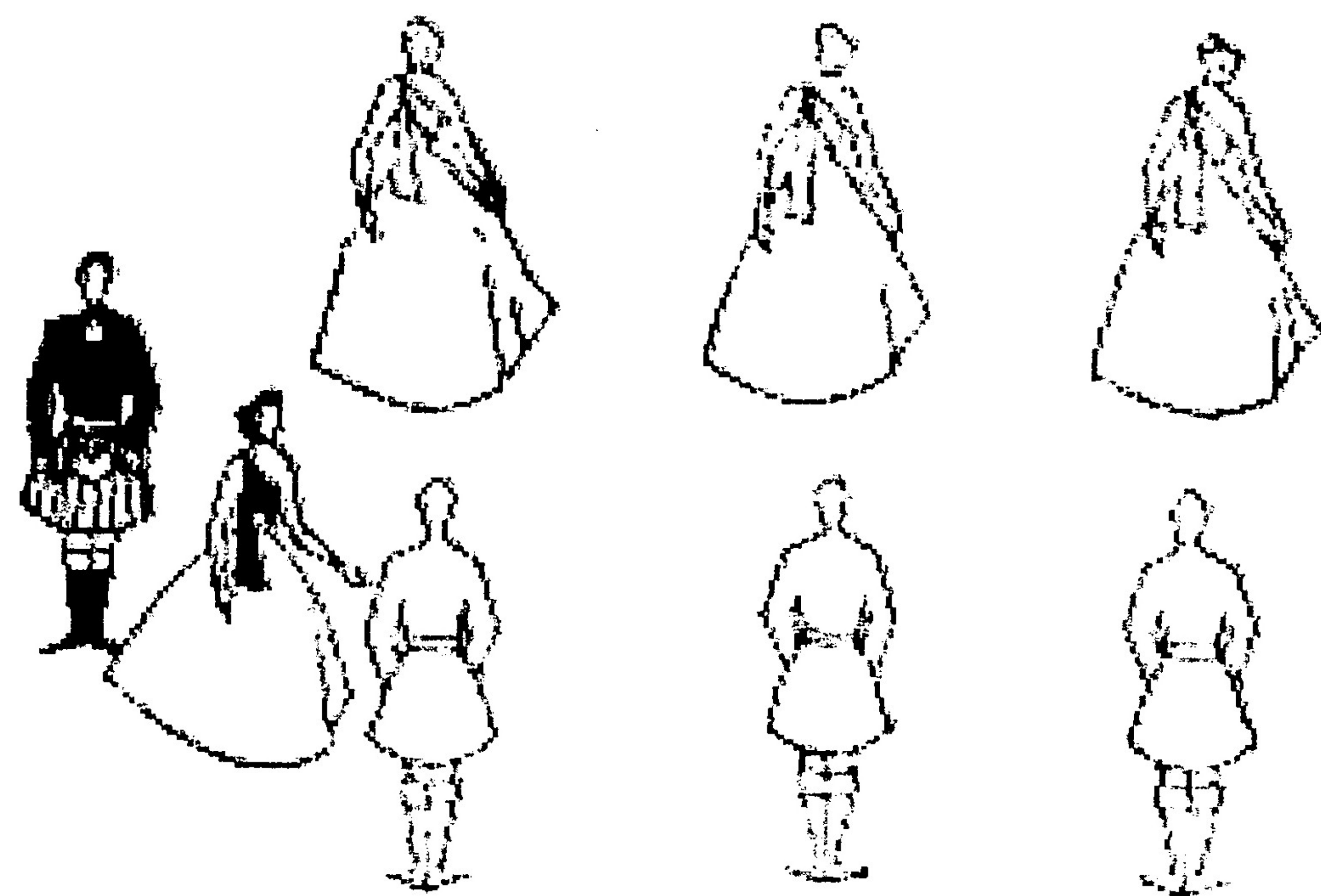


STRIP THE WILLOW (JIG)

This is a longway figure dance in which a new top couple begin on every repetition of the dance.

BARS	DESCRIPTION
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1 – 4	1st couple. giving right hands. turn each other 1½ times with 12 running steps. and finish 1st lady facing 2nd man. and 1st man standing behind her.
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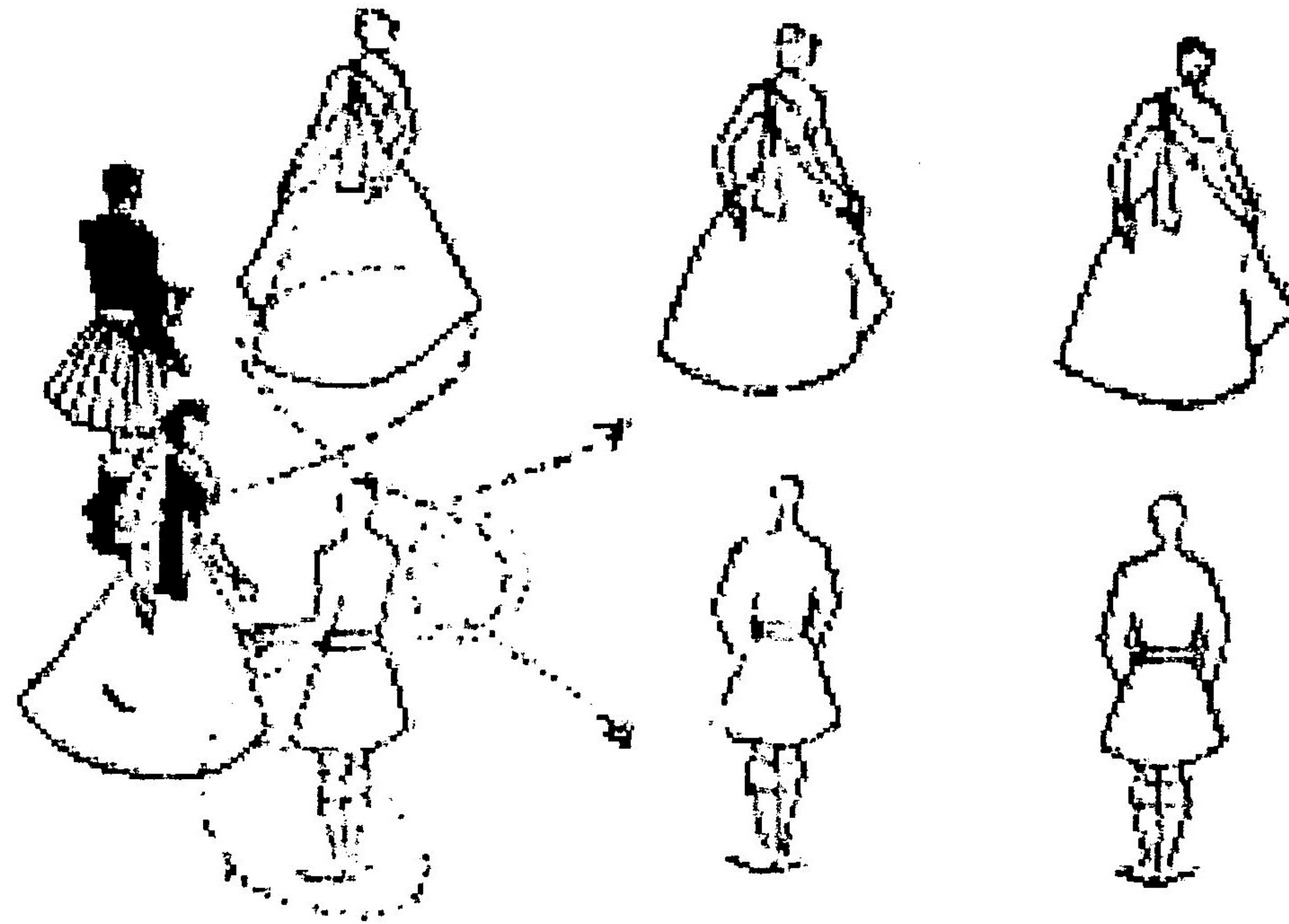
5 – 6	Advance again. and dance back to back passing right shoulder 1st lady turns 2nd man with left hands joined 6 running steps. 1st man runs 6 steps on the spot as he waits for her.
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7 – 8	1st couple giving right hands turn each other in the middle 6 running steps.
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1st lady repeats these last 4 bars until she has turned all the men. and. at the last turn of her partner. they finish with 1st man facing bottom lady, and 1st lady behind him.

1st man turns each lady with the left hand, and his partner with the right. until he has turned the last lady-2nd lady. Then he turns his own partner with the right. and they finish 1st lady facing 2nd man, and 1st man facing 2nd lady.

STRIP THE WILLOW



1st man turns 2nd lady with left hand, while 1st lady turns 2nd man, 6 running steps. They turn each other in the middle with right hands 6 running steps. They repeat these two turnings till they have turned everybody in the set, and then turn each other with right hands 11 times 12 running steps-to finish on their own sides of the dance at the bottom of the set

The next couple begins to turn each other at the same time as the 1st couple are doing their last turning.

Tune: Any good jig