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# **MEMBERS' DANCE** The Royal Scottish Corporation Hall Fetter Lane, E.C.4 31st MAY, 1969

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17.				9.3
18.	Teviot Bridge			5.1

Admittance to these dances is restricted to members of the London Branch and subscribing readers of "The Reel".

Remittances, with a stamped, addressed envelope, should be sent to Ian G. Anderson, 41 Banstead Road South, Sutton, Surrey.

Only postal applications for one dance at a time will be accepted, and then not more than two weeks ahead of the date of the dance. Telephone enquiries will mot be accepted. Cheques should be made payable to The Royal Scottish Country Dance Society (London Branch).

Tickets 6/- in advance, 7/6 at the door. Time: 7 to 10.30 p.m. Place: The Royal Scottish Corporation Hall, Fleur-de-Lis Court, Fetter Lane, B.C.4.

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A band, a piper, an M.C. as usual.

We again appeal to all organisations south of the river to support the dances at Peckham Rye Park.

All articles published in 'Reel'

## R.S.C.D.S. (LONDON BRANCH) ANNUAL BALL

## HYDE PARK HOTEL

Friday, 13th June, 1969 8.30 p.m. to 2 a.m.

McBain's Band

M.C.: John Armstrong

#### Programme

Programme
Ladies' Fancy, Sleepy Maggie, Machine Without Horses, Neidpath Castle, Hamilton Rant, Miss Jean Raeburn, Buchan Eightsome, Foursome Reel, New Rigged Ship, Garry Strathspey, Rest and Be Thankful, White Heather Jig—Duke of Perth, The Wild Geese, Montgomeries' Rant, Balquidder Strathspey, The Rakish Highlandman, Mairi's Wedding, Glasgow Highlanders, The Gentle Shepherd, Cadgers in the Canongate, Robertson Rant, Hamilton House, General Stuart's Reel. Reel.

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# ADVANCE NOTICE

Members' Dances at Fetter Lane next season will be held on the following dates:

1969 1970 20th September 17th January 18th October 14th February 21st November 25th April 27th December 30th May

## DEMONSTRATION

Members may wish to note that a team of demonstration dancers from the Branch will be taking part in the open-air festival organised by the English Folk Dance and Song Society at Parliament Hill Fields, Highgate, on Saturday, 28th June at 3 and 7 -30 p.m.

# SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE MUSIC

Mr. James Garvie, the Hon. President of the London Branch, has sent to the Editor two articles on Scottish Country Dance music. One concerns the limitations of the piano for playing certain dance music written in the minor key and the other discusses the music for the dance "Crieff Fair" (Book 10.5). Unfortunately lack of space precludes their publication, but the Editor would be pleased to hear from any member who may be interested to read them.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 14th JUNE, 1969

The Annual General Meeting of the The Annual General Meeting of the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society (London Branch) will be held at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday, 14th June, 1969 (note change of date from previous notice) at Rutherford School, Penfold Street, Marylebone, N.W.1. The meeting will be followed by tea at about 6 p.m. and an informal dance. Only those attending the meeting will be admitted to the dance. dance.

Nominations and Resolutions

All officers and members of the Committee will retire and are eligible for mittee will retire and are eligible for re-election. Nominations for the offices of Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and eleven ordinary members of the Committee must reach the Hon. Secretary by 17th May, 1969. Nominations must be signed by the proposer and a seconder and by the nominee, all of whom must be members of the branch. If necessary, a postal ballot paper will be sent to members after 17th May.

Details of resolutions for discussion at the A.G.M. must reach the Hon-Secretary by the 17th May, 1969.

# Agenda

- To approve the Minutes of the A.G.M., 1968.
- Business arising from the Minutes.
- To receive the Hon. Secretary's report on the year 1968-69. To receive the Hon. Treasurer's
- report and accounts for the year 1967-68.
- To elect an Hon. President and Hon. Vice-Presidents for 1969-70.
- Election of Executive Committee for 1969-70.
- To elect auditors for 1969-70.
- To consider resolutions proposed by members.
- Any other business.

## CLASSES SYLLABUS 1969/70 Central London Institute

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Tuesday

Miss Marie Jamieson

Intermediate: Wednesday

Beginners: Miss Moyna Gilbertson

# Chelsea/Westminster Institute

Wednesday

Miss Stella Shank Mr. William Ireland Intermediate: Advanced:

# Marylebone Institute

Monday

Mrs. Alison Ferguson Elementary:

Tuesday

Mrs. Mary Stoker Advanced: Demonstration: Mr. William Ireland

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## **DEMONSTRATION CLASS 1969-70**

Any members of this year's Advanced or Certificate Classes who would like to be considered for admission to the Demonstration Class next year are invited to attend the class during the summer term from 22nd April onwards. In order to be considered, applicants should attend on at least three evenings. The Class meets at Rutherford School, Penfold Street, N.W.1., 7.15–9.15 p.m. on Tuesdays.

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# OBITUARY NOTICE

With regret the death of Lady Thomson on 12th January, 1969, is announced.

Lady Thomson was known by few present members of the London Branch and to many even her name will be unknown. She was a member of the Branch Committee in the early years when the Hon. Victoria Bruce was chairman, and subsequently became the second treasurer, a position from which she resigned in 1947. She was Vice-President until 1953 and continued as Hon. Vice-President until 1958 when pressure of other interests no longer allowed her to maintain contact with the R.S.C.D.S.

She was a lady of great personal charm and always helpful to newcomers and the inexperienced dancer. Perhaps her most significant contribution to the history of the Branch was at the start of the war. Classes were being held in a room which became a warden's post and, when it was required for its true work, Lady Thomson arranged for the use of the basement of a restaurant where meetings continued until it was destroyed by bombs. Because dancers were able to meet during this period the Branch had the impetus to remain active during the whole of the war.

J. I. S. J. G.

## CERTIFICATE CLASS

Readers who are considering taking the Preliminary or Second Certificate in 1970 are invited to join Miss Stamp's Certificate Class for the summer term. The Class meets at 6 Bolt Court, off Fleet Street, E.C.4, 6.30–8.30 p.m. on Mondays.

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#### **NEW TEACHERS**

In the examination held on 31st March and 1st April for the Society's Teaching Certificate the following were successful:

Full Certificate. Mesdames Helen Brown, Johan Cleaver, Simone Jones and Muriel Pickard; Misses Marjorie Chaplin and Joyce Franklin; Messrs. Joseph Lloyd, Alastair Morrison and Ian Williams.

Preliminary Certificate. Mrs. Patricia Ives, Miss Elizabeth Sewell, Mr William Cheffins, Dr. Ian Graham, Messrs. Paul Ives, William Page and Anthony Staples.

We congratulate all these persons and thank those who had any part in the organisation of the examination.

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CECIL SHARP HOUSE Friday, 4th July, 1969

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#### THINKING OF DANCES

No. 3 of a series of articles by S. R. Clowes

#### STANDING STILL AND MOVING FIGURES

Resting time is sometimes neglected when devising a dance. One of my published dances 2d. JIG (OSD Book 3) is a killer in this respect and I use it usually for demonstration purposes. I have seen several comments that new dances are giving more dancing and less standing about and this is welcomed; but devisers must be wary of going too far.

If you look at a popular dance of the traditional type such as Duke of Perth you find that the standing time is quite considerable. Not counting stepping up and down as dancing:—

1st couple dances for all 32 bars.

2nd and 3rd couples dance for 14 bars each-and-

4th couple stand for all 32 bars.

Or take a newer dance-James Cosh's White Heather Jig-

1st couple dance for all 40 bars.

2nd and 3rd couples dance for 10 bars each-and-

4th couple stand for all 40 bars.

There is far more standing than dancing. Both have very good catchy tunes associated with them. Watch how standing couples clap, stamp or lilt while waiting to join in. Do we also dance who only stand and wait?

These are two of the most popular dances but most dances give 2nd and 3rd couples far more to do which doesn't matter if you get a rest at top and bottom waiting for your turn. But if all four couples join in the dance sequence the deviser must give a rest to each couple somewhere or he will soon find that they give the dance up as too strenuous and so while top couple in Kyle Strathspey do a reel, sides get their rest and so on. In Jig on the Bridge all four middle dancers dance the first four bars but it was decided that the men needed a rest and this was the place it could best be given. More rest is needed in a Reel or a Jig than in a Strathspey.

When we dance a figure we move inside the figure, for example in grand chain we move round a circle giving hand after hand, but the circle doesn't move if it is danced properly. In a few figures it might be said that we move inside the set boundaries of the figure, e.g., Allemande.

There are a few figures possible that actually move across the floor. I have used one in 'The Spinning Wheel' (OSD Book 3). In this three couples are involved. Two are doing hands across, and one is casting down to join in at each two bar sequence. So the whole figure moves down the set as each couple casts. We move in the figure and the figure itself moves. This is also possible with hands round and casting down, or I have used rights and lefts, leading couple turning down and never up plus casting. This only requires two couples and the leading couple gets the impression of dancing rights and lefts.

Note all these figures are based on casting down. I think one could be evolved by leading down the middle but what would the other couples do? I would be very interested if anyone has any bright ideas.

Here is the dance using moving rights and lefts. It was found very difficult to give a rest to the dancers in devising this dance. Have they got enough?

#### A MILE DOWN THE ROAD

(4 Couple Longways Set Strathspey)

DESCRIPTION

1 8:	All reel of 4 on the sides, 1st couple face 2nd couple, and 3rd couple face 4th couple to start. Ladies give right shoulders and men left shoulders.		
9—10:	1st couple cast below the 2nd couple—and— 3rd couple cast below the 4th couple—while— 2nd and 4th couples cross over giving right hands to partners.		
11—12:	2nd and 4th couples turn down and change places with 1st and 3rd couples giving left hands,		
13—16:	Repeat bars 9—12. All have now moved down two places.		
1718:	All give hands and set on the sides.		
19—20:	All cross to opposite side one place up, men lead the ladies over in front using left hands.		
21-22:	All set on wrong side.		
23—24:	All cross to own side one place up giving right hands. Now in original places.		
25—26:	1st couple cast off one place, 2nd couple step up.		
2730:	1st couple turn 3rd couple 1½ times to change places. Men give right hands and ladies left hands.		
31—32:	1's east from 3rd place to the bottom. 4th couple step up. Repeat from new places,		
	TUNES:—The Miller o' Dervil (Traditional)		
	or Miss Janet Laing's Strathspey, recorded by Glenlomond S.D.B. on Waverley ELP156.		

#### ENGAGEMENTS DIARY

#### MAY

BARS

#### 16th. Friday.

S.E. HERTS SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SOCIETY. Spring Dance at the John Warner School, Stanstead Road, Hoddesdon. Dancing 7.45 for 8 p.m. to 12 p.m. to Peter Boyce and his Band. Tickets 7s. 6d., including refreshments, from Mrs. A. Kirby, Molewood End, Molewood Road, Hertford.

#### 17th Saturday

THE LUCY CLARK SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE CLUB. Dance with McBain's Band, 8 p.m. in the British Legion Hall, Old Amersham. Tickets, including refreshments, 10s. from Miss Barbara Taylor, 8 South Drive, Beaconsfield. Tel.: 3922.

#### JUNE

#### 14th Saturday

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#### OCTOBER

#### 10th Friday

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