Dance Hall at 2027 4th Avenue S., St. Petersburg, is taking on a new look. Improvements are being made right and left, according to Noriene Pearson. The street in front of the building is being repaved, with new curbing being put in. Previously the large trucks that frequent the area have done considerable damage to the streets, with puddles of water standing, making parking difficult.

□ Rumor has had it that Fred Christopher was moving out of the Tampa Bay area. . . Fred emphatically denies this. . . he put his house up for sale (which probably started it all) in hopes of moving closer to Clearwater and most of his calling assignments. . . he definitely will remain in the Tampa area according to Hink Smith.

□ Rockin A's recording star, J. P. Jett's newest release is Heartaches by the Number.

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Java Glide

SOMETHING NEW has been added to the selection of the Round of the Month. The fourth Sunday of each month has been set aside for making the selection for the following month, according to Frances and Verne Junkin, co-ordinators for the Round Dance Council of Florida.

The first meeting was held on January 24 at Ramada Inn in Lakeland and was attended by three callers and their wives, three round dance couples and two dancer couples.

Art and Dorothea Brammeier taught "Java Glide" to the group with Roger and Mary Jane Chapman teaching "Ruby Ann," a Belco Record No. B-210-A.

Next meeting will be held February 28 at 1 p.m. at the Ramada Inn in Lakeland. Any caller or round dance teacher may attend.

The March meeting is planned for the first Sunday in April due to the Callers Workshop in Orlando, conflicting with the regular date.

ROM "Java Glide" dance is by Glen and Cleo Zea of Sioux Falls, S. D., and record is danced to "Java" (RCA-Victor 478280).

INTRODUCTION

Wait 4 counts, balance apart, balance together to semi closed part A (Semi-Closed Position) Mens.

PART A (Semi-Closed Position)
1-4 Two-Step FWD (2-Step in LOD); **Rock Balance FWD and Back**, **Rock Balance FWD and Back**; Step, Close, Step, -; Step Close, Step, -; Rock fwd on L foot; slightly lifting R foot off floor; Rock back on R foot slightly lifting L foot; Rock fwd on L foot; Rock back on R foot.

5-8 Repeat Mens. 1-4 above, ending in Open Pos. facing LOD.

9-2 Balance Apart; Balance Together; Roll (Individual) Down LOD 2, 3, 4 (A bouncy balance apart, 2, 3, -; (M to coh W to Wall) Balance together, 2, 3, -; Roll, 2, 3, 4; (Down LOD), one complete turn in 4 steps, M making L face turn, W making R face turn.)

15-16 FWD Two-Step; FWD Two-Step; Walk Fwd, 2, 3, 4 - (Twirl the Girl) Step, close, Step, -; Step, close, step, -; Fwd in LOD 4 slow steps and twirl the girl 2 turns in the 4 steps; end Open Pos.

PART B (Open Position)
17-20 Two-Step FWD; Two-Step Pivot (individual on last step, toward partner) Back Up, 2, 3, 4; Fwd two step (starting M's L, W's R); Fwd two-step (pivotting individual on the last step, toward partner) to face RLOD) change hands, Back up 4 steps;
21-24 Two-Step FWD; Two-Step Pivot (to face LOD), change hands Back Up 4 steps; Repeat in RLOD (as in 17-20) two step fwd; two step pivot; Back up 4 steps, end in Semi Closed Pos.

TAG

In Semi-Closed Position do Two FWD Two-Steps; twirl The Girl and chug.

Sequence: Intro, A, A, B, A, B, A, Tag.

Sarasota's annual "Spectacular" is the largest round dance event in the United States and was held in January.

The "Spectacular" is a free dance for Spectacular members only, but it is reported an estimated 500 spectators watched the proceedings from the balcony, while the floor was full. Many spectators have joined begin-

ners classes after watching the "Old Favorite" dances cued and demonstrated by the cream of Florida's round dance teachers.

Spectacular members, including the All-A-Rounds in Sarasota, Gondoliers at Venice, Gammers at Oneco with many others, enjoyed rollicking dance parties, patio parties, and neighborhood groups throughout the week.

Sarasota areas present many opportunities to learn and enjoy "couple-pattern" dancing.

Their February schedule includes teaching "Dark Eyes," "Poco A Poco" and during request periods they planned to re-teach "Samp, Stamp, Stamp" which is a challenge dance in rhythm.

Newcomers to round dancing, Sam and Mary Jo Allison, have been welcomed into this area's regular teaching staff, it was announced.

Sets in Order's current best seller list still has "Hooten Toot" on the top. "Whispering", Hi Hat label 807, came in second, with "Tic Toc Melody", Grenn 14061, "Tennessee Waltz", Windsor 4600 and "I Could Have Danced All Night", Grenn 14067, following in that order.

Round Dancer's Top Ten was headed by "Tango Adios," Windsor 4701, again. Their list for February includes "Dancing on a Moonbeam", Grenn 14064, "Sugar Lips", RCA Victor 47-8391, "Whispering", Hi Hat 807, "Green Door", Belco B-207A, "Charade", "Sarita Tango", Dance Along Book 85, "Cape Cod Waltz", Windsor 4695, "Lonesome Two Step", Decca 31514, and "Hooten Toot".

Orlando's **Klasy Kats** new round dance classes will start February 2. . . instructors will be John and Betty Jones from Melbourne. . . lessons will run for 12 weeks at \$1.50 per couple per lesson. . . those interested contact Vicki Tuttle, Orlando 241-1117, or meet at the Roque Club directly across from the Municipal Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. on February 2.

Fifth Annual Squar-O-Rama Held February 12-13 in Tampa

DANCERS gave Tampa's new Curtis Hixon Convention Hall a full scale tryout at the Suncoast Callers' Association's Fifth Annual Square-O-Rama Feb. 12 and 13, and were delighted at the more-than-seventy-squares who turned out for the Friday night opener.

The two day session tied in with the last two days of the Florida State Fair, as well as the Round Dance Council's Spring Clinic which followed next day in Clearwater.

Matt Bryan of Tampa, chairman of the 1965 Florida Square Dance Convention, had his problems, but felt the whole affair was well worth while from a standpoint of eliminating problems in June. Acoustics in the main hall were remarkably satisfactory, although it was not possible to test out the idea of dividing the hall into two sections with sound-proof curtains between them. The Ybor room, used for rounds, and the Gasparilla room, ostensibly a hot-hash room, had excellent acoustical properties and smooth tile floors.

Fred Christopher of St. Petersburg directed the event, assisted by J. P. Jett and Bryan, with Ed Newton of Sarasota directing sound and Clare Malhot of Clearwater coordi-

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nating the rounds.

Scores of callers from the area participated in the program.

JUST A REMINDER to all you square dancers who have petitions with signatures to help get a square dance stamp, now is the time to send them to John Gronouski, postmaster general, United States Post Office, Washington, D.C.

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Southeast . . .

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son's directions.

Members of **Nautical Wheelers** continue to enjoy a fine succession of callers booked by **Marathon Key Hoppers**. . . callers include Frank Bedell, Colin Walton, and Neal Blanchard. . . Wheelers' caller, B. O. Lowery, started a new beginners square dance class in February. . . Lowery is also conducting a round dance workshop at 3 p.m., Sundays in the Holy Innocents Parish Hall, Key West.

Pioneers White Elephant dance was a howl, reports Dot Schmidt, reporter. . . highlight of the evening was Ike Beckerman of the Ocean Waves, modeling his prize, an old worn out girde. . . **Pioneers** Valentine Dance, scheduled February 13, was to feature an evening loaded with singing calls by Les Linn. . . plans for March 13 are for a St. Patrick's day theme.

Westernaires have welcomed new members into their club. . . Ellis and Doris Craig, Elwood and Ginny Gaines, Orchid Mendoza, Mark and Edna Nairn, Joe and Barbara Spadaro, Bill and Helen Thomas, Jeannie Wood, and Jim and Barbara Ziegler. . . junior members of Bob Cooks' beginners class formed a club of their own, **Western Twillers**, who are dancing with the Westernaires. . . Westernaires are now dancing at the Northside Auditorium, 7900 N.W. 27th Avenue, Miami.

Ft. Lauderdale's Rhythm Squares, are meeting at Beach Community Center on first Saturday of each month. . . dances are held at City Library the balance of the month. . . Rhythm Squares plan a covered dish supper March 6 at Beach Community Center. . . supper starts at 6:30 p.m. with the regular dance at 8. . . honorary member, Robin Johnson, who attends Rhythm dances in a wheel chair, recently surprised the members by calling the square dance "Things" in a professional manner.

Beachcombers of Hollywood have new officers. . . Doris and Will Moody, presidents, Thelma and Ed Campbell, vice presidents, Dorothy and Henry Johnston, secretaries, and Ruth and Ralph Gross, treasurers. . . Beachcombers are planning a float for annual Hollywood Fiesta parade.

January 17 found about 75 members of **Ocean Waves**, their friends and families (including children and grandchildren), defying the wind and cold for their first family picnic. . . clad in garments more appropriate for the weather than customary square dance garb, they gathered at Pit 3, Crandon Park, and feasted on juicy frankfurters and hamburgers, drank hot coffee and danced. . . the Ocean Waves St. Valentine Dance was held on February 8. . . reservations are continuing to pour in for the July 2 Firecracker Festival at Fontainebleau.

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West Coast . . .

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Tampa. . . executive committee meeting was called by Matt Bryan, chairman, at the North Boulevard Community Center in Tampa. . . Fred Christopher is replacing John James as caller for Circle Square Dancers. . . club is now dancing on first and third Tuesdays each month at Interbay Community Center.

Brooksville Squares dance every Friday at 8 p.m. at American Legion Hall in Brooksville. . . they report their last class which graduated November 17 is very active. . . a new beginners class under the direction of Dick Bishop is now under way with lessons on Tuesday nights.

Contry Cousins of Tampa are featuring a "wearing of the green" theme for their St. Patrick's Dance March 18. . . prizes and favors will add to the fun and pleasure of dancing to the Irish calls of Cliff Reazak.

Clearwater's Dixie Swingers are sponsors for a beginners class being taught by Bill Muench. . . they have over 5 lessons behind them and are well on their way. . . **West Coast Square and Round Dance Association** is making plans to enter a float in several parades. . . they include Pinellas Park's 50th Anniversary parade, Plant City's Strawberry Festival, St. Petersburg's Festival of States, and Clearwater's Fun 'n Sun Festival.

The front row at **Sandspurs**, Winter Haven, January 22 dance looked like the waiting room at Dr. Kildare's office. . . their February 12 dance was cancelled in order that members might attend the Squar-o-rama held in Tampa's new Curtis Hixon Convention Hall held February 12 and 13. . . Jim Yarbrough, Sandspurs' president, wishes to thank all squares dancers who attended the Frank Lane dance in Lakeland, sponsored by Sandspurs, on January 9. . . club dances regularly the second and fourth Fridays in Auburndale Civic Center and a warm welcome is extended to all.

Hollis Wagner calls for the **Colonial Swingers** on Wednesdays at 8 p.m. at Colonial Gables Swim and Country Club, Sarasota. . . beginners square dancing is taught by Betty and John Ganner, Tuesdays from 8 p.m. at the Byron Studios in Venice.

The **Bar None Square Dance Club** of Wauchula held their Christmas dance and graduation of new Bar None members on December 19. . . Mel Clark of Lakeland was teacher of this new class.

T.D.A.'s and **Forest Hillbillies** held their Christmas party jointly. . . Skeeter Chauvin handled the calling for about 7 squares. . . T.D.A.'s anniversary dance will be held on March 25 at Forest Hills Community Center. . . a new slate of officers will take over at that time.

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- 19-21—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Frank Bedell, Jay Fenimore.
- 20—**VALDOSTA, GA.** — The Dixie Federation, Gordon Bland.
- 21—**OCALA** — Sweetheart Ball, Pot-Luck Supper, 2-8 p.m. Joe Johnson, Central Fla. Ass'n.
- 22—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Open Dance, Jack Livingston.
- 23—**EUSTIS**—Social dance with Fred Dyehe at Eustis Armory. Eustis Tri-Squares.
- 27—**ST. PETERSBURG** — Alumni Nite, 8:30 p.m., Old Ox-Bow Hall, 2027 4 Ave. S., reunion of all square and round dance classes of Jim and Noriene Pearson.

MARCH

- 5-6—**MOBILE, ALA.** — 12th annual Azalea Trail S/D Festival, Municipal Aud. Earl Johnston, Dave Taylor.
- 7—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Les Gotcher, Joe and Nancy Johnson.
- 6—**EUSTIS** — Social dance with Sam Prescott at American Legion Hall, Eustis Tri-Squares.
- 12-13—**SEBRING**—Annual Sebring Jamboree with Jack Lassy, Eric Sahn—rounds by The Jenkins.
- 12-14—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, "Dekko" Deck of Arlington, Va.
- 14—**ST. PETERSBURG**—6th annual Sunday Shop, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m., Max Forsyth, Indianapolis, Ind. and Jim Pearson, Ox-Bow Hall.
- 16—**LAKE CITY** — Max Forsyth Dance, Armory, Max Forsyth, Caller.
- 16—**ORLANDO**—Graduation Dance, last class of year to be sponsored by ORD and OWSDC, Boone High, Joe Curtis.
- 19-21—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Freshman Frolics, various callers.
- 20—**EAU GALLIE** — Decko Deck, Civic Center, East Coast Dancers.
- 25—**TAMPA**—7th Anniversary Dance, Forest Hills Community Center, Sam Prescott.

- 28—**CLEARWATER**—Palmingo Squares of St. Petersburg Gala Dance, American Legion Hall, 541 Phoenix Ave., 7:30 p.m., Don Williamson, Greenville, Tenn.
- 30—**ST. PETERSBURG**—6th annual Combo Party Nite, Mr. Sun's Sets and Beaux & Belles' inter-club party, members and guests, Ox-Bow Hall.

APRIL

- 23—**BIRMINGHAM, ALA.**—12th Ala. Jubilee, Municipal Auditorium, Lee Hesel, Frank Lane and the Manning Smiths.
- 2-5—**S. S. ARIADNE**—Bahamas Spring Festival, Cruisin' and Dancin' to Nassau from Port Everglades, Bob and Shirley Dawson.
- 3—**EUSTIS**—American Legion Hall, Eustis Tri-Squares.
- 3—**ELIHG ACRES**—Nomad Dance, Recreation Center.
- 3—**ORLANDO** — 1st annual Exposition Extravaganza, 8 til 11, sponsored by Orlando Recreation Dept., Orlando Western Square Dance Council and Whirl & Twirl Club, new Exposition Hall on Livingston, \$2.00 per couple.
- 3-4—**LAKE CITY**—Camp O'Lena Hoedown (south of Lake City), Starlite Shufflers, Walt Knight.
- 7—**AUBURNDALE**—Sunshine Swingers sponsor C. O. Guest, Dallas, Texas.
- 7-9—**ST. PETERSBURG**—28th Annual Folk Festival, Bayfront Center, sponsored by St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce.
- 9—**EUSTIS**—Fish fry at American Legion Hall, dance at Eustis Armory with Ed Newton. Eustis Tri-Squares.
- 9-11—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, C. O. Guest, Dallas, Texas.
- 17—**EAU GALLIE** — Ruy Camp, Civic Center, East Coast Dancers.
- 17—**LEESBURG**—Special Third Saturday Night Dance, Dusty Randall of Amarillo, Texas, Community Center, Happy Hoedowners.
- 23-25—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Dusty Randall, Amarillo, Texas.

MAY

- 1—**EUSTIS**—Chuck Durant at American Legion Hall, Eustis Tri-Squares.
- 3-8—**PHOENIX, ARIZ.** — 18th Annual Square Dance Festival, Del Webb Townhouse, 100 W. Clarendon.

- 14-16—**WILDWOOD**—Frontier Farms, Tex Brownlee, Bob Rust.
- 15—**EAU GALLIE**—Ed Lancaster, Civic Center, East Coast Dancers.
- 29—**EAU GALLIE**—Central Fla. Ass'n Election Ball, Civic Center, John Saunders.

JUNE

- 13-19—**BREVARD, N.C.** — Rainbow Lake Lodge, Don Williamson and Wally Wentworth.
- 18-19—**TAMPA**—State S/D Convention.
- 24-26—**DALLAS, TEXAS**—14th National S/D Convention.

JULY

- 2-4—**MIAMI BEACH**—Firecracker Festival with Jack Jackson, Earl Johnston, and Singin' Sam Mitchell, Fontainebleau Hotel. Miami Beach Ocean Waves.
- 10—**ORLANDO**—Third Annual Vacation Roundup with Singin' Sam Mitchell, sponsored by Orlando Western Square Dance Council, Municipal Auditorium.
- 11 thru AUGUST 7—**GOLDEN, COLO.** — 18th Annual Rocky Mountain Square Dance, Color, Lighted Lantern, atop Lookout Mountain (20 miles west of Denver).
- 25-30—**BREVARD, N.C.** — Rainbow Lake Square and Round Dance Institute, Rainbow Lake Lodge, Jim and Noriene Pearson and George Campbell.

AUGUST

- 1-6—**BREVARD, N.C.**—Mountain Greenery Square Dance Week, Rainbow Lake Lodge, Jim and Noriene Pearson and Al Aderente.
- 8-13—**BREVARD, N.C.**—Jim-Russ-Al Vacation, Rainbow Lake Lodge, Jim and Noriene Pearson, Russ and Mabel Ayrton, and Al Aderente.
- 8-21—**CLAYTON, GA.** — 6th Annual Camp Dixie—Brower, Blum, Lackey and the Johnstons.

SEPTEMBER

- 3—**CLEARWATER**—Florida Knotheads Free Dance.

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- ORLANDO**—State S/D Convention.