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Philippine

SOURCE:

Taught by Folk Dance House by Mrs. Aquino of the Board of Education in Manila, author of Seven Volumes on Philippine Folk Dances.

MUSIC:

Record available from Folk Dance House only on 45 RPM.

FORMATION:

2 cpls in a set, 1 facing the other, sets scattered at will around the floor.

Meas

Pattern

FIGURE I.

Pas de basque to the R, pas de basque to the L. Move diagonally forward to the R with a step-together step, starting on R ft. Point L toe forward diagonally to L, then quickly point it about another inch forward.

Moving bkwds do a pas de basque to the L, a pas de basque to the R. Do a step-together-step bkwds starting on L ft. Point R toe forward diagonally to R, then quickly point same toe another inch forward. Repeat all of above again.

The above step is first done by the W with H's on skirts, as M clap H's in rhythm. The W dance towds opposite M.

Then the M do the step towds opposite W as W clap in place. M have H's on hips.

FIGURE II.

Rocking Step. Cross R ft over L and put full wt on it as you kick L up behind. Step bk on L ft and kick R slightly forward (these 2 steps are like a rocking step). Then take 3 quick steps in place R, L, R. Now cross L over R, with full wt on it kicking R up in bk, then step on R in place and kick L up in front, then take 3 quick steps in place, L, R, L. Repeat all of above again of Figure II.

Girls do step first as M clap. The M do step as girls clap.

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FIGURE III.

Surtido Step. This step is done with 2 girls moving towards each other instead of to opposite M.

Walk forward R, L, then hopping on L ft kick R ft inwds to knee cap of L ft. Hop on L ft again and kick R ft out. Take 3 quick steps R, L, R, as you make 1 complete turn to R. Hop on R ft as you kick L ft out. Then quick turn completely to L as you take 3 quick steps, L, R, L. Hop on L ft as R ft is kicked inwds, hop on L ft again as R ft is kicked out. NOW DO NOT TURN, but walk bkwds 4 steps, R, L, R, L.

W do this step as M clap. Then M do step towds each other as W clap.

NOW REPEAT THE ENTIRE DANCE FROM THE BEGINNING BUT THIS TIME BOTH GIRLS AND BOYS DANCE EVERYTHING SIMULTANEOUSLY. (NOTE THAT AS A RESULT ALL OF THE STEPS WILL BE DONE TWICE AS LONG.)

FINALE- Take ptr by R H and as the M stands in place he twirls his lady furiously in place CW.