LA VINCA (Vincha) North Italian

This dance is described as it is performed in England.

MUSIC: Imperial 1054-B "La Vinca" (Italian Album)

Columbia DB 1653 "La Vinca"

FORMATION: Couples in a double circle in closed position*, M with back to

center, W facing center.

STEPS: Slide*
MUSIC: 2/4

Measures	<u>Pattern</u>
1-8	I. Sliding Steps Beginning with M L and W R cpl take 16 slide steps moving CCW in a circle.
	II. Stamp-Clap-Shake-Turn
9	Drop hands, facing ptr. Both stamp 3 times R (ct. 1), L (ct. &), R (ct. 2), hold (ct. &).
10	Clap own hands 3 time (ct. of 1, & 2, hold on final "and").
11	Shake first finger of R hand 3 times at ptr in same rhythm.
12	Both turn in place to R with 3 steps R, L, R.
13	Facing ptr. stamp L, R, L.
14	Clap own hands 3 times.
15	Shake first finger of R hand 3 times at ptr
16	Both turn to own R with R, L, R.

Locally this dance has been performed as a progressive dance. When so performed, W stays in place on repetition of of the dance, while the M starts sliding fwd taking the W on his L "on the fly" as his new ptr. The new ptrs then continue the slides together.