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FROM YOUR ROVING EDITORS

We have really been busy trying to attend all the graduations this month, plus keeping up with the activities of our home club.

We attended the graduations of Starlite Shufflers, Paxon Prancers, and Dixie Chain Gang. Even attended two in one night; how's that for two on opposite ends of town. Also got held up by a train for 15 minutes. We had a real warm welcome from all. The new graduates received their first Grapevine. Welcome to all the new dancers and remember "it takes new dancers to keep square dance going."

Did you know we have two clubs with 100% taking the Grapevine? - Starlite Shufflers and Swinging Squares (if we missed any others, please let us know and if we didn't, who will be next on the list?) Sure hope all will work hard and see that every dancer in NEFSDA subscribes! That would be great!

We attended the NEFSDA Meeting, but some of you delegates are still missing. Lets have a 100% attendance in September and support our GREAT Association.

Heard, there was a great time at Jekyl Island this past month with Dick Barker and Cal Goldon and the Lovelaces. Sorry we missed that one, but hope to get there next year.

We have a new club in the "making" at St. Augustine Shores starting July 21, with James Maxey lending a hand. They are enthusiastic group and have a nice hall. This is part of the "Battle". Lots of luck and hope all of you Northeast dancers will get down for a visit. We will have more on this in later Grapevines.

We had a great time at the Fifth Saturday Dance to the great calling of Louis Calhoun. Sure would love to see more dancers out for Fifth Saturday Dance. Remember, this helps support your NEFSDA. The next dance will be September 29, at Forrest High School with Andy Petrere calling.

Speaking of the Fifth Saturday Dance and problems with the air conditioning - you men with short sleeve shirts made it real wet for the ladies, so read your square dance rules and try to wear proper clothing. You never know when the a/c will malfunction! See the next page as taken from Square Dancing Magazine!

Well, see you all at the Knothead Konvention as Northeast will have a big turnout, as always! Don't forget NEFSDA Fall Roundup is coming up in November. Ribbons on sale now, so get yours and advertise!

George & Judy  
Editors

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WESTERNAIRES - Hot Pink come as you are dance.

1st & 3rd Sat. - Jax Hgts. Elem. School  
Callers - Tom & Mariann Hidding 771-6272

On August 18 we will host our annual come as you are dance. Last year we had a real good turn out at this dance and we expect an outstanding dance again this year. Come as you are!

The Westernaires are cancelling their dance on September 1, to attend the Knothead Konvention, so if you want to dance with the Hot Pink, we will see you at the Konvention.

One of the best things about square dancing is our visitors. It seems like the more visitors we have the merrier the dance.

The new members in the Westernaires are pretty Miss Amanda Rider and Charlie Rice. Welcome to the Hot Pink.

If you are thinking of someone that is doing a great job for square dancing at this time, you would have to think of George & Judy Garland (Editors of the Grapevine). Thank you very very much for the great job you are doing.

See you around the Square.

John R. Reese  
Reporter

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OCEAN WAVES - Big Blue (How's that Hot Pink)

Thursdays - Jax. Beach Community Center  
Guest callers  
President - George & Judy Garland 246-7267

Another busy summer month has gone and new officers have taken over! George & Judy Garland are our new presidents with Reta & Dick Landis, Vice Presidents; Gordon & Margaret Casey, Secretary (two of our newest Ocean Waves) and Mary Goodwyn elected for another term as Treasurer. Mary really worked hard as Treasurer and really keeps our "high finances" in fine shape!

A Dinner was held at Le Chateau Restaurant honoring our out-going officers, who have done a fine job. A plaque with Ocean Waves symbol and colors was presented to Jean & Allen Hairston, out-going Presidents. Other ex-officers are Jim & Mary Jo Wright, Vice Presidents and Betty & Rick King, Secretary. The dinner was great and all 23 club members were beautiful in their "Sunday" attire. We all love our square dance clothes, but its nice to see the long dresses and the coat & tie once in a while!

We visited the Jubileers and Starlite Shufflers to retrieve our banners and then those Friendly Folios stole it again! Also, visited Belles & Beaux with special caller Dick Barker.

If you missed the great calling of Wayne Thompkins this month, you have another chance on August 9, so make a note, he will be at Jax Beach with the Ocean Waves on that Thur.

Our highlight of the month was our first out of town caller dance with the terrific calling of Wade Driver, from Orlando. Thanks to Wade and all you beautiful Jax Clubs for supporting this dance. It was such a joy to have all of you! Look for Wade again in Jax as I'm sure he will be back! Also, thanks to the 4 Foxs. Herman & Louise Ibach's nieces from Pa. who entertained the dancers with their medley of songs. They are great singers. Hope to see and hear them again!

Our special birthday night honored Norm, Louise, Dodie, Stan, Genny, and Norby. Many more birthdays to you all.

Callers for August will be:  
Rupert Maxwell August 2  
Wayne Thompkins August 9  
Bill Bishop August 16 & 23  
No dance July 26, due to a shell show at the Community Center. Also, no dance August 30 as everyone is going to the Knothead Konvention. Hope to see all our Jax Friends there.

Happy dancing to you all and many thanks to all our visitors in July. A very special welcome to "a regular" visitor, Capt. Bob Frazer from Miami who is working in Jax temporarily and even took a subscription to the Grapevine. Welcome again Bob!

Ray Teetz  
Reporter

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BELLES & BEAUX

Wednesday - 8:00PM - Southside Youth Center  
Callers - 1st & 3rd - Eddie Millan  
2nd & 4th - Bill Camp  
President - Tony Flaris 724-8207

Please note we have a new president - He is none other than Tony Flaris, who is a very avid square dancer. Along with Tony, we have George Jones, Vice President; Francis Smith, Treasurer; and Marsha Niolon, Secretary. I am writing this for the last time, as Tony has given the job to Domenico Giordano; we just call him DOM or Jr. as he answers to either one.

The club has been around collecting banners the last couple months. Happy to report, most have retrieved them, so guess we will have to start again. We had a great dance on July 19. Dick Barker was down and called for us and then Wade Driver from Orlando dropped in and called. Everyone had a great time.

Class time will soon be upon us, September is just around the corner and again the Belles and Beaux Club and Bill Camp will have a class open to all wishing to learn to dance. It will be at the Southside Youth Center, Hendricks Ave., starting Sept 13 Thursday night from 8:00 to 10:00 P.M. If you have a friend who wants to learn to dance, bring them over and get them signed up and then you stay and be a helper. We will give you more on this as the date approached.

Will be glad to see all of you at our weekly dance, so drop by when you have a chance.

Sid Callahan  
Reporter

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CALICO SWINGERS

Jacksonville Heights Elementary School  
1st and 3rd Sundays - 6 to 8 PM  
Callers - Tom and Mariann Hidding 771-6272

We are having a great time this summer. We will start back dancing on Sunday, August 26th.

A great number of Calico Swingers are planning on going to the Knothead Konvention so we will cancel our dance on Sunday September 2nd.

Then we will dance on Sunday, September 16, and every 1st and 3rd Sunday thereafter.

The class starts on Sunday, September 30, from 4 to 6 PM. The classes will be every Sunday. Club members are always welcome to take part in classes.

George Rider  
Reporter

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GOLDEN ISLES SWINGERS

Sat.; 2nd, 3rd, & 4th - City Rec. Building  
Brunswick, Ga.

Caller - Dick Barker  
President - Vernon Banks 912/265-2522

Sallie and I are finally back in action after an absence of some seven months. We do appreciate the warm welcome which we have received.

Saturday, July 7, Dick Barker graduated his Class at Jesup, Ga. Some 12 or 14 squares were on hand to contribute to a full evening. Recent graduates from Waycross and Douglas joined the pending graduates from Brunswick to help the new Jesup group feel a little more relaxed.

Monday, July 9, Charlie Major graduated his Class at Brunswick. Dick Barker and George Watson were on hand to add some calling color for the new dancers.

Wednesday, July 11, Dick Barker donated his valuable time to a group of youth at the First United Methodist Church in Brunswick. After a couple of hours of square dancing (beginners style) and several "fun things" the young people were asked what they would like to do to close out the evening. With one voice they exclaimed "Square Dance". Maybe we are making progress to interest new dancers in our area.

Chris and Bobby Powell became grandparents at about 8:30 Sat. night, July 14. The arrival of the stark conflicted (for the Powell's) with the Jekyll Fun Fest--you can guess as to the winner. Golden Isles Swingers offer congratulations to parents and grandparents.

The big news for this report is the success of the Third Jekyll Fun Fest. The trail end dance on Thursday night attracted 15 squares, dancing in the open air on the two terraces of the Sand Dollar Hotel. Friday night was nearly a full house, and Saturday night completed the fill-up. 21 squares were on hand for the Saturday afternoon workshop. A count of the registration cards tells us that we had a total of 64 squares and three couples. For the first three years, we have progressed from 15 squares to 42 squares to 64 3/4 squares. Dick, Cal, and the Lovelaces are just tops and we are blessed to have them for this annual affair.

Next year we expect to be in the new Convention Center on Jekyll Island where we will have a square hall to accommodate 100 plus squares--and a wood floor!

Nine visiting callers provided for the "after dance" both Friday and Saturday evenings, and they also did a fine job.

We want to say "thank you" to every one who helped make the Third Jekyll Fun Fest such a splendid weekend. An especial thanks goes to the Staff, and to the supporting workers.

Please mark your calendar now for the second weekend in July, 1974.

In addition to the new granddaughter, the Bobby Powell's won the grand door prize-- a free weekend at French Lick, Ind. in Feb. 1974--quite a night for Chris & Bobby.

Gene M. Williams  
Reporter

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FRIENDLY FROLICS

1st & 3rd Saturday - Ft. Caroline Jr. High  
Caller - Bill Bishop  
President - George & Jean Ephrem 724-5243

With so many square and round dancers on vacation, we are proud to say that we had over nine squares at our last dance. We had visitors from Paxon, Dixie Chain Gang, Jubileers, Starlite Shufflers, Fun & Frolics, Ocean Waves and the Allemandarins. Bill Bishop did a wonderful job of calling as usual.

Our new graduates are: Roy & Aline White-lock, Bob & Carolyn Pinson, John & Norma Lucas, Jerry Lee & Ruby McDonald. We welcome these eager beavers to our club.

New members to join our club at our last dance was Jim & Marilyn Stone. Welcome!

Friendly Frolics are banner stealing as of late so watch out square dancers.

We welcome back our round dance caller, Edith Reisen, who had a serious operation last month and I'm sure everyone is as glad as I am to see her smiling face behind that mike again. Poor Bud, he was like a lost kitten for awhile there.

We want to announce that on August 18, we will have Charles Hill of Tooler, Ga., calling for us. It should be a very good dance and we invite all square dancers to come and square up with us.

Seals & Ann McCarty invites all Friendly Frolics members to come to the after party at their home after this dance and to bring their bathing suits and their own refreshments!!!!See you in the pool.

Doris V. Spivey  
Reporter

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Thursdays - Mary Hammond Youth Center  
Caller - Bob Rust  
President - Lester & Patricia Coval 786-0455

Despite the ho-hums, summer doldrums, and air-conditioning break-downs, our club is holding up very well. Vacation plans are still on everyone's mind right now but we expect to have enough around dancing during the summer to insure a good time for all. We haven't reached the energy crisis yet and can prove it when Bob puts on his record "Tweedle-dee-dum", and we go down, down-but always come up again.

A number of people traveling up and down the highway have stopped by and danced with us. Among them were: Doug Pratt of Kanak Kickers, Canal Zone; Wayne & Symanthic Thompkins, Columbia S. C., and Irma & Bill Lucas, Miami.

A card received from Bronze and Virginia Cagle tells us they are visiting in faraway places. They were in Yellowstone Park last week with many other interesting places on their itinerary.

June 30th, the Fifth Saturday Dance warmed up right on time with Louis Calhoun calling loud and clear. Most of the clubs were represented, and everyone seemed to enjoy the mixing and the mingling.

On the Fifth of July, the Class finally reached their apogee, receiving their diplomas after having completed thirty sessions in basic Western Square Dancing. Bob Rust complimented the dancers on their ability and encouraged them to attend all dance functions and to become a real part of the great American pastime. The graduates were required to do some off-brand square dancing after which fun-level dancing with ten squares followed. Cake and ice-cream was served, which was a cool idea.

The graduates are: Bobby & Barbara Fennell, Richard Bushnell, Perry & Marilyn Cargal, Dale & Suzanne Eastin, Johnny & Nell Fey, Tracy & Marilyn Miller, Bob & Edith Nix, Vernon & Marie Hamner, Buddy & Betty Sue Havener, A.J. & Lois Litgen, Denice Roberts, Mayrene Swearingen, David & Scotti Varn, Paul & Dance Willis, and John & Sue Griner.

We join Linda in welcoming back her husband, Dutch Teetz, who has been on sea duty in the Mediterranean for three and 1/2 months. He is happy to be back home, to the club, and square dancing.

Pat Corval had a nice surprise the other night. One of her "Kissin' Cousins" saw to it that she was properly kissed and she received her badge.

Sure 'nuff, "Everyone Smiles on the Golden Isles", and the Golden Isle Swingers, hosts to the Jekyll Fun Fest did it again. We had two gala evenings of fun and dancing with the Southern Gentleman, Dick Barker & Cal Golden calling, and the levelaces on Rounds. The Paxon Prancers were there en masse.

Bob & Nabel Pangle

GATOR PROMENADERS

Friday - 8:00 PM - Forrest High School  
Caller - Bill Camp  
President - John & Belle Gray 384-3831

Reporting from O'Leno State Park. We're camping here for a few weeks while Orville is attending a seminar at the University in Gainesville. It's quiet here in the forest at night and if you listen closely you can hear "Allemande Left" and the sound of shuffling feet as the square dance ghosts dance down in the big hall!

Eddie Millan called for us on July 6, and Rupert Maxwell called on July 13. We appreciate these fine callers helping us out while Bill was away.

Speaking of Bill, he & Nora and John & Belle Gray are traveling together and camping along the way as they go to Niagra Falls. John & Belle went there on their honeymoon some years back; John says this time he's going to take a look at the falls.

Jim & Jimmie Lee Morgan visited little Rhode Island while Jim attended school at Quanset Point. Mostly bad weather during the trip with lots of rain, but the big lobsters and all that other good seafood more than made up for the weather.

After re-doing their house, Frank & Lucille Sullivan still had enough money left to celebrate her birthday and their anniversary at Le Chateau!

After the July 6th dance, Joe & Emily Brinkley headed for the hills in North Carolina to spend a few weeks near Hendersonville, where they have a summer home. Their daughters and families from Quantico and Jacksonville, respectively, will visit with them while they are vacationing.

Other travelers are Gene & Farridee Wyte, who are on their way to Oregon; on this trip they'll go thru Michigan to visit with his folks.

Maxine Jones  
Reporter

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ALL REPORTERS

THE GRAPEVINE DEADLINE IS THE 20th OF EACH MONTH!! WE WOULD APPRECIATE ALL ARTICLES EARLIER IF POSSIBLE.

ANCIENT CITY SQUARES

Fridays - 8:00-10:30 - Welcome Center  
Guest callers St. Augustine  
Rounds - Our own Doris Shuler  
President - Bill Lloyd 824-3193

Despite the warm nights, we are still "hanging-in-there" with some mighty good callers every Friday night.

James Maxey brought his class along to dance with us June 1st. Made us four squares and say he has taught them well; they are better than beginners level already. He also brought some of his own club members along and of course his good-lookin' law.

We have a sad note to add this month. Rich and Maxie Germain lost their baby granddaughter. Wilma Thompson lost her mother. Carolyn Gross lost her mother. Our condolences to all of you folks. Hope we will soon be seeing you all back dancing with us.

Wayne Brooks has been giving us some good dancing. Understand our own Bobby Keefe taught him. Good teaching Bobby...he sure has a good beat and a pace that makes you want to wiggle through all sequences.

July 6th, we had Wayne Brooks call for us and what a fun night that was. When we arrived the floor was full as Doris had all the spectators up plus our own club teaching them a round dance. Could be this is a good way to show people just how much fun we really have round and square dancing? Anyway they sure were acting like they were having fun.

That same night, we had guests from the Westernaires and also from St. Augustine Shores. Of course, we almost always have out-of-state guests all year round from way up North, who are vacationing over by the beach and come and dance with us. Even had a guest caller from North Carolina and he called a tip for us. Had about five squares going to Wayne's good calling.

The phantom "Yellow Rocker" is still at it. Goodness you just can't trust him at all. This time he even "Yellow Rocked" across the square. Tsk! Tsk!

We have more fun with Amos Moses. Y'all ought to come and do your "thing" with us. Seems there are several different ways to dance to Amos Moses and last Friday we were all out there doing our own "thing"... now I tell you THAT was something to see. Come on down some Friday night and show us your way.

Louise Selbee  
Reporter

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RHYTHMAIRES

Tuesdays - 8:00-10:00 - Southside Community Center  
Instructor - Jack Griffiths  
President - Frank Sullivan 389-0612

Well here we are, still going as strong as

ever, and all thanks to a really good group who were determined to keep Rhythmaires together, and whats more, we have now got a new instructor, the one person who should know more about round dancing than most anyone in Jacksonville, as he was one of the originators of rounds here in his own square dance club and later helped to form the first round dance club, the "Roundoleers", where he also taught, who? Why who else but Jack Griffiths, caller for Fun & Frolic, the oldest square dance club in Jacksonville. We are real happy to have you Jack. You may find us acting a little crazy at times, but we are sure that you will find us a good group to work with. To Luscious Nelson, our many thanks for stepping in and keeping us dancing while we were without a regular instructor. We sure appreciated it.

Ever wonder what is behind the "Green Door"? Ask Ethel Bell or John Tyson; as much fun as they were having dancing it recently, must have been really wild. Of course, the fact that this was their first try at it and that they were doing it without cues could have been part of it.

This month, we are happy to welcome Jane & Sherman Nolan as club members. They have been dancing with us for some time but have now made it official. We will be glad when Russell Kelly gets back from his vacation so he and Ada can be back dancing again. We have also missed Inga & John Tyson this past two weeks.

We have learned one new dance this past month, "Happy Hearts", which really moves. We are also reviewing some of the old favorites until our new records come in, so why not come on over to visit and put a little fun in your life. Come dance with us in our air-conditioned hall.

Rhona Williams  
Reporter

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TO JACKSONVILLE AREA SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS

It was with heavy hearts, that Helen & I made the decision to leave Jacksonville. Both of us have many dear friends that we hated to leave but as all of you know there comes a time when most everyone must make a change. Helen and I were involved in Square & Round dancing almost 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and loved every minute of it, but had reached the cross-roads as to being tired and ready to make a change. The attitude as expressed by both Rhythmaires and Roundoleers makes both of us feel good because we know that there are enough capable people in Jacksonville to keep the clubs going.

With the caliber of dancers there are in Jacksonville that we both know, the Round Dance Clubs will not fold but will continue to prosper and grow.

To all Square & Round dancers, my Helen & I say God Bless You, and we will plan on seeing you for the Fall Roundup, as we know that we cannot stay away from Jax.

We would love to hear from everyone, so drop us a line and if you can, come up for a festival in the fall or spring.

Buzz & Helen Ruis  
P. O. Box 85  
Fontana Dam, North Carolina  
28733

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FRIENDLY WHIRL-A-WAYS - Round Dance Club

Mondays - Ft. Caroline Jr. High School  
President - Seals McCarty 724-5698

The Whirl a Ways are most happy to announce that our teacher and cuer is once again back with us and growing stronger everyday. Welcome back, Edith. We have missed you so very much.

All of us owe a hearty "thank you" to Bill & Ruth Fleshman for coming to our rescue during Edith's illness. They were most gracious to take the time and trouble to teach and cue for our club. It is comforting to know that we have round dance friends like Bill & Ruth, who will pitch in and help us in our time of need.

On July 9, our class of new round dancers were graduated. These four couples proved their dancing agility as well as their great sense of humor by successfully surviving the graduation ordeals. Congratulations, Roger Fischer, for being the only graduate who can recognize your own wife!

Recent additions to the ranks of the Friendly Whirl-a-Ways are Roger & Donna Fischer, Sidney & Betty Few, Robert & Marcella Bogan, Rupert & Merlene Maxwell, Rex & Doris Jerrim. It is indeed a pleasure to welcome all of these fine dancers, and we know that they shall be great assets to the round dancing community.

Our club has recently learned Sweet Abilene, Sweet and Sassy, and Waltz of Summer. In the next few weeks, we shall be working on Call Me Lonesome, It's All Over Now, and Stay as Sweet as You Are. All round dancers are cordially invited to come visit with us and work on these rounds as well as many of the older ones.

Bettye Smith  
Reporter

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WESTERN CUTTERS

2nd & 4th Saturday - Gregory Drive School  
Guest callers  
President - Sally & Ernie Doering 264-5122

What can you say about a great week-end except we're sorry that anyone had to miss it! We had a marvelous time at Cocoa Beach and wish that all of you could have been with us. Those making Knothead were: Marie & Vernon Hammer, Sue & John Griner, and Wanda & Warren Crowell, of the Paxon Prancers; Donna & Roger Fisher, of the Friendly Frolics; Betty & Mickey Stritt, of the Jubileers; and Dee & Mike Shaeffer, of the Hicks and Chicks. Also joining us were Jesse & Jack Shaeffer, Fran & Jim Weese, and Becky & Roy Oakley (who had made Knothead but went along for the fun). The Harbour City Squares in Melbourne were our Knothead hosts and, once again, did a fantastic job. Everyone enjoyed dancing to the fine calling of Art Springer and as a bonus, made Black Cat for dancing on Friday, the 13th. After making aqua duck, idiot, grasshopper badges (with the fine help of Eddie Milan, who needed help himself after being thrown into the pool), everyone recuperated by playing brain-straining games (the Shaeffers did us in on Magic Wand). Had much fun and good dancing to Colin Walton and the Allamanders at Satallite Beach on Saturday night. Your reporters want to thank Bill & Dot Roberts for the unselfish sacrifice made them in time of need. What the motel lacked, the Roberts provided! In reminiscing Sunday, everyone agreed that this is an event we'll all look forward to next year.

We welcome our newest member, Doug Pratt, from the Canal Zone. Doug had the distinction everywhere we went during the week-end of being the "farthest from home". We're very glad to have him join us.

Congratulations to Helen & Vic Fake, who are celebrating their 25th anniversary this month.

For those who plan ahead, Jim Panipinto has tickets for the Fall Round-up, so be sure and get yours early.

Plan to join us for good fellowship and dancing on August 11, when Danny Robinson will be our guest caller and on August 25, when Billy Bishop will be with us.

Western Cutters, don't forget the Hawaiian luau on August 4, at the home of Sally & Ernie Doering. Get your muumuus ready, girls!

Betty & Bill Talbert  
Reporter

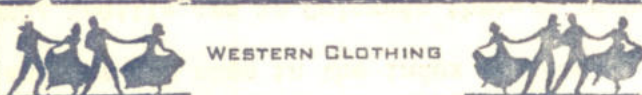
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ALLEMANDARINS

Fridays - 8:00-10:30 - Wolfson High School  
Callers - Dick Barker and Bill Bishop  
Rounds - Edith Reisen, 2nd, 4th, & 5th  
President - Carolyn & Hilton Lay 733-7597

Now that everyone is either going or coming back from vacation, for a rest, there just doesn't seem to be too much to write about. But since we missed last month, we'll try and get our name in the index at least.

The McGills are in Colorado through August, I'm told. The McMaths and Fultons are on the go again, this time for the most of August in North Carolina. Trailers are based at Eli, N. C. near Bryson City.

Dick Barker at Jekyll Island was a huge success; Sixty-one squares on the floor Saturday. Who says square dancers don't know a good caller to follow? Jacksonville was there in force.

Harvey Hartley, Roy Baily and I danced in Columbia, South Carolina three nights, July 12, 13, & 14. We were interested in the Square Dance Center, "The Barn"; The club in Columbia have built in a joint effort. The Center is 100 ft. X 60 ft., with oak floor. What a grand dance; a wood floor does something to add an extra joy to square dancing.

Just kick up your heels and let yourself go and not even by tired! Amen - So Be It!

Charlie Landiss  
Reporter

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ROCKIN' ROBINS

1st & 3rd Saturdays - Southside Rec. Center  
Caller - John Robbins 398-1301

July has just about parted company with us and here we are all looking forward to so many happy events for the remainder of the year. We'll soon be saying "Merry Christmas" to each other. You think it's funny, go ahead Laugh Now!

First Things First. We have had some happy dances since the last edition of the Grapevine. Among them, we should mention the Fifth Saturday Dance, which was attended by all the clubs. As everyone knows, Louis Calhoun called the dance and we'll have to say that the acoustics were certainly much better than the last time. We could understand every word. It was rumored by some that it was a mite warm in the Forrest Ballroom. Now, how could anyone get that idea. Maybe next time things will be cooled down a little.

The Rockin' Robins had a well attended dance on the 7th of July. We had many nice visitors. We had six callers present and five of them called a tip for us. Among the visitors were the Sunshine Twirlers from Gainesville and one of their callers, Gill Crosby and his wife; the Jubileers, with their caller Dick Goddard and his sweet wife, Wanda; the Belles &

Beaux with ever faithful Bill & Nora Camp; and the Fun & Frolics with Jack Griffith. If we left anyone out, we didn't mean to. It was a fun evening and if you weren't there, it was your loss.

Two events that we are looking forward to are the Knothead Konvention in Clearwater and we are just about packed and ready to go. The other is the Disney World Square Dance on the 22nd of September. Square Dancers have more fun than people.

In closing, my own personal question is: "Why is it that a city the size of Jax., which is going forward so rapidly, does not have more recreational facilities that we can proudly show to our sister cities and the visitors who come from them? Oh yes, we have facilities. Do we proudly display THEM? Have you asked yourself that? Do!

Did something go wrong, and you're wondering why  
You can't figure it out, so you say with a sigh,  
"I know what it is, it's the OTHER GUY"  
If you search in your heart, eventually you'll see  
Why can't it be you, when I'm SURE its not me!

O.K. Lets Dance.

Edie Mason  
Reporter

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HICK 'N CHICKS

Mondays - Southside Recreation Center  
Callers - Billy Bishop, Dick Goedert,  
James Maxey  
President - Larry Maxey 725-4828

On Monday, July 16, the Hicks and Chicks held elections for new officers. Wanda Maxey was re-elected treasurer and I was re-elected reporter. Randy Peacock is our new vice-president, who is taking the place of Brian Bishop. Brian and Gary Maxey, who is our past president, did a great job of running the club and we would like to thank them for all their time and effort. Our new president is Gary's brother, Larry Maxey.

We would like also to thank Evan Shaffer for making all the announcements.

July 19, a square of Hicks 'n Chicks retrieved our banner from the Starlite Shufflers. It was a great dance and we'd like to thank them for their hospitality.

Next month, the club is going to have an amateur night sponsored by Dick Goedert. The club will take turns calling. Who knows, this could be the start of something big.

If you would like to buy a picture contact me or Wanda Maxey at one of the dances. They are 25¢ a piece.

Hello to Judy, Lynn, Vicki, Kathy, Mike, Lauri, and Joe!  
Kin DuBray

ROUNDLEERS - Round Dance Club

Wednesday - Woodstock Community Center

7:30-8:00 - Early Workshop

8:00-10:00 - Dance

President - David Helmlly

Program Chairman - Claude Hewitt 268-5086

"Tie a Yellow Ribbon" taught by Claude & Kathryn Hewitt and "Getting To Know You" taught by Bill & Ruth Fleshman are what the Roundleers are up to this month. It's GREAT to see our members up on the floor, supporting our program chairman, and really enjoying themselves as they learn new dances and review the older ones. Bill & Ruth are known instructors, and fine ones at that, but the Hewitts are new to the instructing area and our hats are off to them for the fine job they are doing.

You know you have dedicated dancers when they stick it out when the temperature rises due to inoperable air conditioning. What did you old timers do before they had such things?

Wayne & Barbara Blackford came back from Rainbow Lake so charged up and with so many new dancers that, I think, our "new material" cup runneith over. Coupled with this, our members traveling down-state to the Citrus Land Dance will surely have other new dances for the club to work on. It seems you can never run out of great new dances to learn if only you can get the message down from the brain to the feet.

Hear and There

...Keep your ears open for a special dance session this month, featuring George & Eileen Eberhart, National Round Dance Leaders from Ohio...Will Bran Buds ever replace ham and eggs for breakfast?...Did you know that the Roundleers 1974 Anniversary Dance will feature a National caller who hails from Newtonville, N.Y.?...Happy dancing and y'all come visit with us soon.

Len Kaufman

Reporter

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STARLITE SHUFFLERS

Thursday - Joseph Lee Youth Center

Caller - James Maxey

President - Bob & Mary Pamer 733-0714

Here it is July already. The Starlite Shufflers have a brand new slate of officers, a fine group of new club members that graduated on June 28, and would you believe a mixed up, worn out, has been for a reporter! What with a two year old that insist on playing Christmas carols in July plus a few other little oddities. You can bet your boots you will be kept up to date on the Shufflers.

Speaking of graduation, we sure have a fine group! Sally Thompson, Helen Maxey and Ann Smith did a fine job of initiating all of them. After a delicious spaghetti supper the festivities began. There were balloon dances, spoon races (and we sure found out who the swinger of the group was). Right Larry? A hat game that re-

vealed all the wig wearers plus the ordeal of dancing with the raw eggs in the middle of the square. You could just see the agony on their faces when the egg oozed up between their toes, and then the relief when the blindfolds were removed and they found out it was only Kellogg's corn flakes. Anyway, everyone had a ball and we would like to welcome all the group to our club.

A group of square dancers camped at Melbourne on the weekend of the 22nd. of June. James was calling at a club there so everyone turned it into a fun weekend. We missed out on the fun but everyone was sure impressed over the beautiful camp grounds.

On July 5th, we had a group of visitors from the Ocean Waves to dance with us. We enjoyed dancing with them very much and invite them plus any other club that is looking for a good time on Thursday night to come over and visit with us.

Our new club members that just graduated are having an appreciation dance for the Starlite Shufflers. It will be held July 21, at the Rec Hall in St. Augustine Shores. We knew they were a fine group but never expected anything like this. Thanks a heap gang. Any dancers that want to attend, are invited.

Knock-Knock-Who's There? Would be idiots--Would be idiots who? Would be idiots who are looking for James Maxey to make sure enough idiots of them. That's right--James Maxey just couldn't believe that the world owed him a debt and payed him off in friends that wanted to become idiots at 2 AM. He answered the door wide-eyed and looking like a smily poster. And now the Starlite Shufflers have a group of new idiots to join the old ones.

Until next month,

Bob & Yvonne

Reporters

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IF YOU JOIN BELONG

Are you an active member--the kind that would be missed?

Or are you quite contented that your name is on the list

Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock

Or do you stay away and criticize and knock?

Do you ever pay a visit to a member who is sick

Or leave the work to just a few and talk about the clique;

There is quite a program scheduled that you've no doubt heard about;

We'll appreciate it if you, too, will come and help us out.

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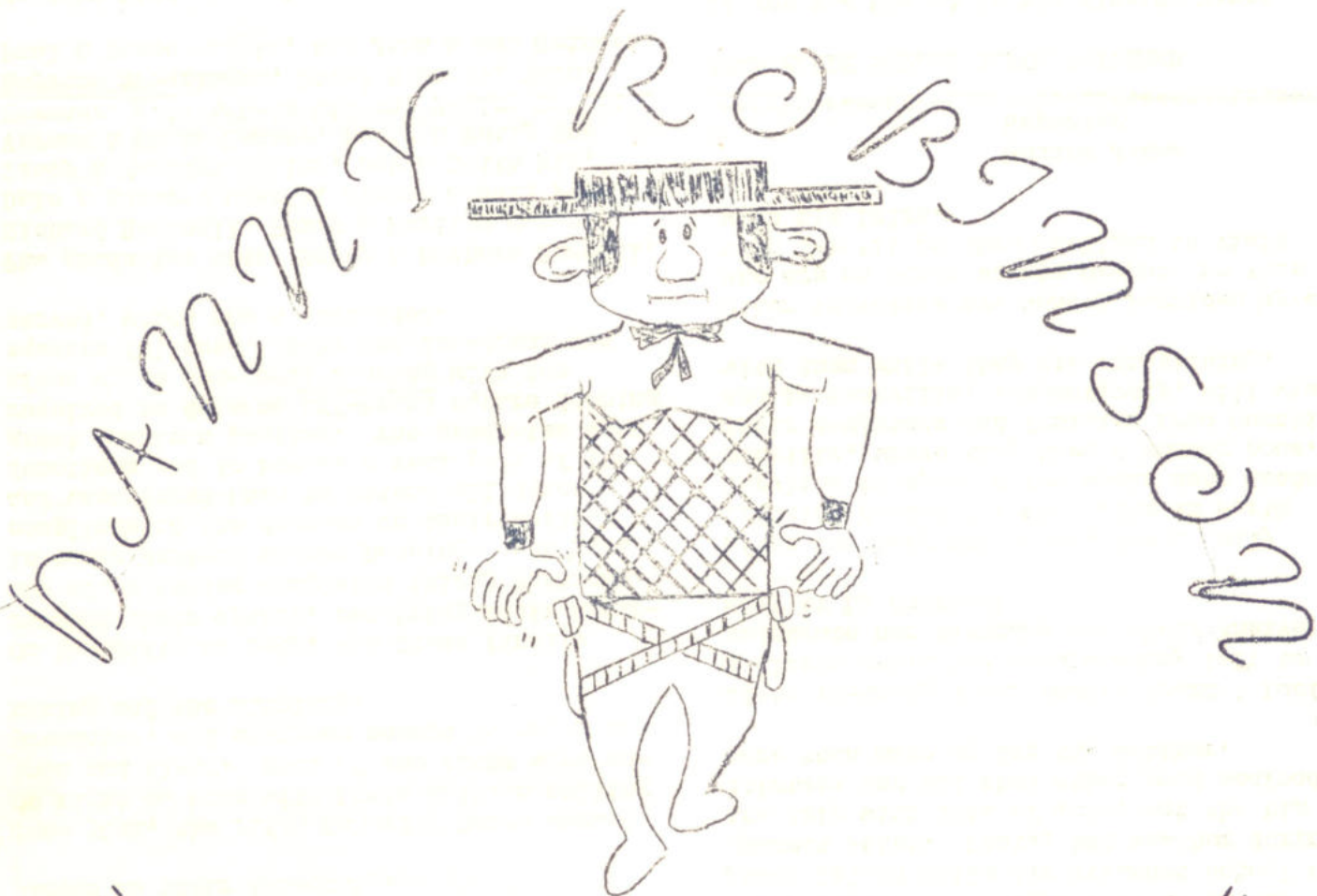
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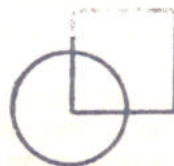
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