

JANE'S GARLAND DANCE

FORM: Longways set of 8 people.

BASIC STEP: Ranting and Skipping

MUSIC: Dance of the Nuts from Bacup in Lancashire.

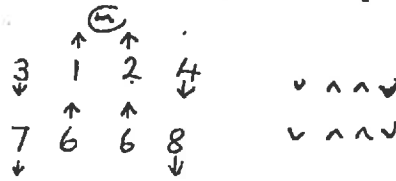
DANCE:

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by 4/4*

1. Up Streets (can be processional or stationary).  
4 rant steps facing music  
4 rant steps to change sides passing left shoulders, *2/4 time of four corners & 2/4 X, then longways*  
4 rant steps facing music.  
4 rant steps to return to place passing right shoulders.

2. Promenade  
1,2,5,6 turn in and skip down the set for seven steps and on the 8th turn round (outwards). Then skip back 8 skips to form lines (see diagram). At the same time 3,4,7,8 take 7 skips towards the music and on 8th turn round (inwards). Then skip back 8 skips to form lines - thus:-

*have not any other words*



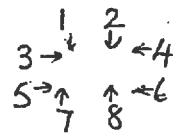
3. Turns  
1 and 3, 7 and 5 hold left hands and turn anti clockwise 2 and 4, 6 and 8 hold right hands and turn clockwise. All make only one turn taking 8 rant steps finishing thus:-

*each 1/4 time - in on 1/4 & hold shoulders for 2 steps*  
3 → 1 → 2 → 4  
7 → 5 → 6 → 8

4. Reel  
Reel of 4 beginning with middles passing left shoulders taking 16 skips to get back to place. Then middles rant for 4 then turn round (to the right) and rant for 4 with outsides

5. Circular Hey  
16 skips passing right then left shoulders in a circle and back to place. Then rant two by two to re-form longways set facing music. 1 and 2 take the first two rant steps, they are then joined by 3 and 4, 5 and 6 and finally 7 and 8. On the 8th step all face in thus:-

6. Star and Circle *— team and 1/2 turn*  
 3,4,5,6, do a right and left hand star whilst 1 and 2 and 7 and 8 pass half way to the right and bob and half way to the left and bob. (whole movement takes 16 skips). Then 3,5,4,6 rant 8 steps in place while 1,2,7,8 form a circle (4 skips), circle left (8 skips) return to form quadrille (4 skips).  
*Egyptian? —*



7. Dip and Dive  
 Taking 4 skips for each crossing, 1 and 2 pass under arch made by 7 and 8, then 3 and 5 pass under arch made by 4 and 6. 1 and 2 return making arch for 7 and 8 and 3 and 5 return making arch for 4 and 6. (All turns are made outwards). All corners rant for 4 then turn in and partners rant for 4.  
*~ follow makes for*

8. Final Up Streets  
 All fall into original longways set for 4 rant steps, then change sides for 4 rant steps passing left shoulders. One final rant step and raise garlands and bow.