MAIKE

(Northern Germany)

Source:

Description received from Germany as danced there at the

present time.

Music:

Record: Tanz EP 58112

Formation:

4 cpls in square formation.

Steps:

Walk*, Polka*

*Described in Folk Dances from Near and Far, Vols I-Viii. published by Folk Dance Federation of California, 1095 Market

Street, San Francisco, California.

Measures 2/4

Pattern

INTRODUCTION

FIGURE I

A 1-8 All hands joined, circle CW in 16 walking steps (starting L ft)

9-16 Circle CCW in 16 steps.

CHORUS - Part 1

B 1-8 Cpls 1 and 3 in ballroom pos polka once around each other CCW

turning CW. Place W into the ctr back to back at the end, and

M back out to place.

9-16 Cpls 2 and 4 repeat action of meas 1-8.

CHORUS - Part 2

C 1-8 All M walk once around circle CW in 16 steps. When reaching

original pos M give R hand to

9-16 Ptr, pull them out, and take their place back to back in ctr while

W walk around circle CW.

CHORUS - Part 3

D 1-8 When reaching home pos, W give R hand to ptr and start a Grand R &L, M moving CCW, W CW. In opp place turn once

around with ptr (Rhand star).

9-16 Continue Grand R & L to home pos, and repeat R hand star.

FIGURE II

A 1-16 Each cpl: 16 walking steps in a R hand star, and 16 steps in a L hand st.

48 Repeat CHORUS

FIGURE III

A 1-16 W, hands joined, circle CW 16 steps and CCW 16 steps.

48 Repeat CHORUS

FIGURE IV

A 1-16 M do a R hand mill (16 walking steps) and a L hand mill (16 steps).

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Repeat CHORUS

A 1-16

FIGURE V
Repeat action of Figure I (circling L and R)

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