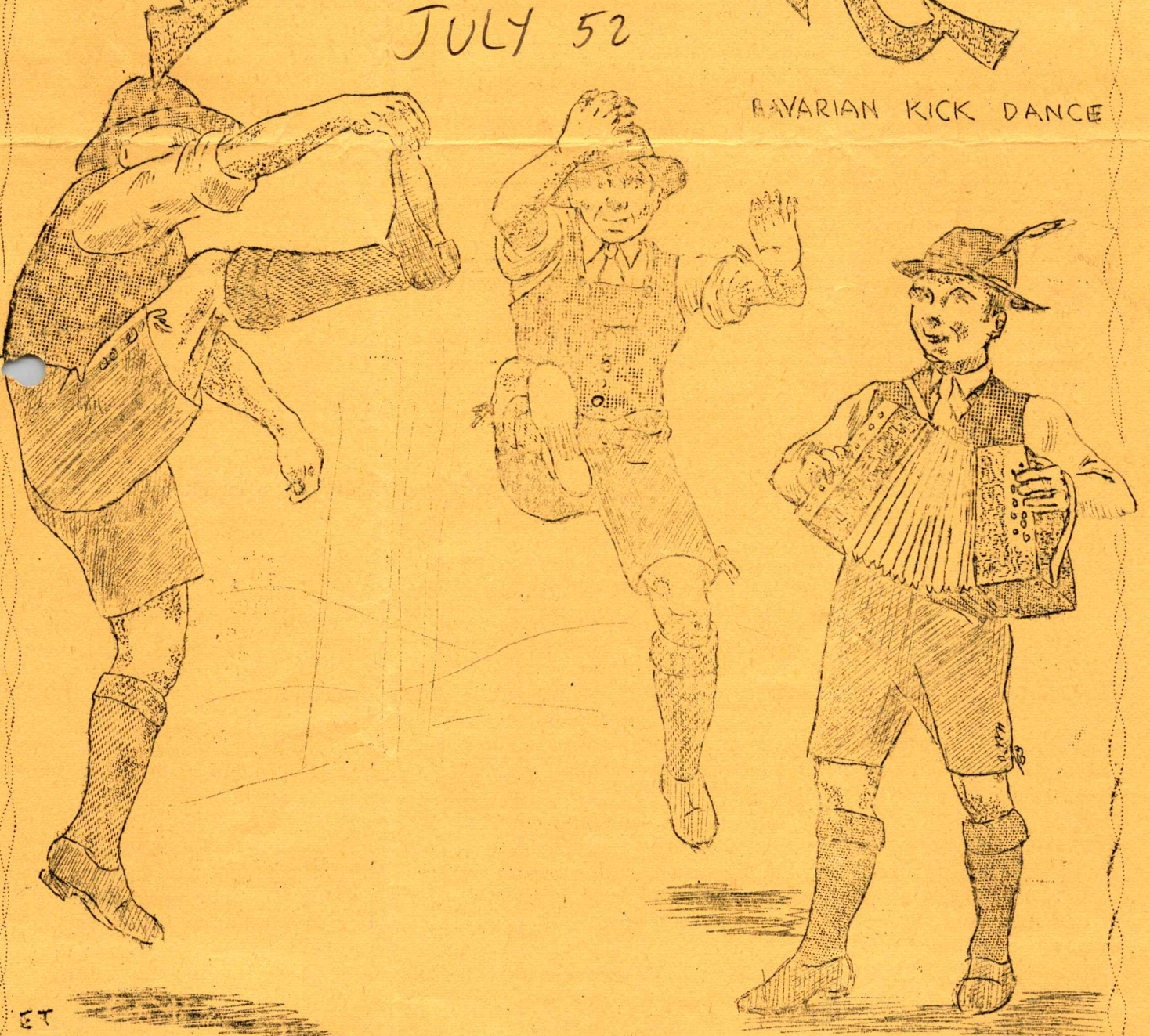


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NEWS & SHEET.

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PROGRAMME.

Classes at Carlye School, Hortensia Rd; Chelsea, S.W. - 7.30.p.m.-9.30.p.m.
Wednesday - General Classes. Fridays - Advanced Classes
Members, 1s.0d. Guests 1s.6d. BY INVITATION ONLY - Members 1s.0d.

WEDNESDAY ---

July, 2.	Revision - POLISH & ESTONIAN	Bert Price	--	Barbara Duleba
" 9.	AMERICAN SQUARE.	Douglas Kennedy	--	Henshooters Band.
" 16.	AMERICAN SQUARE. Revision	Bert Price	--	Barbara Duleba
" 23.	American & Swedish "	Bert Price	--	Barbara Duleba

FRIDAY

July 4.	Scottish	Marie Le Fort	--	Barbara Duleba
" 11.	Scottish	Marie Le Fort	--	" "
" 18.	Dutch	Dr. Cyriax	--	" "
" 25.	MEMBERS ONLY DANCE.	M.C.	Bert Price,	

TUESDAY

July 8.	Balkan.	Phillip Thornton.		
" 22.	Balkan.	" "		

INNS OF COURT MISSION, BROAD COURT, DRURY LANE, W.C. - 6.30.p.m. - 9.30.p.m.

July 6.	M.C.	---	Music	Mourrie Pfeffer	Members. 1s.0d.
" 13.	"	---	"	"	Guests. 1s. 6d.
" 20.	"	---	"	"	

(On going to press regret M.C.'s had not been contacted.)

CECIL SHRP HOUSE, 2, REGENTS PARK ROAD, N.W.2. - 6.30.p.m. - 9.30.P.M.

Members, 2s.0d. Guests, 3s.0d.

SUNDAY JULY, 27th. M.C. Ivor Sober. Music Henshooters Band.

HARROW GREEN FOLK DANCING GROUP - WEDNESDAY 7.0.p.m. - 10.0.p.m.

Trumpington Road, School, Leyton.

July. 2.	S.I.F.D. Instructor, Larry Howell.
" 9.	H.G.F.D. "
" 16.	H.G.F.D. "
" 23.	H.G.F.D. "

SCOTTISH GROUP - COMMUNITY HOUSE, 214, Clyde St; Glasgow, C.1.
Dances and Classes every MONDAY evening.

SOUTH of MANCHESTER FOLK DANCING CENTRE - Trafford Public Hall, Talbot Rd; Stretford.
Dances and Classes every Monday.

SPECIAL DANCE to welcome the DANISH GROUP - THURSDAY JULY 17th.

THANK YOU to Peggy and Jim Titheridge for the very enjoyable dance on Sunday June 8th. We wish them every happiness in the future, and many evenings as happy as that one. ---oOo---

PLEASE REMEMBER that SOFT SHOES MUST, by order of the L.C.C., be worn when dancing at CARLYLE GIRLS' SCHOOL. ---oOo---

PLEASE BOOK JULY 26th for a dance at the LEYTON ORIENT STADIUM 3.0.p.m. Music by HENSHOOTERS BAND & Piper ALUN COWIE, American Square Caller - JOHN ARMSTRONG. There will be GENERAL DANCING, SCOTTISH and AMERICAN SQUARE, also demonstrations; and to round off the day for the energetic ones, the HARROW GREEN FOLK DANCERS will be running a dance in the evening at TRUMPINGTON ROAD SCHOOL. Music by HENSHOOTERS BAND ticket 2s.0d. each. ---oOo---

A REQUEST from the Secretary, if Members write and require an answer, would they include a stamped addressed envelope - you'd be surprised how the cost of postage mounts up. ---oOo---

DEMONSTRATIONS On May 25th the team went to the Albert Hall to dance Tarantella. We were'nt particularly happy about our dancing as the 'behind scenes' atmosphere was anything but pleasant. I should like to thank the team for all the work they put into the effort. They were not paid expences for either the rehearsals or the performance.

On May 26th, Jim Titheridge ran a demonstration for the Enfield Townswomen's Guild, which from all reports went very well indeed, Jim tells me there were lots of enquiries for other demonstrations. A donation of 10s.0d. was made to the Society.

On June 5th Dr. Cyriax arranged for our team to dance Swedish dances at the Swedish Embassy. This demonstration was marred by the fact that Dr. Cyriax was ill on the night and this delayed the start of our programme. We had time to dance only half the dances arranged - both Oxdans and Vava Vadmal were out, which was a great pity.

June 7th through a contact of Gladys Noble's we danced on the grass at the Holy Trinity Convent School, for the Kent Womens Hockey Ass; Garden Fete. The object was to raise funds to provide hospitality for International Hockey Teams when they come over next year. The surroundings were very pleasant and we thoroughly enjoyed dancing there.

To end the demonstration notes this month, I have much pleasure in reporting that a demonstration team from the class at the National Training College of Domestic Subjects which Marie Le Fort and I have run for the past year, danced at the Inter-College Festival of Folk Dancing. We were both unable to be present at this very auspicious occasion, but reports say, that they got the most applause of the afternoon and were much the most colourful team. This was due to the tremendous strides made in our costume department, for we were able to hire out to them; - Russian, Swedish and Italian costumes. Congratulations and thanks to Irene Weller and Dr. Cyriax.

COSTUMES.

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Margery Latham.

The Committee have received occasional requests from Members to borrow a costume and we wish to announce that the hiring fee is 5s.0d. per costume per week. It is understood that if and when costumes are needed for the demonstration team, the Society's demand must take priority.

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SUNDAY DANCES AT INNS OF COURT. A list of M.C's have now come to hand, they are as follows; - July, 6th. Larry Howell, July, 13th. Geoffrey Ing, July, 20th Michael Clark.

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LATE NEWS FROM HARROW GREEN. Open Air Folk Dance - opposite "GREEN MAN" Leytonstone, (Wanstead Flats) SATURDAY 5th JULY - NO CHARGE. Music by Mourie commencing 7.0.p.m. Busses passing site - 10,20,66,96 and 148.

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LATE NEWS FROM BILL HALLAM-EAMES. - re Open Air Dances. It is regretted that the open air dances in Lincoln's Inn Fields have had to be cancelled, owing to the withdrawal of permission, previously granted by the L.C.C. However every effort is being made to find an alternative place for dancing.

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ALBERT HALL. We have again been asked to dance at the United Nations Students Ass; Albert Hall Festival on Oct; 22/23rd and we are pleased to have been able to accept the invitation. We hope to have at least 64 dancers present, possibly 100, and to dance the following dances; - Norway-Fyr Tur, Finland-Sappho, Denmark-to be decided, Italy-Tarantella, Holland-to be decided, Germany-Hammersmiths and/or Kreutz Koenig, American Square-to be decided, England-Circassian Circle, Sweden-Vava Vadmal,. Most of these dances are to be performed by the full chorus and the Committee is confident that we will acquit ourselves as nobly as last year. Before further arrangements can be made it is necessary to know the number of Members who can be relied upon to dance on these two evenings and also to attend the rehearsals that will be held in September and October. Will every Member, to help the Committee in its decisions, please fill in the form below and either post or hand it to Bert Price or Margery Latham within the next week. Margery' address is Mrs. M. Latham, 381, St. Johns St; E.C.1.

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I would like to dance in the Albert Hall Festival on October 22/23rd and will make every effort to attend all rehearsals.

I have a costume representative of (State the Country)

I have not a costume, but am prepared to acquire one (delete if necessary)

NAME. Mr. Mrs. or Miss.

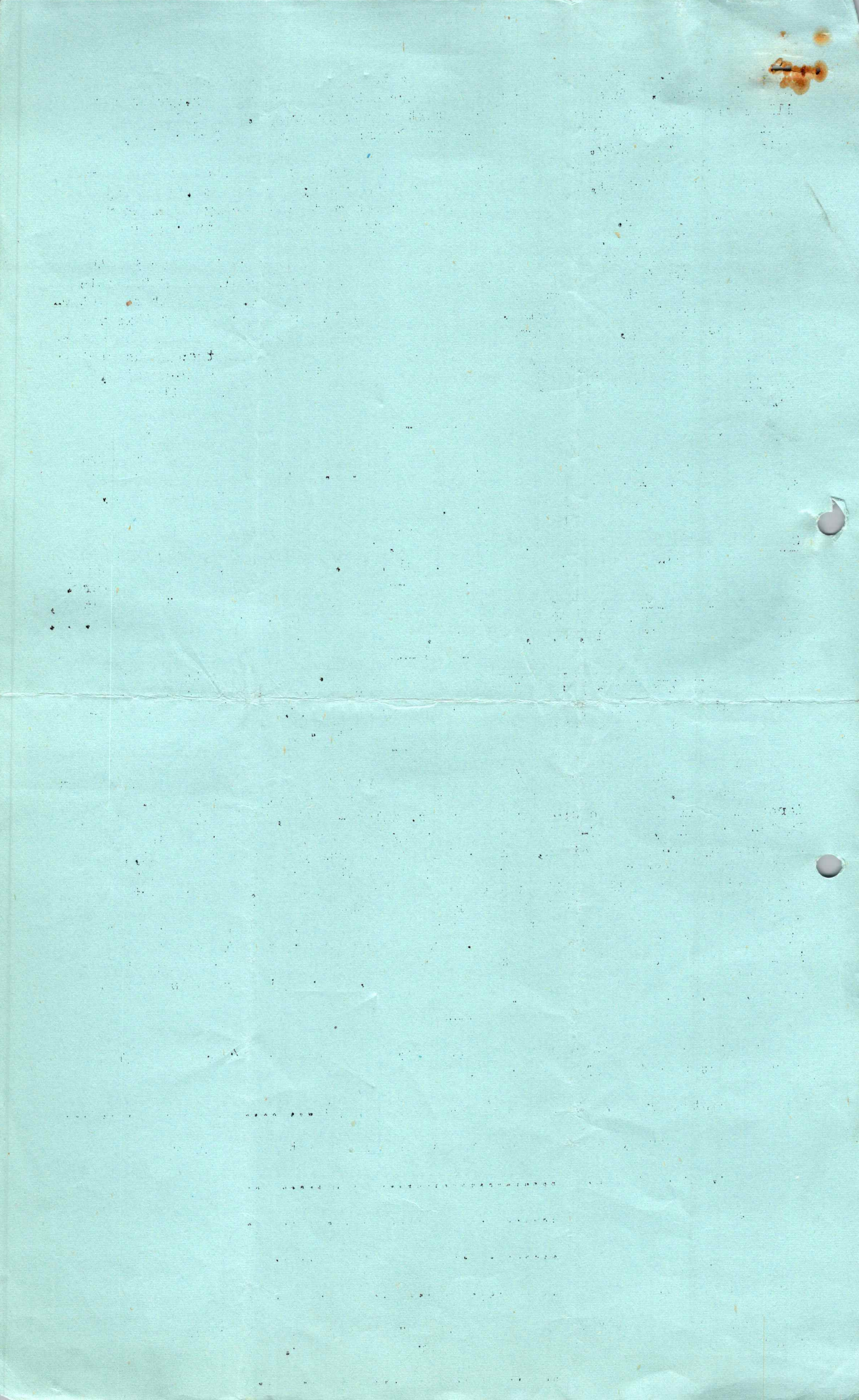
ADDRESS.

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TELEPHONE NUMBER.

Please also state (a) whether you would prefer to dance with a certain partner or not and (b) if so give the name of the proposed partner.

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JUNE 52?

We have great pleasure in advising all members that we have another wedding in the "Family". Jim Titheridge and Peggy Walker are getting married on Sat, June 7th and on behalf of the Society the Committee are sending out very best wishes for a long and happy life together. Jim will be coming to the dance on June 8th with the International Folk Players and in his own words 'will guarantee attendance of bride, groom, best man and first witness complete with instruments'; when all members will have the opportunity of personally congratulating them both and wishing them the best of luck. We expect a record attendance and that Jim and Peggy will arrange a record programme for the evening. BEST WISHES JIM & PEGGY WE KNOW YOU WILL BE VERY HAPPY.

NEW MEMBERS.

The Committee has pleasure in welcoming the following new members;-
Mr. J. Sturman and Mr. J. Gray.

MEMBERS EVENING.

It has been suggested from many quarters that a regular Members Evening be arranged so that members may meet and dance together. The Committee consider this an excellent suggestion and are making arrangements for the first Sunday dance in every month to be for MEMBERS ONLY, the new arrangements to begin in AUGUST or SEPTEMBER. We have long felt a need for such an evening, when we may dance together freely with no teaching of all "old favourites" to our junior members and feel sure that the Society will welcome and support this new innovation.

MICROPHONE.

We are very proud to advise all members that Mr. Douglas Kennedy will be teaching our first American Square Class in July. The Committee has arranged for a Square Dance Band "The Henshooters" to supply the music. We would like also to have a microphone for Mr. Kennedy's use and appeal to any member that owns one to loan it to the Society for that evening.

DEMONSTRATIONS.

On Tuesday April 27th the team went to the Streatham Branch of U.N.A. This was our second visit to their Annual General Meeting, where we seem to fill the role of the 'sugar on the pill'; they entertain their members before getting down to work::: One of the team was unavoidably absent and we had to re-arrange the programme to fit a three couple dem; On Saturday May 3rd we visited an Anglo-French Club called "La Gauloise" at Tooting Broadway. The audience here was very enthusiastic, and the Hon; President, who used to lead a team of Breton dancers, offered to let us have the music and instructions for his dances. He will personally visit our class when we are ready for him and polish up the dances. I hope this will prove a very useful contact.

Margery Latham.

LEYTON ORIENT STADIUM. - SATURDAY JULY, 26th 3.0.p.m. - 6.0.p.m.

Please remember to keep this date open, we want all the support possible at this function.

THAXTED WEEK-END.

A dancing week-end has been arranged at High Roding Hostel on June 28th visiting the Thaxted Folk Dance Festival on the Saturday and dancing on the lawn at High Roding Hostel on Sunday.

The best approach to the Hostel for cyclists is straight up the Epping Road, then on to the 'Sun and Whalebone' at Potter Street Village on the Bishop's Stortford road. Turn right at the next lane past the 'Sun and Whalebone'. This lane meanders through a delightful set of villages and stays fairly level all the way through Matching Green to White Roding. It also avoids many hills that occur on other roads. After White Roding, it is but 5 miles altogether through Leadon Roding to High Roding and the Hostel
